

The Corporation of the Town of Minto
By-law Number 2017-XX

To Temporarily Close Roads in Harriston
on September 17, 2017 for a Community Event

WHEREAS Section 11 (3) of the *Municipal Act, 2001*, S.O. 2001, c. 25, as amended, provides that a lower-tier municipality may pass by-laws, respecting matters within the sphere of jurisdiction of highways, including parking and traffic on highways;

AND WHEREAS pursuant to the said *Municipal Act*, Section 8 (1) and 9 provide that the powers of a municipality under this or any other Act shall be interpreted broadly so as to confer broad authority on the municipality to enable the municipality to govern its affairs as it considers appropriate and to enhance the municipality's ability to respond to municipal issues and has the capacity, rights, powers and privileges of a natural person for the purpose of exercising its authority under this or any other Act;

AND WHEREAS pursuant to the said *Municipal Act*, Section 35 authorizes municipalities to pass by-laws removing or restricting the common law right of passage by the public over a highway;

AND WHEREAS the Council of the Town of Minto has been delegated the authority to temporarily close a Highway;

AND WHEREAS the Council of The Town of Minto deems it advisable to temporarily close certain streets within the municipality to restrict unauthorized traffic in order to facilitate the Harriston-Minto Agricultural Society Soap Box Derby;

NOW THEREFORE the Council of the Town of Minto hereby enacts as follows:

1. That Elora Street South from Arthur Street to Mill Street be temporarily closed to traffic from 8:00 a.m. on Sunday September 17, 2017 until .- 12:00 p.m. noon on Sunday September 17, 2017
2. This By-law shall come into force and effect on the date of its final passing.

Read a first, second, third time and passed in open Council this 1st day of August, 2017.

Mayor George A. Bridge

Bill White C.A.O. Clerk