

Meeting Date: November 10, 2021

Submitted by: Tiffany Farrell, Director of Corporate Services

Report No: CPS-49-2021

Subject: Ontario Municipal Partnership Fund 2022

Recommendation:

THAT Report CPS-49-2021, the Ontario Municipal Partnership Fund 2021 be received for information.

Purpose:

This report is to inform Council of the Municipality's Ontario Municipal Partnership Fund (OMPF) funding for 2022.

Background:

The Ministry of Finance each year provides municipalities with their Ontario Municipal Partnership Fund (OMPF) amount for the next year. This information was received October 21, 2021. Middlesex Centre's OMPF funding consists of the Rural Communities Grant and the Northern and Rural Fiscal Circumstances Grant.

Analysis:

Middlesex Centre's 2022 OMPF grant will be \$1,291,800. The amount for 2021 was \$1,203,800 therefore the funding has increased \$88,000 over prior year (7.3%). The OMPF funding has been included in the draft budget for 2022.

Determination of the OMPF Funding:

The municipality received funding due to our rural and small community measure, our farm area measure and the norther and rural municipal fiscal circumstances index which provides out guaranteed level of support each year. Middlesex Centre's information is outlined in Attachment A1 2022 OMPF Allocation Notice - Middlesex Centre M – 3939.

Financial Implications:

2022 OMPF Amount \$1,291,800 included in the 2022 budget

Strategic Plan:

This matter aligns with following strategic priorities:

Responsive Municipal Government

This report responds directly to Objective 5.3– Foster a culture of innovation, continuous improvement, and cost-effective services by sharing information and gathering input, by continuing our timely and effective communication to the public.

Attachments:

A1 2022 OMPF Allocation Notice - Middlesex Centre M - 3939

A2 2022 OMPF Cash Flow Notice - Middlesex Centre M - 3939

A3 2022 OMPF - Letter to Treasurers and Clerk-Treasurers