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RESOLUTION NO. 2023 - 1212	
Moved by: Jon Aric	
Seconded by: Bright	

APRIL 12 2023

**BE IT RESOLVED THAT** the Council of the Municipality of Magnetawan endorses and supports item 4.1 Municipality of Chatham-Kent 'Support Bill 5 Stopping Harassment and Abuse by Local Leaders Act';

**AND FURTHER THAT** this resolution be circulated to the Honourable Doug Ford, Premier of Ontario; the Honourable Steve Clark, Minister of Municipal Affairs and Housing; the Honourable Stephen Blais, and Local MPPs.

Carried 1 \_ Defeated\_\_\_\_ Deferred

Sam Dunnett, Mayor

Recorded Vote Called by: \_\_\_\_\_

Recorded Vote

Member of Council	Yea	Nay	Absent
Bishop, Bill			
Hetherington, John			1
Hind, Jon			
Kneller, Brad	1		
Mayor: Dunnett, Sam			



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March 6, 2023

To All Ontario Municipalities

## **Resolution re Reducing Municipal Insurance Costs**

Please be advised the Council of the Municipality of Chatham-Kent, at its regular meeting held on March 6, 2023 passed the following resolution:

"Whereas Chatham-Kent has faced multiple double digit increases to insurance premiums over the past years;

And Whereas the costs on insurance are having a significant impact on municipal budgets in Chatham-Kent and around the Province;

Now Therefore, Council direct administration to engage with other municipalities, the Association of Municipalities of Ontario, and any other relevant municipal associations, to determine what tools may be available to reduce insurance costs, including cooperative purchasing of insurance, creation of a municipal reciprocal insurance provider, or legislative changes to address insurance costs to municipalities.

And administration report back to Council regarding the result of this engagement and any recommended Council resolutions to support improvements to municipal insurance in Ontario.

Further that administration be directed to forward this motion to all other municipalities in Ontario seeking support and collaboration on this issue."

If you have any questions or comments, please contact Judy Smith at <a href="https://ckeirk@chatham-kent.ca">ckeirk@chatham-kent.ca</a>

Sincerely,

Judy Smith, CMO Director Municipal Governance/Clerk

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