## THE CORPORATION OF THE TOWNSHIP OF MATACHEWAN

## **BY-LAW NO. 2016-11**

BEING A BY-LAW TO AUTHORIZE THE REEVE AND TREASURER-DEPUTY-CLERK TO EXECUTE THE NEW BUILDING CANADA FUND - SMALL COMMUNITIES FUND AGREEMENT: FILE NUMBER: SCF-0595.

**WHEREAS**, the Government of Canada established the Small Communities Fund (the SCF) as a component of the New Building Canada Fund under the Economic Action Plan 2013 as a renewed commitment to infrastructure priorities across Canada;

**AND WHEREAS**, the Government of Canada has committed one billion dollars (\$1,000,000,000.00) over ten (10) years towards the SCF for projects in smaller communities that address local priorities while contributing to national and regional objectives, support economic growth, a clean environment and stronger communities;

**AND WHEREAS**, the purpose of the SCF is to improve and renew public infrastructure in Ontario's communities with populations under one hundred thousand (100,000) people;

**AND WHEREAS,** the Government of Canada has also made a renewed commitment to infrastructure within Ontario:

AND WHEREAS, the Government of Canada and the Government of Ontario entered into the Canada – Ontario New Building Canada Fund Small Communities Fund Funding Agreement 2014-2024, effective November 3, 2014, which sets out the rights, obligations and requirements with respect to investments under the SCF;

**AND WHEREAS**, the Township of Matachewan applied to the SCF for funding to assist in carrying out the upgrades to the Water Treatment Plant, and the Township of Matachewan is eligible to receive funding under the SCF and both Ontario and Canada wish to provide funding for the Project;

**NOW THEREFORE,** the Council of the Corporation of the Township of Matachewan enacts as follows:

- The Reeve and Treasurer-Deputy-Clerk are hereby authorized to execute the New Building Canada Fund – Small Communities Fund Agreement and the Township of Matachewan as in Schedule A attached hereto.
- 2. Schedule A shall form part of this by-law.
- 3. This by-law shall take effect on the date of the final passing thereof.

READ a first and second time this 21st day of November, 2016.

READ a third time enacted and passed in open Council this 21<sup>st</sup> day of November, 2016. Signed, sealed and numbered 2016-11.

Treasurer-Deputy-Clerk