

WHEREAS during the COVID pandemic, the Clerk's office has been issuing burial permits on weekends and statutory holidays;

AND WHEREAS during the COVID pandemic there has been an increased demand on funeral home operations which offer their services on a 24/7 basis;

AND WHEREAS effective January 1, 2021, the Fees and Charges By-law has instituted a \$25 weekend and statutory holiday surcharge;

AND WHEREAS the surcharge creates a financial hardship for the funeral homes and affected families;

THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED that a bylaw be enacted suspending the \$25 weekend and statutory holiday surcharge until the COVID pandemic has passed.

A handwritten signature in blue ink, appearing to be "H. J. Kelly", is written in a cursive style.