



**THE CORPORATION
OF
THE TOWN OF HALTON HILLS**

Resolution No.:

Title: Fire Protection Grant

Date: April 14, 2025

Moved by: Councillor A. Hilson

Seconded by: Councillor J. Brass

Item No.

WHEREAS the Ministry of the Solicitor General announced the Fire Protection grant program in 2024 to target cancer prevention equipment, supplies, personal protective equipment and minor infrastructure changes;

AND WHEREAS the Halton Hills Fire Department (HHFD) submitted an application for the purchase of a Self Contained Breathing Apparatus (SCBA) decontamination unit which is capable of cleaning and decontaminating equipment thereby reducing firefighter exposure to harmful chemicals and by-products of combustion known to cause cancer;

AND WHEREAS in February 2025, staff were awarded a grant in the amount of \$24,691.35;

AND WHEREAS in March, 2025 staff were provided an additional \$361.73 for a grand total of \$25,053.08 to put towards the purchase of this equipment;

AND WHEREAS the total cost of the project is \$40,748.93, less the grant funds received leaves a balance of \$15,695.85 to be funded through the Fire Department Capital equipment reserve;

AND WHEREAS as part of the process to receive the funds a formal resolution from Council is required;

NOW THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED that Council for the Town of Halton Hills fully supports the funding received for the Fire Protection Grant including the additional \$361.73 awarded in March, 2025;

AND FURTHER THAT Council approve the total project cost of \$40,748.93 with the remaining funds coming from the Fire Department Capital equipment reserve fund.

Mayor Ann Lawlor