

### **TOWN OF MINTO**

**DATE:** May 15<sup>th</sup>, 2017

**REPORT TO:** Mayor Bridge and Members of Council

**FROM:** Gordon Duff, Treasurer and Janet Klemp, Tax Collector

**SUBJECT:** Section 357 Applications

# STRATEGIC PLAN:

Manage Town finances in a transparent and fiscally responsible manner using a wide variety of accepted methods such as maintaining healthy reserves, investing conservatively, sensible user fees, property tax control, and responsible borrowing.

### **BACKGROUND:**

Section 357 and 358 of The Municipal Act, S.O. 2001, c. 25, as amended are submitted to the Municipal Property Assessment Corporation (MPAC) for several reasons including fire loss, demolitions, mobile unit removed and gross or manifest errors.

#### **COMMENTS:**

The attached list is for the 2014, 2015 and 2016 taxation years and is the result of demolition of bank barn, sheds, silo, house and supplemental issued on incorrect roll number due to MPAC error.

### FINANCIAL CONSIDERATIONS:

The Town of Minto bears the cost of its share of these tax reductions, while the portions relating to the County of Wellington and the related School Boards are charged back to these bodies.

## **RECOMMENDATION:**

THAT Council receives the May 2017 report from the Treasurer and Tax Collector regarding Section 357 Applications and that these applications are approved.

Respectfully submitted by,	Reviewed by,
Janet Klemp, AMCT	Gordon R. Duff, CGA
Tax Collector	Treasurer