



## BY – LAW No. 26-24

### The Corporation of the United Counties of Leeds and Grenville

#### **A BY-LAW TO AUTHORIZE THE EXECUTION OF A TIERED RESPONSE AGREEMENT BETWEEN THE UNITED COUNTIES OF LEEDS AND GRENVILLE AND CERTAIN MUNICIPALITIES WITHIN LEEDS AND GRENVILLE**

**WHEREAS** under Section 5(3) of the Municipal Act, 2001, S.O. 2001, c. 25, as amended, a municipal power, including a municipality's capacity, rights, powers and privileges under Section 9, shall be exercised by by-law unless the municipality is specifically authorized to do otherwise; and

**WHEREAS** under Section 9 of the Municipal Act, 2001, S.O. 2001, c. 25, as amended, a municipality has the capacity, rights, powers and privileges of a natural person for the purpose of exercising its authority under this or any other Act; and

**WHEREAS** the Leeds Grenville Paramedic Service is responsible for to provide paramedic services within Leeds and Grenville; and

**WHEREAS** Council deems it is expedient to enter into a Tiered Response Agreement with municipalities in Leeds and Grenville for tiered response for medical emergencies; and

**WHEREAS** all parties have agreed to the Terms in the respective Agreements.

#### **NOW THEREFORE THE COUNCIL OF THE CORPORATION OF THE UNITED COUNTIES OF LEEDS AND GRENVILLE HEREBY ENACTS AS FOLLOWS:**

- 1. THAT** the Council of the United Counties of Leeds and Grenville approves entering into a Tiered Response Agreement with the following municipalities:
  - a. Town of Prescott
  - b. Township of Rideau Lakes
  - c. Township of Augusta
  - d. Township of Athens
  - e. Township of Elizabethtown-Kitley
  - f. Township of Front of Yonge

- g. Township of Leeds and the Thousand Islands
- h. Town of Gananoque
- i. Village of Merrickville-Wolford
- j. Municipality of North Grenville
- k. Township of Edwardsburgh Cardinal
- l. City of Brockville

2. **THAT** Schedules "A" through "L" attached hereto form part of this by-law.
3. **THAT** the Paramedic Chief be authorized to execute all things, papers, and documents necessary to the execution of such an Agreement.
4. **THAT** any by-laws or parts of by-laws contrary to or inconsistent with this By-law are hereby repealed.
5. **THAT** this By-law shall come into force and take effect on the date of its passing.

By-law read a first, second and third time, and finally passed this 23<sup>rd</sup> day of April, 2026.

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Corinna Smith-Gatcke, Warden

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Krystin Stitt, Interim County Clerk