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Corporation of the Municipality of French River Street Lighting Policy

1. Purpose

This policy establishes guidelines for the installation of street lights, and the supply of electrical power to street lights by the Municipality of French River. The goals of this policy are to ensure the safety of the municipality's residents, to apply the policy consistently, and to protect the character of the rural and waterfront landscape.

2. Policy

It is the policy of the Corporation of the Municipality of French River:

- 2.1 To provide street lighting within the villages of Alban and Noëlville.
- 2.2 To provide street lighting at the major intersections between Provincial Highways and municipal roads maintained year round, and as budget limitations permit.
- 2.3 To provide street lighting at intersections of municipal roads where both roads are maintained (year round, and where warranted by traffic count (200 or more vehicles per day), and as budget limitations permit.
- 2.4 To provide street lights in those areas that Council considers a safety concern to be evaluated on a case by case basis, and as budget limitations permit.
- 2.5 The priority of the municipal street lighting program will proceed in the order listed above from 2.1 to 2.4.

3. Scope

This street lighting policy applies to all street lights installed by the Municipality of French River and all street lights installed privately, and the ownership conveyed to the Municipality, and where the Municipality provides the electricity and maintenance.

4. Rational

The Municipality of French River is a rural municipality depending on tourism and the cottage industry. It is the intent of the Council of the Municipality of French River to protect the character of the rural and waterfront landscape for the enjoyment of the natural beauty of the area by adopting a dark sky friendly policy. In light of the energy deficiencies faced by this province and the pleas by the government to conserve energy, the municipality is also adopting an energy conservation approach to street lighting.

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5. Authorized Location

The location of street lights will be determined by Council as recommended by the road superintendent. The number of street lights to be installed will be subject to budget restrictions. Consideration will be given to traffic volumes and safety.

6. Requirements

- a. All street lighting system designs are subject to compliance with current Hydro One Standards.
- b. All costs for the installation of a street light at the intersection of a new development road and a municipal road or at the intersection of a new development road and the King's Highway shall be borne by the developer.
- c. The standard for street lights will be determined according to specifications by the municipal road superintendent.

7. Authority

Authority to control street lighting is derived from section 11 of the Municipal Act, 2001.

This policy is approved by Resolution No. 2005-362 of the Council of The Municipality of French River, this 19th day of October, 2005.