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Bill No. 038

CITY OF HAMILTON

BY-LAW NO. 26-038

Being a By-law to Appoint a Fire Chief, Deputy Fire Chief, and Provincial Fire Co-ordinator pursuant to the Hamilton Fire Department Establishing and Regulating By-law No. 26-037:

WHEREAS pursuant to Subsection 6(1) of the Fire Protection and Prevention Act, 1997 the Council of the City of Hamilton shall appoint a Fire Chief for the Fire Department;

AND WHEREAS the Council of the City of Hamilton passed the Hamilton Fire Department Establishing and Regulating By-law No. 26-037 at its meeting held on (insert date);

AND WHEREAS Council wishes to appoint certain persons as Fire Chief and Deputy Fire Chief pursuant to the Fire Protection and Prevention Act, 1997 and the Hamilton Fire Department Establishing and Regulating By-law No. 26-037;

AND WHEREAS Council authorizes the Hamilton Fire Department to participate in the Province of Ontario Mutual Aid Plan and endorses the Fire Chief and Deputy Fire Chief(s) being appointed as fire co-ordinator and alternate fire co-ordinator(s) under the authority of the Fire Protection and Prevention Act, 1997 by the Ontario Fire Marshal.

NOW THEREFORE the Council of the City of Hamilton enacts as follows:

1. The person listed in Schedule "A" is appointed as the Fire Chief for the City of Hamilton until such time as that appointment is terminated or a successor is appointed;

2. The person(s) listed in Schedule “B” are appointed as the Deputy Fire Chief for the City of Hamilton until such time as that appointment is terminated or a successor is appointed;
3. Schedules “A” and “B” form part of this By-law;
4. By-law No. 19-035 is hereby repealed as of the day this By-law comes into force;
5. This By-law shall come into full force and effect on the day it is passed by Council.

PASSED and ENACTED this 11th day of February, 2026.

Andrea Horwath
Mayor

Matthew Trennum
City Clerk

SCHEDULE "A"
FIRE CHIEF

Cunliffe, David R.

SCHEDULE "B"
DEPUTY FIRE CHIEF

Milovanovic, Dan
Haalstra, Trevor