

BY-LAW No. 7

A By-Law of the Municipality of  
Westmeach entitled a By-law to authorize  
the construction and improvement of roads within the said Muni-  
cipality in the year 1926

**Whereas** under the Colonization Roads Act, Chap. 41, R.S.O. 1914, as amended by Chap. 17: 4, and Chap. 25: 10-11 Geo. V, certain Municipalities are authorized to prepare and approve a By-Law or By-Laws designating any highway or highways therein as a road or roads to be constructed or improved in accordance with the regulations of and under the supervision of the Department of Lands and Forests.

**And Whereas** after a By-Law, as aforesaid, has been approved, as provided in the said Colonization Roads Act, and upon the completion of a work of road improvement in pursuance of the aforesaid Act, or at any time during the progress thereof, and a statement has been submitted by the Council of the Municipality undertaking the work, to the Department of Lands and Forests, setting forth the cost to date, together with the Declaration of the Treasurer of the said Municipality that such statement is correct, and on the receipt by the Provincial Treasurer of such Statement and Declaration, with a Report and Certificate of the Inspector of Colonization Roads for the district in which the work is situated, or an engineer of the Department, that the said work is in accordance with the aforesaid By-Law, and the regulations of the Department of Lands and Forests, certified and approved by the proper officer of the Department of Lands and Forests, the Lieutenant-Governor-in-Council may direct the payment to such Municipal Corporation, as aforesaid, out of the funds voted by the Legislature for that purpose, a sum not more than two-thirds of the amount of the estimated cost thereof;

**And Whereas** it is desired to construct and improve certain roads in the Municipality of Westmeach being one of such Municipalities described in the Act, by clearing, grading, draining, gravelling or other work of a substantial and permanent character, over and above the ordinary statute labour, in the said Municipality, at the total estimated cost of the sum of 5700<sup>00</sup> dollars;

**And Whereas** under the authority of the "Municipal Act of Ontario," the power is given to Municipalities to assess and levy a rate or otherwise provide a sufficient sum to defray the cost of road construction and improvement within the Municipality;

**Therefore** the Council of the Municipality of Westmeach  
in the County or District of Kenora, enacts  
as follows:

1. The highway or highways to be constructed or improved under this By-Law, and the amount to be expended on such construction and improvement on each, shall be those which are described and set forth in the "schedule" herewith attached to this By-Law.

2. That this By-Law, after the second reading thereof in Council, be submitted to the Minister of Lands and Forests, who may approve, alter or modify it, and upon its being amended in accordance with the aforesaid approval, alteration or modification of the said Minister of Lands and Forests, and finally passed by the Council of the said Municipality, it shall be forwarded to the Department of Lands and Forests to be kept by them.

3. That the sum of \$ 2850<sup>00</sup> dollars shall be raised locally by the said Municipality for the purpose of defraying the proportion of the cost of road construction and improvement to be borne by them under this By-Law.

Read a first and second time this Seventeenth  
day of February A.D. 1926

R. S. Graham  
Clerk.

Read a third time and finally passed this.....  
day of..... A.D. 19.....



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Reeve.  
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Clerk.

NOTE—By-laws passed under the Colonization Roads Act, must be submitted to the DEPARTMENT OF LANDS AND FORESTS, not later than 10 days after the commencement of the Session of the Legislative Assembly at which the grant applied for may be voted.  
No amount less than two hundred dollars shall be permitted under this By-Law on any one road.  
Address all communications to Superintendent Colonization Roads, Parliament Buildings, Toronto.

I hereby approve of a total expenditure under this By-Law of the sum of \$..... of which the proportion to be paid by the Government will not be more than \$.....

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Minister of Lands and Forests.

Toronto,.....19.....

# Schedule

*To be attached to By-Law*

<u>Division</u>		
Road No. 1.—		
Road #	1. Between Concessions 8 & 9, opposite lots 2&3	\$200.00
	#2 Between Concessions 7&8, opposite lots 1-4-5	300.00
	#3 Between Concessions 6&7, opposite lots 1-8-9	300.00
	#4 Between Concessions 4&5, opposite lots 12&13	200.00
	#5 On side road between lots 5&6, Concession 8	200.00
	#6 On Town Line between Ross & Westmeath, Con. 5	200.00

<u>Division #2</u>		
Road No. 2.—		
Road #	#7 Between Concessions 1&2, opposite lots 16&17	200.00
	#8 Between Concessions 1&B, opposite lot 19	200.00
	#9 Between lots 5&6, opposite Concession 3	200.00
	#10 Between Concessions 2&3, opposite lots 1-6-13-16	300.00
	#11 Concession 'A' EML, opposite lot 21	200.00
		\$.....

<u>Division #3</u>		
Road No. 3.—		
Road #	#12 Between lots 13&14, Concession WFE	300.00
	#13 Between Concessions 2&3, opposite lot 10	300.00
	#14 Between lots 5&6, Concession 3	240.00
	#15 Between Concessions 1&2, opposite lots 8-9-10	200.00
		\$.....

<u>Division #4</u>		
Road No. 4.—		
Road #	#16 Between Concessions 6&7, opposite lots 13 to 19	1120.00
		\$.....

<u>Division #5</u>		
Road No. 5.—		
Road #	#17 On Town Line Stafford & Westmeath, opposite lot 27	200.00
	#18 On Town Line Bromley & Westmeath, opposite lots 7-8	200.00
	#19 On Town Line, Stafford-Westmeath, opposite lots 13-14	200.00
	#20 Between Concessions 1-2, opposite lots 10-11 WML	240.00
	#21 On Town Line Ross-Westmeath, opposite lot 1	200.00
		\$.....

Road No. 6.—		
		\$.....

Total \$5700.00

*R. S. Graham*

*Township Clerk.*

Ranchburg Ont

*P.O. Address.*

TO—

*The Honorable the Minister of Lands and Forests of Ontario*

Sir:

The following names are submitted as overseers upon the works to be undertaken under this By-Law in accordance with Sections 4 and 5 of the Regulations respecting Colonization. Road By-Law works.

ROAD NO. IN BY-LAW	NAME OF OVERSEER	POST OFFICE ADDRESS

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Clerk.

Wilmington, N.C. Jan 13<sup>th</sup> 1927.

R. S. Graham.

Brookhaven.

Dear Sir.

Enclosed please find check

as agreed except two amounts deposited

(\$3.00) and 1/2 share Dollars in the Bank of

the credit of. Miscellaneous of which

is it is necessary to sign anything for.

When we get the check all come on will

you kindly do so.

Yours truly  
R. S. Graham

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A Law has been passed certain certain Roads in the township westmeath under the Colonization act.

Div. Road No 1

- Roads No. 1 between con. 8 & 9 opposite lots 3, 2. \$200
- " " 2 " " 778 " " 1x4x5. 300
- " " 3 " " 687 " " 1x8x9. 300
- " " 4 " " 485 " " 12x13. 200
- " " 5 on side road between con 5 & 6 on 8. 200
- " " 6 " townline " Road & Westmeath 200  
con. 5

Div. Road No 2

- Road No 1 across lots 13 x 14 con W. F. G \$300
- " " 2 between con. 2 & 3 opposite 10. 300
- " " 3 ~~between~~ between lots 5 & 6 con 3. 240
- " " 4 between con 1 & 2 opposite 8, 9, 10 200

Div. Road No 4

Road No 1 Between con. 6 & 7 opposite lots 13 & 14. 1120.

Div. Road No 5

- Road No 1. on townline between Stafford and westmeath opposite lot 27 \$200
- Road No 2 on townline between Brownly & westmeath opposite lots 7 & 8 200
- Road No 3 on townline between Stafford and westmeath opposite lots 13 & 14 200
- Road No 4 between con 1 & 2 opposite 10, 11 W. F. G 240
- " " 5 on townline between the townships of Ross & westmeath opposite lot 1. 200