



Township
of

Elizabethtown - Kitley

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October 13, 2021

Sent via email to: alex@tourismkingston.com

Re: Letter of Support for the South Eastern Ontario Production Acceleration Fund (SEOPAF)

To Kingston Film Commissioner Alex Jansen,

The Township of Elizabethtown-Kitley applauds the efforts of the Kingston Film Office and its accomplishments since its 2018 launch in attracting and supporting media production within the Kingston area, and its efforts in expanding its efforts across South Eastern Ontario. The growth of domestic media production not only hires talented Canadians, but supports a number of supporting businesses such as accommodations, food services, and various trades positions.

In an effort to further support the work of the Kingston Film Office, the Township of Elizabethtown-Kitley is providing this letter of support for the South Eastern Ontario Production Acceleration Fund (SEOPAF). The fund would help grow local production by providing stability while supporting job creation, leading to long-term economic benefits to this region. It is evident by other similar programs available in other regions of the province that the SEOPAF will have a positive impact for businesses and those interested in pursuing the arts.

Sincerely,

Alison Merkley, Deputy Clerk

encl. Certified Copy of Resolution 283-21

cc via email:

- Honorable Steve Clark – Minister of Municipal Affairs and Housing - steve.clark@pc.ola.org
- Honorable Victor Fedeli – Minister of Economic Development, Job Creation and Trade- MEDJCT.Minister@ontario.ca
- Honorable Lisa MacLeod - Minister of Heritage, Sport, Tourism and Culture Industries - Minister.MacLeod@ontario.ca
- MP Barrett - michael.barrett@parl.gc.ca

CORPORATION OF THE TOWNSHIP OF ELIZABETHTOWN-KITLEY

October 12, 2021 Session

RES. NO. 283-21

Moved by

E. Renaud

Seconded by

T. Linton

Economic Development Committee Recommendations

THAT the Council of the Township of Elizabethtown-Kitley provide a letter of support for the South Eastern Ontario Production Acceleration Fund to be sent to Honorable MPP Clark, MP for Leeds-Grenville-Thousand Islands and Rideau Lakes, Minister of Economic Development, Job Creation and Trade, and Minister of Heritage, Sport, Tourism and Culture Industries;

AND THAT the Council of the Township of Elizabethtown-Kitley provide a letter of support to Tourism Industry Association of Ontario.

- Carried
- Lost
- Tabled



Brant Burrow, Mayor

I, Alison Merkley, Deputy Clerk
Corporation of the Township of Elizabethtown-Kitley
in the County of Leeds, do hereby certify that
the foregoing is a true copy of
RESOLUTION 283-21
passed by the council of the said Corporation
the 12th day of OCTOBER, 2021
Alison Merkley