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**BY EMAIL**

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**Re: Financial Support for Rural Businesses Impacted by Power Outages**

At its Regular Council Meeting held on March 2, 2026, Council supported the enclosed correspondence dated February 25, 2026 from the Essex Centre Business Improvement Area regarding financial support for rural businesses impacted by power outages.

Council accordingly passed the following resolution:

**R26-03-086**

Moved By Councillor McGuire-Blais  
Seconded By Councillor Allard

**That** the correspondence from the Essex Centre Business Improvement Area regarding financial support for rural businesses impacted by power outages be received and supported.

**Carried**

I trust you will find this satisfactory. If you have any questions or comments, please feel free to contact the undersigned.

Yours truly,



A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read "jml", written in a cursive style.

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Enclosure

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