



January 15, 2025

BY EMAIL

Honourable Doug Ford
Premier of Ontario
Legislative Building, Queen's Park
Toronto, ON M7A 1A1
Email: premier@ontario.ca

Re: OPP Annual Billing Statement

At its Regular Council Meeting held on December 2, 2024, Council supported the enclosed correspondence from Clearview Township, Municipality of Leamington and the Town of Petrolia requesting provincial assistance to offset the Ontario Provincial Police (OPP) Detachment billing increase. Council thanked the Government of Ontario for listening to their concerns and acknowledged the provincial government's support in proposing to provide financial relief to small and rural municipalities in Ontario by offsetting the 2025 impacts of the OPP salary increases.

Council accordingly passed the following resolution:

R24-12-546

Moved By Mayor Bondy
Seconded By Councillor Matyi

That the correspondence from Clearview Township, the Municipality of Leamington and the Town of Petrolia regarding the Ontario Provincial Police (OPP) Annual Billing Statement be received and supported; and

That a letter be sent to the Honourable Doug Ford, Premier of Ontario, and Anthony Leardi, Member of Provincial Parliament for Essex, thanking the Government of Ontario for proposing to provide financial relief to small and rural municipalities in Ontario by offsetting the 2025 impacts of the OPP salary increases.



Carried

We trust you will find this satisfactory. If you have any questions or comments, please feel free to contact the undersigned.

Yours truly,

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read "J. Malandrucolo".

Joseph Malandrucolo
Director, Legal and Legislative Services/Clerk

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Enclosure

cc: Anthony Leardi, Member of Provincial Parliament for Essex,