



**THE CORPORATION OF
THE MUNICIPALITY OF EAST FERRIS**

_____, 2019

Resolution No. 2019-_____

Moved by: _____

Seconded by: _____

WHEREAS climate change is currently contributing to billions of dollars in property and infrastructure damage worldwide, stressing local and international economies;

WHEREAS climate change is currently jeopardizing the health and survival of many species and other natural environments worldwide, stressing local and international eco systems;

WHEREAS climate change is currently harming human populations through rising sea levels and other extraordinary phenomena like intense wildfires worldwide, stressing local and international communities;

WHEREAS recent international research has indicated a need for massive reduction in carbon emissions in the next 11 years to avoid further and devastating economic, ecological, and societal loss;

WHEREAS an emergency can be defined as "an often dangerous situation requiring immediate action";

WHEREAS municipalities such as Sudbury, West Nipissing, Ottawa, London, Kingston, Burlington, St Catherine, Halton Hills, Vancouver and Hamilton have already declared climate emergencies;

THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED, that the Municipality of East Ferris, officially declare a climate emergency for the purposes of naming, framing, and deepening our commitment to protecting our economy, our eco systems, and our community from climate change.

Carried _____

Recorded Vote (Upon Request of Councillor _____)
Section 246 (1) Municipal Act

	Yeas	Nays
Deputy Mayor Michel Voyer	_____	_____
Councillor Steven Trahan	_____	_____
Councillor Terry Kelly	_____	_____
Councillor Erika Lougheed	_____	_____
Mayor Pauline Rochefort	_____	_____