

Bill No. 453
2013

By-law No. A.-_____

A By-law to approve the Ontario Funding Amending Agreement for the enhancement of the London and Middlesex Immigration Portal with Her Majesty the Queen in Right of Ontario as represented by the Minister of Citizenship and Immigration; and to authorize the Mayor and the City Clerk to execute the Amending Agreement.

WHEREAS section 9 of the *Municipal Act, 2001* provides that a municipality has the capacity, rights, powers and privileges of a natural person for the purpose of exercising its authority under this or any other Act;

AND WHEREAS section 8 provides that the powers of a municipality shall be interpreted broadly so as to confer broad authority on the municipality to enable it to govern its affairs as it considers appropriate and to enhance its ability to respond to municipal issues;

AND WHEREAS subsection 10(1) of the *Municipal Act, 2001* provides that a municipality may provide any service or thing that the municipality considers necessary or desirable for the public;

AND WHEREAS subsection 10(2) of the *Municipal Act, 2001* provides that a municipality may pass by-laws respecting: 5. Economic, social and environmental well-being of the municipality; 7. Services and things that the municipality is authorized to provide under subsection (1);

AND WHEREAS section 22 of the *Municipal Act, 2001* provides that a municipality may provide a system that it would otherwise not have power to provide within the municipality if it does so in accordance with an agreement with the Province of Ontario under a program established and administered by the Province of Ontario;

AND WHEREAS subsection 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;

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

1. The amending agreement to be entered into between The Corporation of the City of London and Her Majesty the Queen in Right of Ontario, for the provision of the Ontario Funding Agreement for the enhancement of the London and Middlesex Immigration Portal, attached as Schedule "1" to this By-law, is approved.
2. The Mayor and the City Clerk are authorized to execute the amending agreement approved under section 1 above.
3. This by-law shall come into force and effect on the day it is passed.

PASSED in Open Council on November 19, 2013.

Joe Fontana
Mayor

Catharine Saunders
City Clerk

First reading – November 19, 2013
Second reading – November 19, 2013
Third reading – November 19, 2013