



## TOWN OF CORNWALL RESOLUTION

**DATE:** May 27<sup>th</sup>, 2026  
**COMMITTEE:** UTILITY (U)  
**MOTION NUMBER:** U 08-2026 ~ Drought Contingency Plan Update

**MOTION CARRIED** ✓ 3-0

**MOTION LOST** \_\_\_\_\_

**MOTION WITHDRAWN** \_\_\_\_\_

**Moved by Councillor** \_\_\_\_\_

  
Cory Stevenson

**Seconded by Councillor** \_\_\_\_\_

  
Jill MacIsaac

  
Steven Campbell

### RESOLVED:

**Whereas:** The Town of Cornwall is required to have a Drought Contingency Plan in place by June 2026 as a requirement of the PEI Water Act Water Withdrawal Regulations for holding a Groundwater Withdrawal Permit;

**And Whereas:** The Cornwall Drought Contingency Plan has been updated at the request of the Department of Land and Environment specifically to review infrastructure through a demand policy lens, distinguish between essential and discretionary uses, define minimum service levels for public health and safety, and assess where equitable demand reductions can be applied;

**And Whereas:** The updated Drought Contingency Plan has been reviewed and deemed satisfactory by the Provincial Department of Land and Environment and by the Utility Committee, and the plan will be reviewed and renewed regularly to remain effective and aligned with provincial requirements;

**Therefore, be it Resolved:** That the Town of Cornwall adopt the updated Drought Contingency Plan as considered at the Committee of Council meeting held on May 20, 2026.