Council Resolution

Whereas, the Township of Wilmot has the following interests:

- Increasing the tree canopy and tree species diversity on public lands in the Township,
- Increasing tree canopy in riparian zones of the Nith River and its tributaries, and
- Partnering with community organizations for the well-being of Township residents.

Whereas, Let's Tree Wilmot, a project of Wilmot Horticultural Society, is undertaking "Growing Wilmot's Tree Canopy through Afforestation and Park Planting,"

Be it resolved that Wilmot Township Council acknowledges that Wilmot Horticultural Society is applying for a funding opportunity from the Federation of Canadian Municipalities' Growing Canada's Community Canopies for "Growing Wilmot's Tree Canopy through Afforestation and Park Planting" in partnership with the Township of Wilmot.

Wilmot Township Council also recognizes that the lifetime contribution from the Growing Canada's Community Canopies initiative will not exceed \$10 million for tree planting within our municipality, inclusive of a maximum contribution of \$1 million for infrastructure activity costs, and that if approved this project will be counted towards that limit.