THE CORPORATION OF THE MUNICIPALITY OF POWASSAN

BY-LAW NO. 2019-26

Being a By-law to provide for reduced load periods within the boundaries of the Municipality of Powassan

WHEREAS subsection 7 of section 122 of The Highway Traffic Act, R. S. S. 1990, Chap. H. 8 as Amended, provides that the municipal corporation or other authority having jurisdiction over a highway may by by-law designate the date on which a reduced load period shall start or end and the highway or portion thereof under its jurisdiction to which the designation applies; and

WHEREAS the reduced load period is deemed necessary for the protection of certain highways in the Municipality of Powassan and therefore the council of the Municipality of Powassan enacts as follows:

- 1. The provisions of subsections 1, 2, 3 and 4 of section 122 of The Highway Traffic Act apply to all municipal roadways within the boundaries of the Municipality of Powassan during the period from the 1st day of March until the 30th day of June inclusive in each and every year. The preceding dates may be altered at any time at the discretion of the Public Works Foreman or his alternate.
- 2. Reduced load periods may also be placed on all or any municipal road during the entire year notwithstanding the period of time mentioned in Paragraph 1.
- 3. The Municipality of Powassan reserves the right to further reduce weight limits on certain roads as deemed necessary by the Public Works Supervisor or other Council authority.
- 4. The provisions of this by-law shall not extend to the use of the municipal roadways for deliveries to or removals from any premises abutting thereon; to ambulances, police or fire department vehicles, to public utility emergency vehicles; to vehicles actually engaged in works undertaken for or on behalf of the Municipality, or to a privately-owned vehicle driven to or from the owner's residence abutting thereon.
- 5. That signage be erected in accordance with the regulations under The Highway Traffic Act during above noted periods where this by-law shall be enforced.
- 6. Any person violating the provisions of this by-law shall be subject to the penalties provided in section 125 of The Highway Traffic Act and all such penalties shall be recovered under the provincial Offences Act.
- 7. That By-law 2008-19 is hereby rescinded.

READ a FIRST and SECOND time, the 15th day of October, 2019

READ a **THIRD** and **FINAL** time and considered passed as such in open Council, the 5^{th} of November, 2019.

Mayor

CAO/Clerk-Treasurer