## THE CORPORATION OF THE TOWNSHIP OF EDWARDSBURGH/CARDINAL

## BY-LAW NO. 2018-50

## "A BY-LAW TO ADOPT MINIMUM MAINTENANCE STANDARDS FOR HIGHWAYS UNDER MUNICIPAL JURISDICTION"

**WHEREAS** Section 11(3) of the Municipal Act, 2001, S.O. 2001, c. 25, as amended, provides that a lower-tier municipality may pass by-laws, respecting matters within the sphere of jurisdiction of highways, including parking and traffic on highways;

**AND WHEREAS** Section 27(1) of the Municipal Act, 2001, S.O. 2001, c. 25, as amended, empowers a municipality to pass by-laws in respect of a highway over which it has jurisdiction;

**AND WHEREAS** Ontario Regulation 239/02, the Minimum Maintenance Standards for Municipal Highways, sets out the minimum standards of repair for highways under municipal jurisdiction for the purpose of Section 44(3)(c) of the Municipal Act, 2001, S.O. 2001, c. 25, as amended.

**AND WHEREAS** substantive amendments have been made to Ontario Regulation 239/02;

**AND WHEREAS** the Council of the Township of Edwardsburgh Cardinal deems it advisable to continue to adhere to Ontario Regulation 239/02 Minimum Maintenance Standards for Municipal Highways.

**NOW THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED** that the Council of the Township of Edwardsburgh/Cardinal enacts as follows:

- 1. That Ontario Regulation 239/02 Minimum Maintenance Standards for Municipal Highways, as amended from time to time, continue to be adopted as the minimum maintenance standards for highways under jurisdiction of the Township of Edwardsburgh Cardinal.
- 2. That delegated authority be granted to the CAO/Clerk and/or Director of Operations to declare a significant weather event and temporary highway closure(s) up to a 24-hour duration when necessary.
- 3. That this by-law shall be referred to as the "Minimum Maintenance Standards for Municipal Highways".
- 4. That this by-law will come into force and effect upon passing.

Read a first and second time in open Council this 23<sup>rd</sup> day of July, 2018.

Read a third and final time, passed, signed and sealed in open Council this 23<sup>rd</sup> day of July, 2018.

Deputy Clerk