

November 23rd, 2022

Association of Municipalities of Ontario (AMO) 200 University Avenue Suite 801 Toronto, Ontario M5H 3C6

By E-Mail To: amo@amo.on.ca

Dear Sir/Madam:

RE: Resolution – OMAFRA Ontario Wildlife Damage Compensation Program Administrative Fee

Please be advised that the Council of the Corporation of the Township of Lanark Highlands passed the following resolution at their regular meeting held November 22nd, 2022:

Moved by Reeve McLaren

Seconded by Councillor Rodger

THAT, the Council of the Township of Lanark Highlands supports Tay Valley Township's resolution regarding OMAFRA Ontario Wildlife Damage Compensation Program Administrative Fee;

AND THAT, this resolution be circulated to the Association of Municipalities of Ontario (AMO) and all Ontario Municipalities for their consideration and support.

Carried

Sincerely,

Amanda Noël

Amanda Noël, Clerk

Encls.

c.c. Hon. Sylvia Jones, Solicitor General of Ontario

sylvia.jones@ontario.ca



August 31, 2022

Association of Municipalities of Ontario (AMO) 200 University Ave., Suite 801 Toronto, ON M5H 3C6 Sent via email: resolutions@amo.on.ca

RE: RESOLUTION – OMAFRA Ontario Wildlife Damage Compensation Program Administrative Fee

The Council of the Corporation of Tay Valley Township at it's Council meeting on August 23rd, 2022 adopted the following resolution:

RESOLUTION #C-2022-08-42

"WHEREAS, the Ontario Ministry of Agriculture, Food and Rural Affairs (OMAFRA) administers the Ontario Wildlife Damage Compensation Program to provide compensation to farm producers for livestock killed by wildlife;

AND WHEREAS, Ontario Municipalities administer the Program on behalf of OMAFRA by appointing a Livestock Investigator and staff to work on wildlife damage claims;

AND WHEREAS, the costs associated with wildlife damage claims typically exceed the administration fee of \$50.00 per claim as provided to the Municipality from OMAFRA;

NOW THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED THAT, the Council of Tay Valley Township request the Ministry of Agriculture, Food and Rural Affairs to review the administrative fee provided to Municipalities for the administration of the Ontario Wildlife Damage Compensation Program;

AND FURTHER THAT, this resolution be circulated to the Association of Municipalities of Ontario (AMO) and all Ontario Municipalities for their consideration and support."

ADOPTED



If you require any further information, please do not hesitate to contact the undersigned at (613) 267-5353 ext. 130 or deputyclerk@tayvalleytwp.ca.

Sincerely,

Janie Laidlaw, Deputy Clerk

cc: All Municipalities of Ontario