The Corporation of the City of Kenora

By-law Number 23 - 2021

A By-Law to Authorize the Execution of an Agreement with Business Advisory Centre Durham Inc. (BACD)

Whereas the Northwest Business Centre (NWBC) provides entrepreneurs with guidance for businesses affected by COVID-19 and responding to 100's of small businesses during the COVID-19 emergency and recovery stages of the pandemic; and

Whereas Her Majesty the Queen in Right of Ontario as represented by the Minister of Economic Development, Job Creation and Trade has established the Ontario Together Fund ("OTF") to support Ontario's response to the COVID-19 pandemic; and

Whereas the fund provides conditional funding to the BACD from the OTF through a Conditional Grant Agreement dated October 2, 2020 so that BACD may provide the regional Ontario SBECs such as the NWBC with monies or services so they are able to assist small businesses in responding to the COVID-19 pandemic for a limited term until September 30, 2021; and

Whereas at a Council meeting held on February 16, 2021 authorization was given to enter into an agreement with Business Advisory Centre Durham for this purpose;

Now Therefore the Council of the City of Kenora enacts as follows:

- 1. That authorization is hereby given for the City of Kenora to enter into an agreement with Business Advisory Centre Durham for this funding purpose.
- 2. That the CAO of the Corporation of the City of Kenora is hereby authorized to execute the Agreement on behalf of the City of Kenora in accordance with the terms and conditions set out therein and to affix the Seal of the Corporation thereto.
- 3. That this by-law shall come into force and be in effect from and after the final passing thereof.

By-Law Read a First and Second Time this 16th day of February, 2021 By-Law Read a Third and Final Time this 16th day of February, 2021

The Corporation of the City of Kenora:-

Daniel Reynard, Mayor

Heather L. Pihulak, City Clerk