

# **THE CORPORATION OF THE MUNICIPALITY OF TEMAGAMI**

## **BY-LAW NO. 11-985**

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**Being a by-law to authorize the Clerk to execute an Agreement with the Ministry of Health and Long-Term Care and the Temagami Medical Centre Group for renewal of the Rural and Northern Physician Group Agreement.**

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**WHEREAS** under Section 8. (1) of the Municipal Act, 2001, S.O., 2001, c.25, as amended, the powers of a municipality under this or any other Act shall be interpreted broadly so as to confer broad authority on the municipality to enable the municipality to govern its affairs as it considers appropriate and to enhance the municipality's ability to respond to municipal issues;

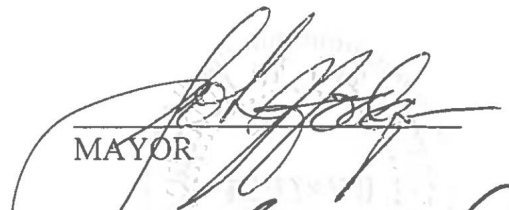
**AND WHEREAS** under Section 9 of the Municipal Act, 2001, S.O., 2001, c.25, as amended, a municipality has the capacity, rights, powers and privileges of a natural person for the purpose of exercising its authority under this or any other act;

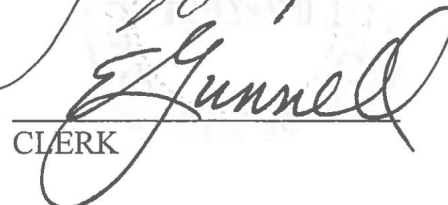
**NOW THEREFORE the Council of the Corporation of the Municipality of Temagami hereby enacts as follows:**

1. That the Clerk is hereby authorized and directed to execute the agreement attached hereto as Schedule "A" to this bylaw.
2. That the Clerk is hereby authorized and directed to execute any subsequent extensions to this same agreement.
3. This bylaw shall come into force and take effect upon final passing thereof.
4. That the Clerk of the Municipality of Temagami is hereby authorized to make minor modifications or corrections of a grammatical or typographical nature to the by-law and schedule, after the passage of this by-law, where such modifications or corrections do not alter the intent of the by-law.

BE TAKEN AS READ A FIRST time on this 24<sup>th</sup> day of February 2011;

READ A SECOND AND THIRD time and finally passed this 24<sup>th</sup> day of February 2011.

  
MAYOR

  
CLERK

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**OCT 15 2010**

Stephen Goddard, MD  
Lead Group Physician  
Temagami Medical Centre  
Box 98  
Temagami ON POH 2H0

Dear Dr. Goddard:

**Re: Renewal of the Rural and Northern Physician Group Agreement**

As you are aware, all parties agreed to renew the Rural and Northern Physician Group Agreement between Her Majesty the Queen in Right of Ontario, as represented by the Minister of Health and Long-Term Care (the "**Ministry**"), the Group Physicians as listed below (the "**Group**") and the Ontario Medical Association (the "OMA"), dated April 1, 2005, as amended, by letter dated June 8, 2010 (the "**Agreement**"). Pursuant to the terms of the renewal, the Agreement expired September 30, 2010.

To permit the Ministry and the OMA additional time to complete discussions for a new Rural and Northern Physician Group template agreement, the Ministry proposes to renew the Agreement until January 31, 2011.

Accordingly, the undersigned hereby agree as follows:

1. Pursuant to subsection 8.1.1(a), the Agreement shall be renewed commencing October 1, 2010 and expiring January 31, 2011, unless terminated earlier in accordance with the provisions of the Agreement.
2. All words used herein shall be deemed to have the same meaning that they have in the Agreement.
3. In all other respects, the terms and conditions of the Agreement shall continue to apply.

**The Ministry requires receipt of this letter signed by the authorized signing officers for the Group, the OMA, and the Community Sponsor of the Corporation of the Municipality of Temagami to enable the continued flow of funding under the Agreement.**

Kindly review this letter to ensure that it is in accordance with your understanding of the Agreement with the Ministry. If you agree to the terms contained in this letter, please sign four (4) copies of the letter and have the municipality sign and return all signed copies to the Ministry, as soon as possible, to the following address:

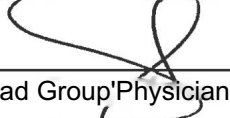
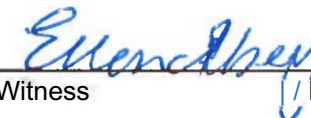
Lison Breton, Program Analyst  
Primary Health Care Branch  
Ministry of Health and Long-Term Care  
159 Cedar Street, Suite 402  
Sudbury ON P3E 6A5

Once all the parties have signed, the Ministry will forward a fully executed copy of this letter for your records. Should you have any questions or concerns, please contact Lison Breton at (705) 564-7232 or [lison.breton@ontario.ca](mailto:lison.breton@ontario.ca).

Sincerely,

  
Mary Fleming  
Director, Primary Health Care

The Physicians in the Temagami Medical Centre group hereby agree to the renewal of the Agreement on the terms and conditions set out in this letter.

Per:  \_\_\_\_\_  
Lead Group Physician       \_\_\_\_\_  
Witness      Date 21-Oct-10

Name: S. GODDARD  
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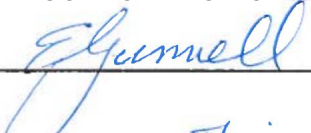
FOR THE ONTARIO MEDICAL ASSOCIATION:

Per:  \_\_\_\_\_  
Date JAN 10 2011

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AND

FOR THE CORPORATION OF THE MUNICIPALITY OF TEMAGAMI COMMUNITY SPONSOR

Per:  \_\_\_\_\_  
Date 01-Dec-2010

Name and Title: Elaine Gummell Municipal Clerk  
(Please Print)

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Dr. Stephen Goddard

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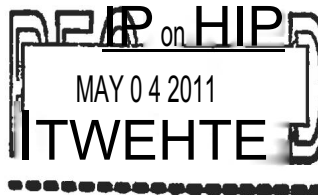
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Stephen Goddard, MD  
Lead Group Physician  
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Box 98  
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Dear Dr. Goddard:

**Re: Renewal of the Rural and Northern Physician Group Agreement**

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To permit the Ministry and the OMA additional time to complete discussions for a new Rural and Northern Physician Group template agreement, the Ministry proposes to renew the Agreement until March 31,2011.

Accordingly, the undersigned hereby agree as follows:

1. Pursuant to subsection 8.1.1(a), the Agreement shall be renewed commencing February 1,2011 and expiring March 31,2011, unless terminated earlier in accordance with the provisions of the Agreement.
2. All words used herein shall be deemed to have the same meaning that they have in the Agreement.
3. In all other respects, the terms and conditions of the Agreement shall continue to apply.

**The Ministry requires receipt of this letter signeff by the authorized signing officers for the Group, the OMA, and the Community Sponsor of the Corporation of the Municipality of Temagami to enable the continued flow of funding under the Agreement.**

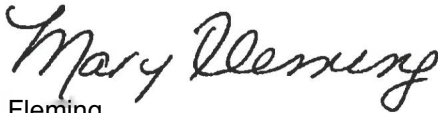
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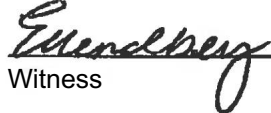
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Mary Fleming  
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Per:   
Lead Group Physician

  
Witness

04-02-2011  
Date

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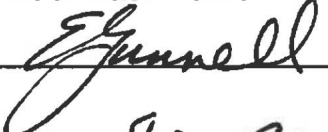
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FOR THE CORPORATION OF THE MUNICIPALITY OF TEMAGAMI COMMUNITY SPONSOR

Per: 

Feb. 28/2011  
Date

Name and Title: Elaine Gunnell, Municipal Clerk  
(Please Print)

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**JUN 07 2011**

Dr. Stephen Goddard  
Lead Physician  
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Dear Dr. Goddard:

**Re: Rural and Northern Physician Group Agreement between Her Majesty the Queen in Right of Ontario, as represented by the Minister of Health and Long-Term Care, the Group Physicians as listed below (the "Group") and the Ontario Medical Association, dated April 1, 2005.**

As you are aware, a working group comprised of members from the Ministry of Health and Long-Term Care (the "**Ministry**") and the Ontario Medical Association (the "**OMA**") have been discussing a new template for the Rural and Northern Physician Group ("**RNPG**") model (the "**Working Group**").

We are pleased to inform you that the Working Group has reached a consensus on its recommendations for enhancements to the RNPG model. These recommendations are intended to support the RNPG model by measures that include:

- providing additional funding to RNPG physicians through the expansion of certain permissible fee-for-service billing
- providing funding supports to communities experiencing physician shortages.

At this time, the Ministry and the OMA are preparing the new template agreement, which will incorporate the Working Group's recommendations as well as previous enhancements applicable to the RNPG model contained in the 2004 and 2008 Physician Services Framework Agreement.

Once completed, this template will be submitted for formal approval by the Ministry and the OMA. During this approval process, the draft template will be available for RNPG physician review.

In the interim, as your Agreement expired, the Ministry proposes to renew the Agreement until **August 31, 2011**, to permit the Ministry and the OMA sufficient time to complete the drafting of the new template.

Dr. Stephen Goddard

Accordingly, the undersigned hereby agree as follows:

1. Pursuant to subsection 8.1.1 (a), the Agreement shall be renewed commencing April 1, 2011 and expiring on the earlier of the following events: (i) August 31, 2011; (ii) the date the parties execute a new funding agreement for the same or similar services; and (iii) termination in accordance with the provisions of the Agreement.
2. Unless explicitly defined herein, all capitalized words used herein shall be deemed to have the same meaning that they have in the Agreement.
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Per: [Signature]  
Lead Group Physician

Witness \_\_\_\_\_

Date 23.6.16

Name: S. GONNARS  
(Please Print)

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AND IF REQUIRED PURSUANT TO THE GROUP'S GOVERNANCE AGREEMENT:

Pen \_\_\_\_\_ Associate Group Physician      \_\_\_\_\_ Witness      \_\_\_\_\_ Date

Name: \_\_\_\_\_  
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Per:  Date SFP 28 2011

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FOR THE CORPORATION OF THE MUNICIPALITY OF TEMAGAMI - COMMUNITY SPONSOR:

Per: ^1/ ~   
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 June 28,  
Date

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