By-law No. 60-2014

BY-LAW OF THE CORPORATION OF THE MUNICIPAL OF MORRIS-TURNBERRY
TO AUTHORIZE THE DELEGATION OF AUTHORITY FOR CERTAIN ACTS
DURING THE "LAME DUCK" PERIOD
AFTER SEPTEMBER 12TH, 2014, NOMINATION DAY TO THE
SWEARING IN OF THE NEWLY APPOINTED COUNCIL

WHEREAS Section 275 of the Municipal Act, 2001, c. 25 as amended, restricts the actions described in subsection (3) after the first day during the election period for a new council;

AND WHEREAS Section 275 (3) of the Municipal Act, 2001, c. 25 restricts Council from taking action on the following:
   a) The appointment or removal from office of any officer of the municipality;
   b) The hiring or dismissal of any employee of the municipality;
   c) The disposition of any real or personal property of the municipality which has a value exceeding $50,000 at the time of disposal; and
   d) Making any expenditure or incurring any other liability which exceeds $50,000.

AND WHEREAS Section 275 (6) of the Municipal Act, 2001, c. 25 states that nothing in this section prevents any person or body exercising authority of a municipality that is delegated to the person or body prior to nomination day for the election of the new council;

AND WHEREAS Council deems it expedient to delegate authority to the Administrator Clerk-Treasurer and Mayor to take action, where necessary, on certain acts during the "Lame Duck" period as follows:
   1) that the Mayor and Administrator Clerk-Treasurer be delegated the authority to recruit and hire any required employees.
NOW THEREFORE the Municipal Council of the Corporation of the Municipality of Morris-Turnberry enacts as follows:

1. THAT Council delegates authority to the Administrator Clerk-Treasurer and Mayor of the Corporation of the Municipality of Morris-Turnberry to take action, where necessary, on certain restrictions listed in Section 275 (3) of the Municipal Act, 2001 c. 25 between Nomination Day and the commencement of the Council Term.

2. THAT the Administrator Clerk-Treasurer and Mayor will report to Council on any actions taken under the restrictions listed in Section 275 (3) of the Municipal Act, 2001 c. 25 between Nomination Day and the commencement of the Council Term.

3. This By-law is in effect for the 2014 Municipal Election.

Read a first time this 10th day of September 2014.
Read a second time this 10th day of September 2014.
Read a third time this 10th day of September 2014.

Paul Gowing, Mayor

Nancy Mishle, Clerk