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November 8th, 2013

EMAIL ONLY

Honourable Madeleine Meilleur
Minister of Community Safety and Correctional Services

Dear Minister Meilleur,

The attached certified true copy of resolution no. 348-13 was passed during the November 6, 2013 West Grey Council meeting.

The Province of Ontario recently announced an increase in funding to the Ontario Society for the Prevention of Cruelty to Animals (OSPCA) from \$500,000/year to \$5,500,000/year for the enforcement of animal welfare laws.

The Municipality of West Grey Council is requesting the provincial government to provide funding to local Grey-Bruce municipalities to help defray costs incurred for enforcement of animal welfare laws by the respective municipalities as a result of the cessation of operations in mid-2013 by the Bruce Grey branch of the Ontario SPCA.

Very truly yours,

MUNICIPALITY OF WEST GREY

Mark Turner, Hons. B.A., AMCT
Clerk/Acting CAO

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Encl.

Cc: Grey & Bruce County Councils
Local Grey & Bruce County Councils
Bill Walker, M.P.P. Bruce-Grey-Owen Sound
Lisa Thompson, M.P.P. Huron-Bruce



CORPORATION OF THE MUNICIPALITY OF WEST GREY
RESOLUTION

MOVED BY: Bev Cutting NO. 348-13
SECONDED BY: Carol Lawrence SESSION: November 6, 2013

WHEREAS the provincial government recently announced an increase in funding to the Ontario Society for the Prevention of Cruelty to Animals (OSPCA) from \$500,000/year to \$5,500,000/year for the enforcement of animal welfare laws;

AND WHEREAS the Bruce Grey branch of the Ontario SPCA ceased operations in mid-2013 resulting in the downloading of animal welfare law enforcement and associated costs to Bruce-Grey local municipalities;

BE IT RESOLVED THAT, the Council of the Municipality of West Grey hereby petitions the provincial government to provide funding to Bruce-Grey local municipalities to help defray costs for municipal enforcement of animal welfare laws;

AND FURTHER THAT, a copy of this resolution be circulated to the Minister of Community Safety and Correctional Services; Bruce-Grey local municipalities, and local M.P.P.s.

I HEREBY CERTIFY THAT THIS
IS A TRUE COPY DATED AT
WEST GREY
THIS 8 DAY OF November, 2013
[Signature]
JAMES MARK TURNER, CLERK
CORPORATION OF THE MUNICIPALITY OF WEST GREY

CARRIED ✓ DEFEATED

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Mark Rapke
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FOR

AGAINST

DECLARATION OF PECUNIARY INTEREST OR THE GENERAL NATURE THEREOF:
