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RE: PENDING LEGISLATION DUE TO 2014 PROVINCIAL ELECTION

Council for the Township of The Archipelago passed the following resolution at the regular meeting of Council held on May 16th, 2014, and requests that the new Ontario Government give serious consideration to the enactment of the legislation mentioned therein.

Moved By: Councillor Ted Christie
Seconded By: Councillor Terry Desmasdon

Resolution No. 14-062

WHEREAS the Provincial Government has called an election for June 12, 2014;

AND WHEREAS certain pending legislation has been deemed to be crucial and significant to the Township of The Archipelago, Georgian Bay, and the Great Lakes as a whole;

NOW THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED that the Council for The Township of The Archipelago deems it imperative that the following pending legislation be enacted by the future Government of Ontario;

- i) Great Lakes Protection Act, 2014 (Bill 6)
- ii) Invasive Species Act, 2014 (Bill 167)
- iii) Draft regulatory amendments to support the implementation of the Great Lakes – St. Lawrence River Basin Sustainable Water Resources Agreement

AND FURTHER BE IT RESOLVED that this resolution be sent to the leaders of all official Provincial parties and to the respective candidates running in the electoral District of Parry Sound – Muskoka. **Carried.**

Your consideration of this matter is greatly appreciated.

Yours truly,



Stephen P. Kaegi, AMCT
Chief Administrative Officer

- c.c. Norm Miller, MPP, Parry Sound-Muskoka
Dan Waters, Ontario Liberal Party – Parry Sound-Muskoka
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