

THE CORPORATION OF THE MUNICIPALITY OF MAGNETAWAN

BY-LAW No. 2003-14

**Being a BY-LAW To enter into an agreement with other Municipalities
for the better provision of fire protection services**

WHEREAS Section 20 (1) of the *Municipal Act*, S.O. 2001, Chapter 25 authorizes Municipalities to enter into agreements for the sharing of fire fighting apparatus, equipment and personnel;

AND WHEREAS Section 2 (6) of the *Fire Protection and Prevention Act*, S.O. 1997, Chapter 4, as amended, provides that a Municipality may enter into an automatic aid agreement to provide or receive the initial or supplemental response to fires, rescues and emergencies;

AND WHEREAS Section 13 (3) of the *Fire Protection and Prevention Act*, S.O. 1997, Chapter 4, as amended, provides that a firefighter or such other person as may be authorized by the Fire Chief may, without a warrant, enter on lands or premises that are outside the territorial limits of the Municipality of the fire department that employs the firefighter or Fire Chief, for the purposes of fighting a fire or of providing rescue or emergency services on such lands or premises if the Council of the Municipality has entered into an automatic aid agreement or any other agreement under which the entry is permitted;

NOW THEREFORE the Council of The Corporation of the Municipality of Magnetawan enacts as follows:

- 1) that the Municipality enter into the Fire Agreement attached hereto; and
- 2) that the Reeve and Clerk/Administrator are hereby authorized to sign the agreement and to execute all other documents necessary to carry out the Municipality's obligation thereunder.

**Passed in open Council as read a First, Second and Third time,
this 14th day of May, 2003**

Sam Dunnett, Reeve

Brenda J. Fraser, Clerk/Administrator