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Municipality of Killarney

March 18, 2020

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Manitoulin-Sudbury District Services Board
c/o Les Gamble, Chair
210 boul Mead Blvd.
Espanola, Ontario P5E 1R9

Dear Mr. Gamble:

Attached hereto is Resolution #20-096 that was passed by the Council of the Municipality of Killarney at their Regular Meeting held March 11, 2020 which fully supports the resolution passed by Manitoulin-Sudbury District Services Board which calls upon the Federal and Provincial governments to reconsider the Canada-Ontario Housing Benefit Guidelines and create flexibility.

Should you have any questions, please contact the municipal office.

Sincerely,
THE MUNICIPALITY OF KILLARNEY

(Mrs.) Angie Nuziale,
Administrative Assistant

Attachment

*cc: Honourable Jean-Yves Duclos, Federal Minister of Families, Children and Social Development
Minister Steve Clark Provincial Minister responsible for Housing in Ontario,
Association of Municipalities of Ontario,
Federation of Northern Ontario Municipalities,
Northern Ontario Municipal Association,
Ontario Municipal Social Services Association,
Housing Services Corporation,
Ontario Non-Profit Housing Association,
MP Carol Hughes, MP Mark Serre, MP Paul Lefebvre, MPP John Vanthof
MPP Mike Mantha.*

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MOVED BY: John Dimitrijevic

SECONDED BY: Michael Reider

RESOLUTION NO. 20-096

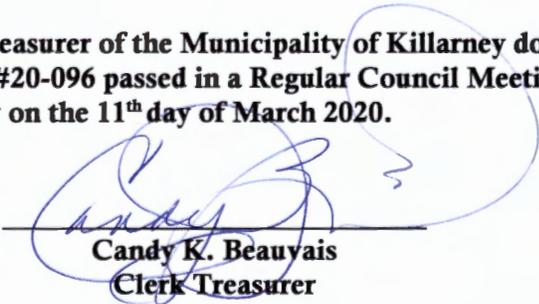
BE IT RESOLVED THAT the Municipality of Killarney supports resolution #20-17 passed by the Manitoulin-Sudbury District Services Board at their meeting of February 27, 2020 calling upon the Federal and Provincial governments to reconsider the Canada-Ontario Housing Benefit Guidelines and create flexibility as one size does not work well for Northern Ontario, particularly for small rural and remote communities whose existing resources are stretched to the maximum; and

FURTHER THAT this is extremely concerning that the Canada-Ontario Housing Benefit does not consider the actual rent paid or utility costs in the calculation. This is of particular concern in Northern Ontario where natural gas is not available in many communities and Hydro One rates are exorbitant;

FURTHER THAT this resolution be forwarded to the Hon. Jean-Yves Duclos, Federal Minister of Families, Children and Social Development and Minister Steve Clark Provincial Minister responsible for Housing in Ontario, AMO, FONOM, NOMA, OMSSA, HSC, ONPHA, MP Carol Hughes, MP Mark Serre, MP Paul Lefebvre, MPP John Vanthof and MPP Mike Mantha.

CARRIED

I, Candy K. Beauvais, Clerk-Treasurer of the Municipality of Killarney do certify the foregoing to be a true copy of Resolution #20-096 passed in a Regular Council Meeting of The Corporation of the Municipality of Killarney on the 11th day of March 2020.


Candy K. Beauvais
Clerk Treasurer