Attachment 2

Constituency Services and Office Budget Policy Section 4.7 - Councillor Expenses during an Election Year

Existing wording:

a. General

- The Constituency Services and Office Budget for Councillors for the period January 1 to November 30 in a municipal election year is restricted to 11/12th of the approved Constituency Services and Office Budget with the provision that subsequent to election day:
 - new Councillors are allocated a budget equal to 1/12th of the approved budget amount for the month of December; and
 - re-elected Councillors have available to them the balance of funds remaining as of Election Day.

New wording:

a. General

- The Constituency Services and Office Budget for Councillors in a municipal election year is a pro-rated amount of the approved Constituency Services and Office Budget based on number of months or partial months in each term of office, with the provision that subsequent to election day:
 - re-elected Councillors have available to them the balance of funds remaining as of election day except for years when there are changes to ward boundaries, where the pro-rated amounts for both terms will apply to all Councillors.