



STAFF REPORT

Meeting Date: November 25, 2024

Title: 2024 Emergency Response Plan

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Department: Dryden Fire Service

Report Number: Fire-2024-004

Recommendation:

It is respectfully recommended

- 1.1 That Council adopt, through by-law, the City of Dryden Municipal Emergency Response Plan as attached to this report.

Background:

The purpose of this report is for Council to adopt, through by-law, the City of Dryden Emergency Response Plan as found as the attachment to this report.

The *Emergency Management and Civil Protection Act* requires each Ontario municipality to have an approved Emergency Response Plan and a by-law adopting the Emergency Response Plan as being current.

Discussion:

The Emergency Response Plan provides the framework for how the City of Dryden would manage any emergency that occurs within or threatens the community. It establishes the administrative structure of the response, notification procedures and establishes how the Municipal Emergency Control Group will work within the Emergency Operations Centre to manage the emergency.

The emergency plan has been designed to be robust and user-friendly, while ensuring that it includes all legislated requirements.

The by-law that will be presented to Council following this report will adopt the Emergency Response Plan, which is a requirement under the *Emergency Management and Civil Protection Act*.

Staff recommend that Council adopt the attached emergency plan through by-law.

Attachments (Reference Material):

City of Dryden Emergency Response Plan- November 2024