

**The CORPORATION OF THE UNITED TOWNSHIPS OF HEAD,
CLARA & MARIA**

BY-LAW No. 2006-09

BEING a By-Law to regulate fire bans.

WHEREAS under the provisions of Part II, section 7.1 (1 (a) and (b) of the *Fire Protection and Prevention Act, 1997* and amendments thereto, a municipality may enact by-laws regarding fire prevention and the setting of open air fires;

NOW THEREFORE, the Council of the United Townships of Head, Clara & Maria enacts as follows:

DEFINITIONS:

“Designated Campground” is a campground that is inspected annually and satisfies the criteria in Appendix B.

“Municipal Fire ban” means a period of time during which open fires including camp fires, are not allowed on land within the geographic area of Head, Clara & Maria Townships with the exclusion of Driftwood Park and municipally designated campgrounds.

1. If the Ministry of Natural Resources declares a fire ban in this area, the municipality will automatically declare a ban.
2. A fire ban may be declared locally if decided upon, using the Municipal Fire Ban policy - Appendix A.
3. When a fire ban is in place the public shall be notified using the Fire Ban Notification Checklist - Appendix C.
4. A campground may attain designation by being inspected using the campground checklist for designation – Appendix B.
5. During a fire ban, no outdoor fires will be allowed except within a designated campground.

This By-Law comes into force and effect upon the final passing thereof.

Read a first and second time this 21st day of March, 2006.

Read a third time short this 21st day of March, 2006.

REEVE – WILLIAM CROSHAW

CLERK – MELINDA REITH