

**THE CORPORATION OF THE MUNICIPALITY OF POWASSAN**

**BY-LAW NO. 2012-09**

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Being a By-Law to authorize an agreement between the Municipality of Powassan and the Ministry of Natural Resources for forest fire management.

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WHEREAS the Municipality of Powassan is responsible for extinguishing grass, brush and forest fires within the municipal boundaries under Section 21 of the Forest Fire Prevention Act, R.S.O. 1990, Chapter R.24;

AND WHEREAS Section 19 of the Forest Fire Prevention Act allows the entering into an agreement with respect to the prevention and control of grass, brush or forest fires;

BE IT THEREFORE ENACTED by the Municipal Council of the Corporation of the Municipality of Powassan as follows:

1. That the Municipal Forest Fire Management Agreement (Schedule "A" attached) and forming part of this By-Law be adopted.
2. That the Mayor and Clerk be and are hereby authorized to execute the attached agreement between the Municipality of Powassan and the Ministry of Natural Resources.
3. That this agreement will come into force April 1, 2012 and be reviewed every four years unless terminated by either party as per agreement paragraph 13 (b)..

READ A FIRST and second time February 7<sup>th</sup>, 2012 and adopted in open session of Council March 6<sup>th</sup>, 2012.

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Mayor

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Clerk-Treasurer