Bill No. 248
2013

By-law No. A.-6853()-____

A by-law to amend the Telecommunication Facilities Consultation Policy for the City of London.

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;

AND 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 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: in paragraph 5, Economic, social and environmental well-being of the municipality; in paragraph 6, Health, safety and well-being of persons; in paragraph 10, Structures, including fences and signs;

AND WHEREAS Municipal Council has deemed that in the previous by-law A.-6853-243 it is in the public interest to provide for a public consultation process for the purpose of providing comments to Industry Canada in connection with its approval process for proposed telecommunications facilities;

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

- 1. The Telecommunication Facilities Consultation Policy is amended as <u>attached</u> on Schedule 1 to exempt amateur radio antenna support structures.
- 2. This by-law shall come into force and effect on the date it is passed.

PASSED in Open Council on June 11, 2013.

Joe Fontana Mayor

Catharine Saunders City Clerk

SCHEDULE 1

THE AMENDMENT

Section 3 - Public Consultation Process

3.1 Exemptions to the City of London Municipal Concurrence and Public Consultation Process

- 8. Amateur radio antenna support structures in residential areas provided:
 - a. They are strictly for personal use;
 - b. The antenna boom or other appurtenances attached to the antenna are more than 1 metre from any property line;
 - c. No structure is placed in a front yard; and,
 - d. The antenna and associated equipment is less than 16.6 metres (54.5 ft.) in height.