Bill No. 221 2024

By-law No. CP-24-24

A by-law to amend By-law No. CP-24, being "A by-law to provide standards for the maintenance and occupancy of property and to repeal By-law CP-16" to repeal Schedule "A" and amend s.7.2.

WHEREAS section 5(3) of the *Municipal Act, 2001*, S.O. 2001, C.25, as amended, provides that a municipal power shall be exercised by by-law;

AND WHEREAS the Official Plan for the City of London includes provisions relating to conditions of maintenance and occupancy of properties;

AND WHEREAS section 15.1 of the *Building Code Act* provides that the Council may pass a by-law with respect to prescribing standards for the maintenance and occupancy of property, and requiring property that does not conform with the standards to be repaired and maintained with the standards on the site to be cleared of all buildings, structures, debris or refuse and left in graded and levelled condition;

AND WHEREAS the Municipal Council on May 25, 2021, passed By-law No. CP-24, being "A by-law to provide standards for the maintenance and occupancy of property and to repeal By-law CP-16;"

AND WHEREAS the Municipal Council deems it appropriate to amend Bylaw No. CP-24 with respect to the appointments of Hearings Officers to the Property Standards Committee;

NOW THEREFORE the Municipal Council of The Corporation of the City of London hereby enacts as follows:

- 1. That Schedule "A" to By-law No. CP-24 be repealed.
- 2. That Section 7.2 of By-law No. CP-24 be amended in its entirety to read as follows: "The Committee may organize itself into panels of no less than three persons to adjudicate matters. The Committee members appointed to the Committee are those Hearings Officers appointed by Council and Committee members shall remain in office at the pleasure of Council."
- 3. This by-law comes into force and effect on the day it is passed subject to the provisions of PART VI.1 of the *Municipal Act, 2001*.

PASSED in Open Council on June 25, 2024 subject to the provisions of PART VI.1 of the *Municipal Act*, 2001.

Josh Morgan Mayor

Michael Schulthess City Clerk