

By-law Number 26-2021
of The Regional Municipality of Durham

Being a by-law to authorize Regional staff to apply for and obtain funding from the Federal Government's Clean Fuels Program;

Whereas the Federal Government established a \$1.5 billion Clean Fuels Fund under the Clean Fuels Program to provide funding to support the construction of new or expanding clean fuel production facilities;

Whereas the Region is proposing to construct an anaerobic digestion facility, which will produce renewable natural gas and may be eligible for funding under the Clean Fuels Fund.

Now therefore, the Council of The Regional Municipality of Durham hereby enacts as follows:

1. That Regional staff are hereby authorized to submit an application to the Federal Government's Clean Fuels Fund for the Region's anaerobic digestion facility, including modifying the scope of work of existing consulting agreements to assist with the work required to submit the application to be funded from approved capital project funds, where necessary.
2. That the Commissioners of Works, Corporate Services and Finance be authorized to negotiate a Contribution Agreement with Natural Resources Canada should the application be successful.
3. That the Commissioner of Finance be authorized to execute the Contribution Agreement and any other necessary agreements or documents, in a form satisfactory to the Regional Solicitor, to receive the funding from Clean Fuels Fund to be applied to the capital costs of the anaerobic digestion facility.
4. This By-law is effective on the date of its passing.

This By-law Read and Passed on the 29th day of September, 2021.

J. Henry, Regional Chair and CEO

R. Walton, Regional Clerk