



**GRAND VALLEY**

## **STAFF REPORT**

**To:** Mayor and Members of Council

**From:** Brad Haines – By-law & Property Standards Enforcement Officer

**Meeting Date:** December 10, 2024

**Report Number:** **2024-121**

**Subject:** AGAPIK9 Canine Control Officers MLEO Appointments

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### **Recommendation**

**THAT** Council receives Report AGAPIK9 Municipal Law Enforcement Officer Appointment and directs staff to prepare and present the by-law for passing.

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### **Executive Summary**

#### **Purpose**

To bring forward the necessary by-law for AGAPIK9 Canine Control Officers to be appointed as Municipal Law Enforcement Officers.

#### **Key Findings**

AGAPIK9 Canine Control Officers must be appointed by name as Municipal Law Enforcement Officers in order to lawfully enforce the Town's Control and Licensing of Dogs By-law 2014 - 46, as amended.

## Financial Implications

There are no financial implications to this report.

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## Report

### Background

On November 26, 2024, Council received report '[Canine Control By-law Issues – 2024-100](#)' and passed Resolution 2024-11-32 directing staff to make the necessary amendments to the draft by-law as discussed and present the by-law for adoption.

### Discussion

Staff were directed by Council to make necessary amendments, as discussed, to the Control and Licensing of Dogs By-law 2014 - 46, as amended, and present the updated by-law for adoption. The new by-law is in progress; however, Attachment 1 to this report is the appointment of AGAPIK9 Canine Control Officers as Municipal Law Enforcement Officers, as the first step to addressing Canine Control enforcement issues, as the appointments provide the authority to enforce the current by-law and any future amendments made.

### Financial Impact

There are no financial implications to this report.

### Consultations

None

### Attachments

Attachment 1 - 2024-XX – AGAPIK9 Appointment as Municipal Law Enforcement Officers By-law

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