

The Corporation of the Municipality of Grey Highlands

Consolidated By-law No. 2023-085

Being a By-law to Appoint Livestock Valuers for Grey Highlands and Set the Rate for Valuer Compensation.

As Amended by By-law 2023-115

Whereas, the Ontario Wildlife Damage Compensation Program and Section 4.1 of the Protection of Livestock and Poultry from Dogs Act, R.S.O. 1990 Chapter L.24, as amended, requires Council of local municipalities to appoint one or more persons as livestock valuers for the Municipality; and

Whereas, the Municipality is responsible for selecting and appointing municipal investigators who are qualified to investigate predation claims; and

Whereas, Valuers are responsible for investigating predation claims and submitting reports and evidence to the Municipality for submission to OMAFRA;

Now Therefore the Council of the Municipality of Grey Highlands hereby enacts as follows:

1. That Council appoint Bill Curry, Jeremy Hanley, and Sherri Kenwell as Livestock Valuers for the Municipality of Grey Highlands; and
2. That Council review the appointments each term; and
3. That the compensation provided for Livestock Valuers be set at \$110 per claim attended plus associated mileage at the CRA rate used for staff mileage from their home to the location of the claim and return upon submission of appropriate reporting and evidence to substantiate the claim; and
4. That in the event that a Valuer attends a property and there is a determination that no claim is warranted for submission, the Valuer shall be paid mileage from their place of residence to the property and return at the CRA rate used for staff mileage upon submission of documents and evidence of attendance.
5. That the compensation rates set are effective as of January 1, 2023; and
6. That staff review claims from Jan 1, 2023 through to the date of passing to amend compensation to meet the intent of this by-law.
7. That this By-law come into full force and effect upon passing.

Read a first, second and third time, and finally passed on June 21 2023.

The Corporation of the
Municipality of Grey Highlands

Original Signed By

Paul McQueen, Mayor

Original Signed By

Raylene Martell, Municipal Clerk

Status: Passed