

Municipal Modernization Committee
January 18, 2021
The District Municipality of Muskoka

Moved By: P. Harding

Seconded By: G. Smith

THAT Muskoka District Council be reduced from 22 Members and a District Chair to 18 Members and a District Chair with equal numbers from each of the six lower-tier Municipalities comprised of the Mayor and 2 Councillors;

AND THAT a District Chair will be elected by those elected to District Council;

AND THAT the District Chair will be allowed to vote and will become a tie-break when needed;

AND THAT voting will require a majority of council to move items forward;

AND THAT an amendment to the procedural by-law to prohibit changes to the current service delivery, financial structure or cost apportionment billing models associated with the District operations unless a "significant majority" of council is in agreement;

AND THAT a "significant majority" of council will be defined as 12;

AND THAT staff be directed to provide wording on the requirement for significant majority at the next meeting of MMC to be held prior to the February 2021 District Council meeting.

Carried ✓

Defeated



District Clerk