

**The Corporation of the County of Perth
By-law Number 3572-2016**

**Being a By-Law to Authorize the Execution of an
Agreement to Appoint a Municipal Investigator
Between the Corporation of the County of Perth
and Gregory F. Stewart
of the Law Firm Donnelly & Murphy**

WHEREAS Section 239.2 of the Municipal Act S.O. 2001, c.25 as amended, authorizes municipalities to appoint an investigator who, based on receipt of a complaint, has the function to investigate in an independent manner whether a municipality or local board has complied with Section 239 or a procedure by-law enacted pursuant to subsection 238(2) with respect to a meeting or part of a meeting that was closed to the public, and to report on the investigation; and

AND WHEREAS the Council of the Corporation of the County of Perth deems it desirable that all requests for an investigation be undertaken by an independent and impartial investigator;

NOW THEREFORE the Council of the Corporation of the County of Perth enacts as follows:

1. **THAT** the Warden and the Clerk are hereby authorized to sign and enact the Agreement to Appoint a Meeting Investigator between the Corporation of the County of Perth and Gregory F. Stewart, attached hereto as Schedule 'A' and forming a part of this By-law; and
2. **THAT** this By-law will come into force and take effect on January 1, 2017.

Read a first and second time this 22nd day of December, 2016.

Read a third and final time 22nd day of December, 2016.

Original Signed by

Meredith Schneider, Warden

Original Signed by

Jillene Bellchamber-Glazier, Clerk