

Corporation of the County of Perth

By-Law Number 3577-2017

BEING A BY-LAW TO ENTER INTO AN AGREEMENT FOR WEED AND TREE INSPECTION SERVICES AND MUNICIPAL LAW ENFORCEMENT FOR FOREST CONSERVATION

JANUARY 19, 2017

WHEREAS Sections 8, 9 and 11 of the *Municipal Act, 2001*, authorizes Council to enter into agreements for the purpose of enforcement; and

WHEREAS Section 5(1) of the *Municipal Act, 2001*, provides that the powers of Municipal Corporation shall be exercised by its Council; and

WHEREAS Section 5(3) of the *Municipal Act, 2001*, provides that the powers of every council shall be exercised by By-law; and

WHEREAS Subsection 135(2) of the *Municipal Act, 2001*, authorizes an upper-tier municipality to prohibit or regulate the destruction or injuring of trees in woodlands designated by by-law; and

WHEREAS the *Weed Control Act, 1990*, provides for the appointment of persons as area Weed Inspectors to enforce the provisions of the *Weed Control Act, 1990*; and

WHEREAS the County of Perth deems it desirable to enter into a contract with Marvin L. Smith to provide weed and tree inspection services and municipal law enforcement related to the County of Perth's Forest Conservation By-law and the *Weed Control Act, 1990*;

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

1. THAT the Corporation of the County of Perth approves the agreement with Marvin L. Smith for the provision of weed and tree inspection services and municipal law enforcement, a copy of which agreement is attached as Schedule "A".
2. THAT the Warden and Clerk are hereby authorized to execute the agreement on behalf of the Corporation and to affix thereto the Official Seal of the Corporation;
3. That By-law 3496-2015 is hereby repealed.
4. That this by-law shall come into force and take effect upon the final passing thereof.

Read a first and second time this 19th day of January 2017.

Read a third and finally passed this 19th day of January 2017.

Original Signed by

Meredith Schneider, Warden

Original Signed by

Jill Bellchamber-Glazier, County Clerk