THE CORPORATION OF THE TOWNSHIP OF WESTMEATH

BY-LAW NUMBER 97-18

A By-Law to appoint an Auditor

WHEREAS: 1. Under Section 86(1)(3), 87, 88(1)(2)(3), Chapter 302 of the Municipal Act. R.S.O. 1990, the Council has authority to appoint by By-Law an Auditor.

- 2. The Council has considered a By-Law to appoint an Auditor who shall hold a public accountant's license.
- 3. The Auditor shall audit the accounts and transactions of the municipality as prescribed by the Ministry and shall prepare the material to be published by the Treasurer.
- 4. The Auditor has a right of access at all reasonable hours to all books, records, documents, accounts and vouchers of the Municipality and is entitled to require from the Members of Council and from the offices of the municipality such information and explanation as in his opinion may be necessary to enable him to carry out such duties as are prescribed by the Ministry.
- 5. The Auditor may require any person to give evidence on oath touching any such matters and for such purpose has all the powers of a commission under Part II of the Public Inquiries Act, which Part applies as if taking of the evidence were an inquiry under the Act.
- 6. The Auditor is entitled to attend any meeting of Members of Council of the Municipality and to receive all notices relating to any such meeting and is entitled to receive and to be heard at any such meeting that he attends on any part of the business of the meeting that concerns him as auditor.

NOW THEREFORE the Council of the Corporation of the Township of Westmeath ENACTS as follows:-

1 That MacKillican & Associates be appointed as Auditors for the Corporation of the Township of Westmeath.

2 That the term of office shall be for one year

<u>3</u> This By-Law repeals By-Law 96-30

PASSED and ENACTED this 8th Day of October 1997

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