

## Municipality of Meaford

21 Trowbridge Street West Meaford ON, N4L 1A1 519-538-1060

February 28, 2020

**Grey County Municipalities** 

Re: Municipality of Meaford Resolution regarding Bill 156

At their meeting on February 24, 2020, the Council of the Municipality of Meaford passed the following resolution regarding Bill 156, Security from Trespass and Protecting Food Safety Act, 2019:

**Moved by: Councillor Vickers** 

Seconded by: Councillor Greenfield

Whereas, the provincial government has recently introduced Bill 156, the Security from Trespass and Protecting Food Safety Act; and

Whereas, the Bill is designed to protect farmers, livestock and the food supply chain; and

Whereas, the Ontario Federation of Agriculture has requested that the Municipality of Meaford support this legislation; and

Whereas, Council of the Municipality of Meaford wishes to support farmers and the local agriculture industry.

Therefore, be it resolved that the Council of the Municipality of Meaford hereby supports the passage of Bill 156 and its intent to protect farms, farming families and the safety of the food chain; and



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That this resolution be forwarded to the Minister of Agriculture, Food and Rural Affairs, MPP Bill Walker, the Ontario Federation of Agriculture, and Grey County municipalities.

Carried - Resolution #2020-05-07

Sincerely,

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CC: The Honourable Ernie Hardeman, Minister of Agriculture, Food and Rural Affairs
MPP Bill Walker
Ontario Federation of Agriculture