

The Corporation of the Town Of Latchford

By-Law No. 2020-011

Being a By-law to amend By-law 2020-003 to provide for an interim tax levy and water and sewage charges for the Town of Latchford

Whereas Section 317 of the Municipal Act, 2001, S.O. 2001, c.25 as amended, provides that a local municipality, before the adoption of the estimates for the year under section 290, may pass a by-law levying amounts on the assessment of property in the local municipality rateable for local municipality purposes; and

Whereas the Council of the Corporation of the Town of Latchford at its January 16, 2020 meeting passed By-law 2020-003 providing for such interim levy on the assessment of property in this municipality; and

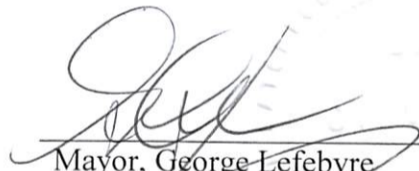
Whereas the Government of Ontario declared a state of emergency on March 17, 2020 under s 7.0.1 (1) the Emergency Management and Civil Protection Act. In doing so, Ontario is using every power possible to continue to protect the health and safety of all individuals and families; and

Whereas Council deems it necessary to amend By-law 2020-003 to provide flexibility for ratepayers in regards to charging penalty on taxes during this state of emergency declared by the Ontario Government; and

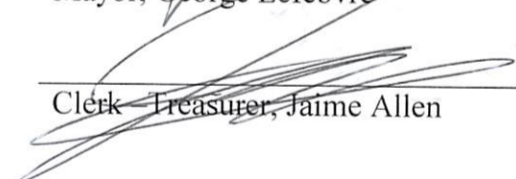
Now Therefore the Council of the Corporation of the Town Of Latchford enacts as follows:

1. That Section 5 of By-law 2020-003 be amended by adding as follows:
 - (a) That notwithstanding the above, and in light of the Ontario Government declaring a state of emergency in regards to the COVID-19 pandemic, the Clerk/Treasurer be authorized to waive penalties for the months of April, May and June for the year 2020 on taxes due on April 17th, 2020, which are in default, including amounts in arrears.
2. That in all other respects By-law 2020-003 shall remain in force and effect.

Read a first and second and third time and finally passed this April 9th 2020



Mayor, George Lefebvre



Clerk - Treasurer, Jaime Allen