COMMITTEE REPORT

AD-22-05

To: Warden and Members of County Council From: Eddie Alton, Social Services Administrator

Date: Thursday, May 26, 2022

Subject: National Housing Strategy 2022-23 Allocations

Report:

The purpose of this report is to request delegated authority in order to submit the Investment Plan required by the Province in order to commit the funding for the National Housing Strategy 2022-23 Allocation.

- On May 2nd, staff received confirmation of funding allocations for the National Housing Strategy 2022-23 Allocations which includes the Canada-Ontario Community Housing Initiative, the Ontario Priorities Housing Initiative and the Canada-Ontario Housing Benefit programmes.
- Staff previously informed Committee and Council of these allocations in committee report HS-21-29 "2022-23 Federal Provincial Housing Funding" back in October 2021 but did not request delegated authority at that time.
- The allocations have not changed since previously shared with Council, however, the May 2nd letter indicated that a resolution of Council is required for delegated authority in order to complete the submission of the programmes Investment plan and the signing of the Transfer payment agreement by no later than May 31, 2022.

Recommendation:

THAT Report AD-22-02 be received for information and staff be given delegated authority to work with the Clerks Department, the Warden and the County Solicitor to execute the National Housing Strategy 2022-23 Allocations Transfer Payment Agreement and work with the Treasury department to submit the Investment Plan to the Ministry, to the satisfaction of the programme requirements.

Respectfully submitted,

Eddie Alton Social Services Administrator