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March 24, 2014

Premier Kathleen Wynpe

Premier of Ontario and Minister of Agriculture

Legislative Building

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Dear Premier Kathleen Wynne:

RE: Electricity Rate Increases by the Ontario Energy Board

The Council of the Township of Admaston/Bromley discussed the request for support from the Town of Arnprior at their regular Council Meeting held Thursday, March 20th, 2014 and unanimously agreed to support their request by the following resolution:

Moved by: Dirk Rook, seconded by Michael Donohue

BE IT RESOLVED that Council support the resolution dated February 11, 2014 regarding the increased electricity rates from the Town of Amprior.

AND FURTHER that a copy of our support resolution be forwarded to the Premier of Ontario, Minister of Energy and Infrastructure, the Ontario Energy Board, Association of Municipalities of Ontario and MPP John Yakabuski.

"Carried"

Sincerely,

Annette Louis, Clerk-Treasurer

c.c. Minister of Energy and Infrastructure

The Ontario Energy Board

The Ontario Power Authority

Mr. John Yakabuski, MPP Renfrew-Nippissing Pembroke

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Resolution No. 014-040

Moved by:

Councillor Gary French

Seconded by:

Councillor John Hansuld

RE: COUNTY OF RENFREW

TOWN OF ARNPRIOR

INCREASED ELECTRICITY RATES

WHEREAS the Town of Amprior and the County of Renfrew have passed resolutions to petition the Government of Ontario to ensure that electricity rates allow businesses to remain competitive and to ensure that residents' of communities are not overburdened by ever-increasing electricity rates:

NOW THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED that the Township of The Archipelago supports the Town of Amprior and the County of Renfrew in their petition to the Government of Ontario to ensure that electricity rates remain competitive in the short and long-term.

> Regular Meeting of Council March 14th, 2014 **CARRIED**

> > Reeve Peter Ketchum

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March 31, 2014

The Honourable Kathleen Wynne Premier of Ontario Legislative Building Queen's Park Toronto ON M7A 1A1

Dear Premier Wynee:

Re: Increased Electricity Rates

At the regular meeting of Council held on March 14th, 2014, Council passed Resolution No. 014-040, in support of the County of Renfrew, to encourage the Government of Ontario to ensure that electricity rates allow our businesses to remain competitive in a global environment and that the vulnerable residents of our communities are not overburdened by ever-increasing electricity rates.

Yours truly,

Stephen P. Kaegi, AMCT Chief Administrative Officer

Att. Resolution No. 014-040

c.c. Hon. Bob Chiarelli, Minister of Energy Ontario Energy Board County of Renfrew Town of Arnprior

Association of Municipalities of Ontario (AMO)

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February 11, 2014

Kathleen Wynne, Premier Legislative Building Queen's Park Toronto, ON M7A 1A1

Dear Premier Wynne,

Please be advised that Council of the Corporation of the Town of Arnprior, at their meeting held on February 10, 2014, adopted Resolution No. 059-14, as follows:

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Your assistance in ensuring our businesses stay competitive and our residents are not overburdened by ever-increasing electricity rates is greatly appreciated.

Respectfully,

Maureen Spratt, Clerk

c Minister of Energy and Infrastructure
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ONTARIO ENERGY BOARD

Ontario Energy Board
P.O. Box 2319
2300 Yonge Street
Toronto, Ontario, Canada
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RE: Resolution: Electricity Rates

Please be advised that the Township of Ashfield-Colborne-Wawanosh met in regular session March 4, 2014 at which time it was agreed that they would support the attached resolution.

Yours truly,

Mark Becker,

Administrator/Clerk-Treasurer

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Encl.



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February 11, 2014

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February 28, 2014

Premier Kathleen Wynn (by email to: premier@ontario.ca) Legislative Building Oucen's Park Toronto ON M7A 1A1

Dear Premier

At the regular meeting of the Municipality of Bayham Council, held February 20, 2014, a resolution passed by the Town of Amprior regarding ever-increasing electricity rates, a copy of which is attached for case of reference, was received and discussed. As a result, the Council of the Municipality of Bayham confirmed their support of the resolution.

Further, on behalf of the Bayham Council, you Premier Wynne and all members of the Ontario Government are requested to consider the effects that continually increasing electricity rates have on residents, businesses and the economy of Ontario, and to take appropriate steps to help alleviate this burden.

Thank you for your consideration in this matter.

Yours truly Lynda do Aland

Mrs. Lynda Millard

Clerk

Emailed only to:

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February 11, 2014

Kathleen Wynne, Premier Legislative Building Queen's Park Toronto, ON M7A 1A1

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Kathleen Wynne, Premier Legislative Building Queen's Park Toronto, ON M7A 1A1

Dear Premier Wynne,

Please be advised that the Council of the Municipality of Bluewater passed the following motion at their Council meeting on March 3, 2014:

Moved by Councillor Zimmerman, seconded by Councillor Wise that the Council of the Municipality of Bluewater supports resolution No. 059-14 from the Town of Arnprior, regarding increased electricity rates and that staff send Bluewater's support to the Premier of Ontario, the Ontario Energy Board and the Association of Municipalities of Ontario. Carried.

Thank you for your attention to this important matter.

Kind Regards,

Charlene Overholt Deputy-Clerk

(Larlie Ourlos)

CC:

The Ontario Energy Board

Association of Municipalities of Ontario



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February 11, 2014

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(BY E-MAIL)

May 26, 2014

To: Senders of Municipal Resolutions to the Ontario Energy Board ("Board")

All Other Interested Parties

Re: Municipal Resolutions

Hydro One Networks Inc. Custom IR Application

Board File Number EB-2013-0416

Since February 2014, the Board has received 41 Municipal Resolutions and related correspondence with respect to electricity rate increases from municipal councils that represent consumers in Hydro One Networks Inc. ("HONI") service territory.

Currently before the Board is HONI's distribution rates proceeding (Board File No. EB-2013-0416), which was filed as a Custom Incentive Regulation application under the Board's new *Renewed Regulatory Framework for Electricity Distributors*. Consistent with the Board's focus on consumers, all Municipal Resolutions from councils whose municipalities are at least partially served by HONI will be placed on the record of HONI's distribution rates proceeding.

Yours truly,

Original Signed By

Kirsten Walli Board Secretary

c: Municipalities

Encl.: Municipal Resolution Letters



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March 6, 2014

The Honourable Kathleen Wynne, Premier of Ontario Legislative Building, Queen's Park Toronto, Ontario

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Dear Madam:

Re:

Electricity Rates

Resolution of the Town of Amprior

Please be advised that the Council of the Township of Brock, at their meeting held on March 3, 2014, endorsed the Town of Arnprior's resolution of February 10, 2014, with respect to increased electricity rates, a copy of which is enclosed.

Should you have any questions please do not hesitate to contact the undersigned.

Yours truly,

THE TOWNSHIP OF BROCK

Thomas G. Gettinby, MA, MCIP, RPP, CMO

CAO & Municipal Clerk

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cc:

Ministry of Energy

Ontario Energy Board / Ontario Power Authority

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Durham Region Municipalities

Ms. Laurie Scott, MPP Haliburton-Kawartha Lakes-Brock

Mr. Joe Dickson, MPP Ajax-Pickering

Ms. Tracy MacCharles, MPP Pickering-Scarborough East

Ms. Christine Elliott, MPP Whitby-Ajax Mr. Jerry Ouellette, MPP Oshawa

Mr. John O'Toole, MPP Durham



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Municipality of Central Huron

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ONTARIO ENERGY BOARD

ATTENTION: MAUREEN SPRATT

CLERK

Dear Ms. Spratt;

RE: ARNPRIOR RESOLUTION NO. 059-14

Please be advised that Council, at their March 3rd, 2014 regular meeting, passed the following resolution:

"That the Council of the Municipality of Central Huron supports the resolution from the Town of Arnprior urging the Government of Ontario and the Ontario Energy Board not to approve any further rate increases for electricity."

Yours truly,

Brenda MacIsaac, Clerk

Municipality of Central Huron

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519-482-3997 Ext. 1223

c. Hon. Kathleen Wynne, Premier of Ontario Hon. Bob Chiarelli, Minister of Energy

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February 11, 2014

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CORPORATION OF THE TOWNSHIP OF CHAPPLE

P.O. Box 4

BARWICK, ONTARIO POW 1A0 Phone 807-487-2354 Fux 807-487-2406

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CC: MAX

March 14, 2014

Kathleen Wynne, Premier

Legislative Building Queen's Park

Toronto, Ontario

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ONTARIO ENERGY BOARD

Dear Premier Wynne:

Please be advised that at the regular meeting of Council for the Corporation of the Township of Chapple on March 11, 2014 the following resolution was duly approved and passed:

"That the Township of Chapple support the Town of Arnprior to request the Government of Ontario ensure electricity rates both in the short and long-term remain competitive in a global environment and ensure vulnerable residents in our community are not over-burdened with ever-increasing electricity rates."

The Township of Chapple encourages the Government of Ontario to not approve any further rate increases for electricity. Our area's high electricity rates not only deter commercial and industrial development, but create much hardship for our low and fixed income residents.

Thank you very much for your assistance in this matter.

Sincerely,

Peggy Johnson, CMO CAO/Clerk Treasurer

cc. Minister of Energy and Infrastructure

Ontario Energy Board
Ontario Power Authority

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Sarah Campbell, MPP



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Corporation of the Township of Chisholm

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> Leo Jobin, Mayor Linda M. Ringler, Clerk-Treasurer

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Premier Kathleen Wynne

Legislative Building

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Dear Premier Wynne:

The Council of the Corporation of the Township of Chisholm at its February 27th, 2014 meeting passed Resolution 2014-75 supporting Resolution 059-14 from the Town of Arnprior.

This resolution, copy enclosed, is urging the Government of Ontario to ensure that electricity rates both in the short and long-term will allow businesses to remain competitive in a global environment and ensure that the vulnerable residents of our communities are not overburdened by ever-increasing electricity rates. This resolution is also urging the Ontario Energy Board not to approve any further rate increases for electricity.

Council hopes you will take this resolution under serious consideration Premier Wynne and give it your utmost careful thought and deliberation in the interest of the residents of Ontario.

Respectfully

LMR/al Enc.

cc:

Ontario Energy Board

Vic Fedeli, MPP - Nipissing

THE CORPORATION OF THE TOWNSHIP OF CHISHOLM

2847 Chiswick Line, R.R. # 4, Powassan, Ontario, P0H IZ0

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February 11, 2014

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February 25, 2014.

Honourable Kathleen Winne Premier of Ontario, Legislative Building, Room 281, Queen's Park, Toronto, Ontario, M7A 1A1. CC MAA CR

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ONTARIO ENERGY BOARD

Dear Premier Wynne:

The Council of The Corporation of the Township of Coleman passed the following resolution for your consideration:

WHEREAS increased electricity rates are challenging for the economic competitiveness of the Township of Coleman and its residents:

AND WHEREAS the Township of Coleman encourages the Government of Ontario to not approve any further rate increases for electricity;

AND WHEREAS it is estimated that electricity costs will increase by approximately 50% within the next five years which will negatively affect industry and consumers across the municipality; **BE IT RESOLVED THAT** the Council of The Corporation of the Township of Coleman fully supports the Town of Amprior's request that the Government of Ontario ensures that electricity rates both in the short and long-term, allow our businesses to remain competitive in a global environment and ensure that the vulnerable residents of our communities are not overburdened by ever-increasing electricity rates.

Yours truly, / adnie Stadow

Claire Bigelow,

Clerk-Treasurer.

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Hon. Kathleen Wynne
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WINTARIO ENERGY BOARD

Honorable Premier of Ontario:

Please find enclosed herewith certified resolutions no. 2014-046 which is self-explanatory.

Hoping this is to your satisfaction, I remain.

Yours truly,

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Denis Dorval

Clerk-Treasurer

C.C. Ms Rosemarie T. Leclaire, Chair & CEO Ontario Energy Board Hon. Bob Chiarelli, Minister of Energy Gilles Bisson, MPP, Timmins-James Bay

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RESOLUTION NO 2014-046

MOVED BY:

MRS. ALINE DALLAIRE

SECONDED BY:

MR. GHISLAIN DOSTIE

RESOLVED:

WHEREAS, ELECTRICITY RATES HAVE INCREASED AGAIN THIS YEAR AND ACCORDING TO THE ONTARIO GOVERNMENT'S PLAN, WILL CONTINUE TO INCREASE FOR MANY MORE

YEARS TO COME.

AND WHEREAS, ELECTRICITY RATE INCREASES HAS A DIRECT NEGATIVE IMPACT ON THE PROVINCIAL ECONOMY, FIXED INCOME RECIPIENTS AND THE MOST VULNERABLE RESIDENTS OF OUR COMMUNITIES.

AND WHEREAS, THE ONTARIO GOVERNMENT SEEMS TO WANT TO CLOSE THE GAP BETWEEN HYDRO ONE NETWORKS' OPERATING, GENERATING AND SERVICE DELIVERY COSTS BY INCREASING RATES TO CONSUMERS.

AND WHEREAS, CONSUMERS ARE ALSO BEING ASKED TO CHANGE THEIR CONSUMPTION HABITS TO NON-PEAK TIMES AND INVEST IN ENERGY EFFICIENT APPLIANCES AND OTHER HOME NECESSITIES, TO CONSERVE ENERGY,

AND WHEREAS, HYDRO ONE NETWORKS INC. MUST ALSO TAKE ALL NECESSARY MEASURERS TO REDUCE THEIR OPERATING, GENERATION, TRANSPORTATION AND SERVICE DELIVERY COST.

THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED THAT COUNCIL OF THE TOWNSHIP OF OPASATIKA REQUESTS IN THE STRONGEST POSSIBLE WAY ON THE PREMIER AND THE ONTARIO GOVERNMENT TO REDUCE REQUIRE HYDRO ONE NETWORKS INC. TO THEIR OPERATING, GENERATION, TRANSPORTATION AND SERVICE DELIVERY COSTS TO THE MAXIMUM.

AND BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED THAT THE PREMIER, THE ONTARIO GOVERNMENT AND THE ONTARIO ENERGY BOARD TAKE IMMEDIATE ACTION TO PREVENT ANY FURTHER ELECTRICITY RATE INCREASES FROM BEING IMPLEMENTED, UNTIL SIGNIFICANT COST REDUCTIONS HAS BEEN ATTAINED BY HYDRO ONE NETWORKS INC.

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I, DENIS DORVAL, Clerk-Treasurer for the Corporation of the Township of Opasatika do hereby certify that this document is a true copy of Resolution no. 2014-046 as shown by the minutes of Council as of this 26^{TH} day of March, 2014.

Denis Dorval

Clerk-Treasurer

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ONTARIO ENERGY BOARD

February 28, 2014

ONTARIO ENERGY BOARD P.O. Box 2210

2300 Yonge Street Toronto, Ontario, Canada M4P 1E4

CC: MAK TA CB

RE: PETITION - HYDRO ONE RATE INCREASES

Dear Sirs:

We wish to advise that at the regular meeting of the Council of the City of Elliot Lake held Monday, February 24, 2014, the following resolution was passed requesting that the government take action to address the rising costs of insurance premiums for municipalities due to the joint and several liability:

RESOLUTION 86/14

"Whereas the Council of the City of Elliot Lake recognizes that increased electricity rates are challenging for the economic competitiveness of the City and its residents;

And whereas the Council encourages the Government of Ontario to ensure that our electricity rates both in the short and long-term, allow our businesses to remain competitive in a global environment and ensure that the vulnerable residents of our communities are not overburdened by ever-increasing electricity rates;

And whereas the Council encourages the Government of Ontario to not approve any further rate increases for electricity;

And whereas it is estimated that electricity costs will increase by approximately 50% within the next five years;

And whereas an increase in electricity rates by the Ontario Energy Board will exacerbate an existing problem for industry and consumers with low or fixed incomes in Elliot Lake;

Therefore be it resolved that the City of Elliot Lake urges in the strongest possible way, that the Government of Ontario ensures that electricity rates both in the short and long-term, allow our businesses to remain competitive in a global environment and ensure that the vulnerable residents of our communities are not overburdened by ever-increasing electricity rates;



And further that this resolution be sent to the Premier of Ontario, the Minister of Energy and Infrastructure, the Ontario Energy Board, the Ontario Power Authority, Association of Municipalities of Ontario and the MPP for Algoma- Manitoulin. "

Thank you for your attention to this matter.

Sincerely,

Lesley Sprague, CMO (A)

City Clerk

C. Premier Kathleen Wynne Ontario Power Authority Association of Municipalities of Ontario Mike Mantha, MPP, Algoma-Manitoulin Phone: 705-544-2244

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ONTARIO ENERGY BOARD

P.O. Box 399 Englehart, Ontario POJ 1H0

February 25, 2014

Ontario Energy Board P.O. Box 2319 2300 Yonge Street Toronto, ON M4P 1E4

Dear Sir/Madam,

On February 24, 2014, Town of Englehart Council passed a resolution supporting the Town of Arnprior's resolution regarding the increase in electricity rates.

Included with this letter is a signed, sealed, and true copy of the resolution.

Sincerely,

Brittany Ronald Town of Englehart

Administrative Assistant

B. Ronald

cc. Town of Arnprior

Minister of Energy and Infrastructure

Ontario Energy Board

THE CORPORATION OF THE TOWN OF ENGLEHART NO.: COU2-14-02- 07 DATE: February 24, 2014 That the Town of Englehart supports the Town of Arnprior's resolution No. 059-14 regarding the increase in electricity rates. And further that a copy of this resolution be forwarded to the Town of Arnprior and the Minister of Energy and Infrastructure. DEFEATED [CARRIED SIGNATURE: \(\(\frac{1}{2}\) **DIVISION VOTE** F Α Α Councillor D. Metson Councillor Wood-Wheeldon Councillor P. Brassard Councillor D. Peplinski Councillor T. Wilson Counillor J. deLeeuw Mayor N. Wallace Total **DECLARATION OF CONFLICT OF INTEREST** Disclosed his/her/their interest, abstained from discussion and did not vote on the

question.

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The Honourable Kathleen Wynne Premier of Ontario Legislative Building - Room 281 Queen's Park Toronto, Ontario M7A 1A1

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Mrs Wynne

Re: Electricity Rates Increases

Enclosed please find a true copy of Council's resolution requesting that immediate action be taken to prevent further rate increases.

Sincerely yours

Robert Courchesne

Clerk Treasurer Administrator

CC

Ms Rosemarie T Leclair, OEB Hon. Bob Chiarelli, MoE Mr. Gilles Bisson, MPP Town of Arnprior





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Whereas, electricity rates have increased again this year and according to the Ontario government's plan, will continue to increase for many more years to come,

And Whereas, electricity rate increases have a direct negative impact on the provincial economy, fixed income recipients and the most vulnerable residents of our communities,

And Whereas, the Ontario government seems to want to close the gap between Hydro One Networks' operating, generating and service delivery costs by solely increasing rates to consumers,

And Whereas, consumers are also being asked to change their consumption habits to non-peak times, and invest in energy efficient appliances and other home necessities, to conserve energy,

And Whereas, Hydro One Networks Inc. must also take all necessary measures to reduce their operating, generation, transportation and service delivery costs.

Therefore be it resolved, that Council of the Township of Fauquier-Strickland requests in the strongest possible way on the Premier and the Ontario government to require Hydro One Netwroks Inc. to reduce their operating, generation, transportation and service delivery costs to the maximum.

And be it further resolved, that the Premier, the Ontario government and the Ontario Energy Board take immediate action to prevent any further electricity rate increases from being implemented, until significant cost reductions has been attained by Hydro One Networks Inc.

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April 29, 2014.

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TORONTO, ON
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Dear Hon. Wynne:

Please find enclosed a copy of Resolution #2014-071, passed in open meeting April 16th, 2014, of the Council of the Township of Hilliard.

The Council of the Township of Hilliard joins with Amprior in petitioning the Ontario Government to control escalating Ontario Hydro rates which are detrimental to business and industry in the Province of Ontario.

Your assistance would be appreciated.

Yours truly,

Reeve & Council, Township of Hilliard.

/jg Encl.

c.c. - Hon. Bob Chiarelli, Minister of Energy Ontario Energy Board Ontario Power Authority Hon. John Vanthof, MPP Town of Arnprior

TOWNSHIP OF HILLIARD

Resolution # 2014-071

Date: April 16, 2014

Moved by:_

THAT we, the Council of the Corporation of the Township of Hilliard, support the attached resolution #059-14, dated February 10, 2014, of the Council of the Corporation of the Town of Arnprior; and

FURTHER THAT a copy of this resolution be forwarded to Premier Kathleen Wynne, Minister of Energy and Infrastructure, Ontario Energy Board, Ontario Power Authority, John Vanthof, MPP for Cochrane Timiskaming and the Town of Amprior.

Councillor	For	Against
Carson, Morgan		
Posch, Bruce	V	
Laframboise, Maurice	V	
Tremblay, Metthew	1	
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Please be advised that Council of the Corporation of the Town of Amprior, at their meeting held on February 10, 2014, adopted Resolution No. 059-14, as follows:

"WHEREAS the Council of the Corporation of the Town of Amprior recognizes that increased electricity rates are challenging for the economic competitiveness of the Town of Amprior and its residents;

AND WHEREAS the County of Renfrew passed a resolution on November 27, 2013 encouraging the Government of Ontario to ensure that our electricity rates both in the short and long-term, allow our businesses to remain competitive in a global environment and ensure that the vulnerable residents of our communities are not overburdened by ever-increasing electricity rates;

AND WHEREAS the Council of the Corporation of the Town of Amprior supports the County of Renfrew in its attempt to encourage the Government of Ontario to not approve any further rate increases for electricity;

AND WHEREAS it is estimated that electricity costs will increase by approximately 50% within the next five years;

AND WHEREAS an increase in electricity rates by the Ontario Energy Board will exacerbate an existing problem for industry and consumers with low or fixed incomes in Amprior;

THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED THAT the Town of Arnprior urges in the strongest possible way that the Government of Ontario ensures that electricity rates both in the short and long-term, allow our businesses to remain competitive in a global environment and ensure that the vulnerable residents of our communities are not overburdened by ever-increasing electricity rates;

AND FURTHER BE IT RESOLVED THAT this resolution be sent to the Premier of Ontario, the Minister of Energy and Infrastructure, the Ontario Energy Board, the Ontario Power Authority, Associations of Municipalities (AMO), MPP John Yakabuski, Ontario Municipalities and Local Municipalities in Renfrew County for support.

AND FURTHER BE IT RESOLVED THAT the Town of Amprior urges the Ontario Energy Board in the strongest possible way not to approve any further rate increases for electricity."



The Corporation of the Township of Howick

Municipal Office 44816 Harriston Road P.O. Box 89 Gorrie, ON NOG 1X0

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Kathleen Wynne, Premier,
Legislative Building,
Queen's Park,
Toronto, ON M7A 1A1

Dear Premier Wynne:

The Council of the Corporation of the Township of Howick at their regular Council meeting on February 18th, 2014 agreed to support the Resolution from the Town of Arnprior as it relates to encouraging the Government of Ontario to not approve any further rate increases for electricity.

The Council of the Township of Howick respectfully urges your support to ensure that electricity rates both in the short and long-term, allow businesses to remain competitive in a global environment and ensure that the vulnerable residents in our communities are not overburdened by ever-increasing rates.

I have enclosed a copy of the Resolution from the Town of Arnprior for your information.

Sincerely,

Recording Secretary,
The Township of Howick

Enclosure.

c.c. Minister of Energy and Infrastructure

Ontario Energy Board
Ontario Power Authority

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Lisa Thompson, MPP Huron-Bruce



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February 11, 2014

Kathleen Wynne, Premier Legislative Building Queen's Park Toronto, ON M7A 1A1

Dear Premier Wynne,

Please be advised that Council of the Corporation of the Town of Amprior, at their meeting held on February 10, 2014, adopted Resolution No. 059-14, as follows:

"WHEREAS the Council of the Corporation of the Town of Amprior recognizes that increased electricity rates are challenging for the economic competitiveness of the Town of Amprior and its residents;

AND WHEREAS the County of Renfrew passed a resolution on November 27, 2013 encouraging the Government of Ontario to ensure that our electricity rates both in the short and long-term, allow our businesses to remain competitive in a global environment and ensure that the vulnerable residents of our communities are not overburdened by ever-increasing electricity rates;

AND WHEREAS the Council of the Corporation of the Town of Amprior supports the County of Renfrew in its attempt to encourage the Government of Ontario to not approve any further rate increases for electricity;

AND WHEREAS it is estimated that electricity costs will increase by approximately 50% within the next five years;

AND WHEREAS an increase in electricity rates by the Ontario Energy Board will exacerbate an existing problem for industry and consumers with low or fixed incomes in Amprior; File: General Correspondence 2014



The Corporation of the Township of Huron-Kinloss

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ONTARIO ENERGY BOARD

March 24th, 2014

The Honourable Kathleen Wynne, Premier Legislative Building Queen's Park

Dear Madam,

Copy of Resolution # 72

Toronto ON M7A 1A1

Please find below a copy of the resolution adopted by the Township of Huron-Kinloss Council at its March 17th, 2014 session.

Moved by Murray Seconded By Hanna

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WHEREAS the Council for the Township of Huron-Kinloss recognizes that increased electricity rates are challenging for the economic competitiveness of its residents; and

WHEREAS it is estimated that electricity costs will increase by approximately 50% within the next five years; and

WHEREAS an increase in electricity rates by the Ontario Energy Board will exacerbate an existing problem for industry and consumers with low or fixed incomes:

NOW THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED THAT Huron-Kinloss Township Council hereby endorses the resolution of the Town of Arnprior and urges that the Government of Ontario ensures that electricity rates in both the short and long-term, allow our businesses to remain competitive in a global environment and ensure that the vulnerable residents of our communities are not overburdened by ever-increasing electricity rates; and

FURTHER BE IT RESOLVED THAT the Township of Huron-Kinloss urges the Ontario Energy Board not to approve any further rate increases for electricity. Sincerely,

Joanna MoloH Sonya Watson Clerk

Township of Huron-Kinloss

cc: Honourable Bob Chiarelli, Minister of Energy Ontario Energy Board Association of Municipalities of Ontario Town of Arnprior

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14 March, 2014

Kathleen Wynne, Premier 21/3/12 Legislative Building Queen's Park Toronto, ON M7A 1A1

Dear Premier Wynne,

Please be advised that Council of the Corporation of the County of Huron passed the following motion at the Fourth Session of Council on March 5, 2014:

The Council of the County of Huron supports the following resolution from the Town of Arnprior:

WHEREAS the Council of the Corporation of the Town of Arnprior recognizes that increased electricity rates are challenging for the economic competitiveness of the Town of Arnprior and its residents;

AND WHEREAS the County of Renfrew passed a resolution on November 27, 2013 encouraging the Government of Ontario to ensure that our electricity rates both in the short and long-term, allow our businesses to remain competitive in a global environment and ensure that the vulnerable residents of our communities are not overburdened by ever-increasing electricity rates;

AND WHEREAS the Council of the Corporation of the Town of Arnprior supports the County of Renfrew in its attempt to encourage the Government of Ontario to not approve any further rate increases for electricity;

AND WHEREAS it is estimated that electricity costs will increase by approximately 50% within the next five years;

AND WHEREAS an increase in electricity rates by the Ontario Energy Board will exacerbate an existing problem for industry and consumers with low or fixed incomes in Arnprior;

THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED THAT the Town of Arnprior urges in the strongest possible way that the Government of Ontario ensures that electricity rates both in the short and long-term, allow our businesses to remain competitive in a global environment and



ensure that the vulnerable residents of our communities are not overburdened by everincreasing electricity rates;

AND FURTHER BE IT RESOLVED THAT this resolution be sent to the Premier of Ontario, the Minister of Energy and Infrastructure, the Ontario Energy Board, the Ontario Power Authority, Associations of Municipalities (AMO), MPP John Yakabuski, Ontario Municipalities and Local Municipalities in Renfrew County for support.

AND FURTHER BE IT RESOLVED THAT the Town of Arnprior urges the Ontario Energy Board in the strongest possible way not to approve any further rate increases for electricity.

Sincerely,

Joe Steffler Warden

cc - Minister of Energy and Infrastructure Ontario Energy Board Ontario Power Authority AMO Huron Bruce MPP Lisa Thompson



The Corporation of the

Township of Ignace

34 Highway 17 West P.O. Box 248 Ignace, ON POT 1TO

February 27, 2014

RESOLUTION # 105/2014				
Moved By:	y Mase	Seconded By:	we)
WHEREAS	electricity rates are challenging for the economic competitiveness of the Township of			
	Ignace and its residents;			
WHEREAS	are not overburdened by ever-increasing electricity rates; the Council of the Corporation of the Township of Ignace supports the Town of Amprior and the County of Renfrew in its attempt to encourage the Government of Ontario to not approve any further rate increases for electricity;			
WHEREAS	it is estimated that electricity costs		% within	the next
WHEREAS	five years; an increase in electricity rates by the Ontario Energy Board will exacerbate an existing problem for industry and consumers with low or fixed incomes in Ignace; RE BE IT RESOLVED THAT			
the Township of Ignace urges in the strongest possible way that the Government of Ontario ensures that electricity rates both in the short and long-term, allow our businesse to remain competitive in a global environment and ensure that the vulnerable residents o our communities are not overburdened by ever-increasing electricity rates;				businesses
AND FURTHER BE IT RESOLVED THAT this resolution be sent to the Premier of Ontario, the Minister of Energy and Infrastructure, the Ontario Energy Board, the Ontario Power Authority, Associations of Municipalities (AMO), MPP John Yakabuski, Ontario Municipalities and Local Municipalities in Renfrew County for support.				
AND FURTHER BE IT RESOLVED THAT the Township of Ignace urges the Ontario Energy Board in the strongest possible way not to approve any further rate increases for electricity. MAYOR			le way not	
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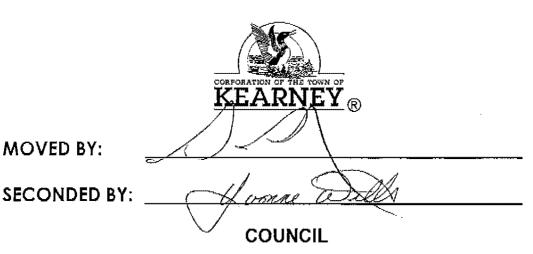
FROM: Beth Bridge, Office Assistant I

DATE: February 25, 2014

RE: Increased Electricity Rates

The attached resolution was passed at the February 21, 2014 Council meeting for the Corporation of the Town of Kearney.





WHEREAS the Council of the Corporation of the Town of Kearney recognizes that increased electricity rates are challenging for the economic competitiveness of the Town of Kearney and its residents;

AND WHEREAS it is estimated that electricity costs will increase by approximately 50% within the next five years;

AND WHEREAS an increase in electricity rates by the Ontario Energy Board will exacerbate an existing problem consumers with low or fixed incomes in Kearney are facing;

THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED THAT the Corporation of the Town of Kearney requests that the Government of Ontario ensures that electricity rates both in the short and long-term, allow our businesses to remain competitive in a global environment and that the vulnerable residents of our communities are not overburdened by ever-increasing electricity rates;

AND FURTHER BE IT RESOLVED THAT this resolution be sent to the Premier of Ontario, the Minister of Energy and Infrastructure, the Ontario Energy Board, the Ontario Power Authority, and the Association of Municipalities of Ontario (AMO);

AND FURTHER BE IT RESOLVED THAT the Corporation of the Town of Kearney requests that the Ontario Energy Board not approve any further rate increases for electricity until specific action plans are put in place to reduce the cost structure for Hydro One and the Ontario Ombudsman report on service and billing issues is tabled and addressed.

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		LOUISE WADSWORTH		RES NO.:	11(h)(iii)/21/02/2014



March 4, 2014 Regular Meeting of Council

Moved By: Must. A. B.
Seconded By:
That Council supports the Town of Arnprior in its attempts to encourage the Government of Ontario to ensure that electricity rates both in the short and long-term, stay competitive and that he Ontario Energy Board not approve any further rate increases for electricity.
approved:

MAYOR