The Corporation of the City of Kenora

By-law Number 87 - 2024

A By-law to authorize the Execution of an Agreement between the Corporation of the City of Kenora and River North Transit LLC ("Service Provider"), a wholly owned subsidiary of Via Transportation, Inc. ("Via")

Whereas Sections 11 and 69 of the Municipal Act, 2001, as amended, provides that a municipality may provide any service or thing that it considers necessary or desirable for the public, and, may establish, operate and maintain a type of passenger transportation system; and

Whereas the Corporation of the City of Kenora has experienced challenges with the current conventional transit model and directed Administration to explore other transit options; and

Whereas at the April 16, 2024 Regular Council meeting, Council directed Administration to proceed with a new transit model moving to a micro transit on-demand model; and

Whereas a turnkey micro transit model partnership is a managed service to replace our current existing transit service; and

Whereas the Corporation of the City of Kenora has reached an agreement with River North Transit LLC ("Service Provider"), a wholly owned subsidiary of Via Transportation, Inc. ("Via") for a pilot term of thirty-six months;

Now Therefore the Corporation of the City of Kenora hereby enacts as follows:-

- 1. That Council hereby authorizes an agreement with River North Transit LLC ("Service Provider"), a wholly owned subsidiary of Via Transportation, Inc. ("Via") for a term of thirty-six months.
- 2. That the Mayor and Clerk be and are hereby authorized to execute any documents related to this contract.

By-law read a First and Second Time this 18th day of June, 2023

By-law read a Third and Final Time this 18th day of June, 2023

The Corporation of the City of Kenora:
Andrew Poirier, Mayor

Heather L. Pihulak, City Clerk