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

Council of the Township of Dorion, at their regular meeting of September 20, 2022, approved Resolution No. 22-214, which stated:

***"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 Livestock Investigators and staff to work on wildlife damage claims;*

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

***NOW THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED THAT** Council of the Township of Dorion request the Ministry of Agriculture, Food and Rural Affairs review the administration fee provided to Municipalities for the administration of the Ontario Wildlife Compensation Program."*

Sincerely,

Mavis Harris
Clerk-Treasurer

c.c. Ontario Ministry of Agriculture, Food and Rural Affairs
All Ontario Municipalities