

THE CORPORATION OF THE TOWNSHIP OF ESSA

BY-LAW NO. 2009 - 16

Being a By-law to Regulate the Placement of Donation Boxes in the Township of Essa

WHEREAS Section 391(1) of the *Municipal Act 2001*, S.O. 2001, c.M.25, as amended, permits a municipality to pass By-laws imposing fees or charges on persons for services or activities provided or done by or on behalf of it; for costs payable by it for services or activities provided or done by or on behalf of any other municipality or local board; and for the use of its property including property under its control; and

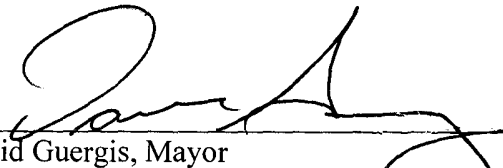
WHEREAS the *Municipal Act 2001*, S.O. 2001, states that a municipality may pass by-laws imposing fees or charges on any class of persons for the use of its property and property under its control, including property covered by a service agreement; and

WHEREAS the Council of The Township of Essa deems it to be in the best interest of the residents of the Township to remove any unauthorized donation boxes from any property that has not received permission from the land owner or municipality;

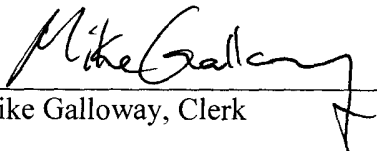
NOW THEREFORE the Council of the Corporation of the Township of Essa enacts as follows:

1. That after complaint from the land owner or resident, the by-law department will contact the unauthorized donation box owner and will request it to be removed within five business days.
2. If after five business days the object(s) has not been removed, the by-law department will have the object(s) removed from the property and stored.
3. The owner can reclaim the object(s) by written request with a certified cheque made out to the Township of Essa for \$250.00.

READ A FIRST, AND TAKEN AS READ A SECOND AND THIRD TIME AND FINALLY PASSED on this the Fourth day of March 2009.



 David Guergis, Mayor



 Mike Galloway, Clerk