THE CORPORATION OF THE MUNICIPALITY OF EAST FERRIS

BY-LAW NO. 2023-05

BEING A BY-LAW TO AUTHORIZE A FRANCHISE AGREEMENT BETWEEN THE CORPORATION OF THE MUNICIPALITY OF EAST FERRIS AND ENBRIDGE GAS INC.

WHEREAS the Council of the Corporation of the Municipality of East Ferris deems it expedient to enter into the attached franchise agreement (the "Franchise Agreement") with Enbridge Gas Inc.;

AND WHEREAS the Ontario Energy Board by its Order issued pursuant to the *Municipal Franchises Act* on the 15th day of June, 2023 has approved the terms and conditions upon which and the period for which the franchise provided in the Franchise Agreement is proposed to be granted, and has declared and directed that the assent of the municipal electors in respect of this By-Law is not necessary:

NOW THEREFORE the Council of the Corporation of the Municipality of East Ferris enacts as follows:

- 1. **THAT** the Franchise Agreement between the Corporation of the Municipality of East Ferris and Enbridge Gas Inc. attached hereto and forming part of this by-law, is hereby authorized and the franchise provided for therein is hereby granted.
- 2. **THAT** the Mayor and Municipal Clerk be and they are hereby authorized and instructed on behalf of the Corporation of the Municipality of East Ferris to enter into and execute under its corporate seal and deliver the Franchise Agreement, which is hereby incorporated into and forming part of this By-Law.
- 3. **THAT** the following by-law be hereby repealed:
 - By-law Number 2018 for the Corporation of the Municipality of East Ferris, passed in Council on the 23rd day of December, 2003.
- 4. **THAT** this by-law shall come into force and take effect as of the final passing thereof.

READ A FIRST AND SECOND time this 14th day of February, 2023.

READ A THIRD TIME AND FINALLY passed this 27th, day of June, 2023.