



**Policy Title: STRASBOURG LIBRARY ANNUAL FINANCIAL SUPPORT**

Policy Objective	To establish the fee structure for sales of materials and office services
Authority	Resolution # 9/2018
Supporting Bylaw	
Related Policy	ADM-007

**LEGISLATIVE AUTHORITY**

*The Municipalities Act*

**Legal status and capacity**

4(2) The purposes of municipalities are the following:

- (a) to provide good government;
- (b) to provide services, facilities and other things that, in the opinion of council, are necessary and desirable for all or a part of the municipality;
- (c) to develop and maintain a safe and viable community;
- (d) to foster economic, social and environmental well-being;
- (e) to provide wise stewardship of public assets.

(3) For the purpose of carrying out its powers, duties and functions, a municipality has the capacity and, subject to any limitations that may be contained in this or any other Act, the rights, powers and privileges of a natural person.

(4) Notwithstanding subsection 10(1), a municipality may exercise its capacity, rights, powers and privileges as a natural person outside its boundaries if the exercise of those powers is in pursuit of a municipal purpose as set out in subsection (2).



## **OBJECTIVE**

This Strasbourg Library Annual Financial Support policy is implemented to define the contribution that the Council of the Rural Municipality of McKillop No. 220 (the RM) will make in support of the services provided by the Strasbourg Library to the citizens of the RM.

This policy is adopted as an affirmation of Council's commitment to accountability and transparency to the ratepayers of the RM by ensuring that library services and library accessibility are available to RM property owners and RM residents. Council also recognizes its responsibility and accountability to all ratepayers for the decisions that are made by Council. By implementing this policy, Council seeks to reconcile these two objectives.

## **SCOPE**

Identification of the level of financial support to be provided for Strasbourg Library for service presentation.

## **DEFINITIONS**

- a) "Council" means the Council of the Rural Municipality of McKillop No. 220
- b) "RM" means the Rural Municipality of McKillop No. 220

## **POLICY**

1. The RM will contribute \$ 1,500.00 annually toward the operations and services provided by the Strasbourg Library.
2. The annual financial contribution shall be applied to services provided by the Strasbourg Library at the discretion of the Directors of the Strasbourg Library.