COUNTY OF WELLINGTON COMMITTEE REPORT

To: Chair and Members of the Administration, Finance and Human Resources Committee

From: Ken DeHart, County Treasurer Date: Tuesday, November 21, 2023

Subject: County-Wide 2024 User Fees and Charges

Background:

The authority to establish fees for County services is set out in various statutes, including:

- Part XII of the Municipal Act
- Section 23 of the Public Libraries Act
- Section 69 of the *Planning Act*

The attached schedule sets out the proposed user fees for 2024, and includes a comparison to 2023 rates. If necessary, new by-laws will be submitted to Council on November 30, 2023, and any new or revised fees will come into effect on January 1, 2024. The attached schedules are reflective of any changes that were made at the committee level – with more information to come back in January to both the Library Board and SWS Committee.

Note that the Wellington Terrace User fees are not included with this package as they were deferred to the January committee meeting.

Recommendation:

That the attached 2024 User Fees and Charges be approved.

Respectfully submitted,

Ken DeHart, CPA, CGA County Treasurer