

## TOWNSHIP OF EDWARDSBURGH CARDINAL ACTION ITEM

Committee: Committee of the Whole - Public Works, Environmental Services &

**Facilities** 

Date: September 20, 2021

**Department:** Administration

12/801

**Topic:** Vaccination Policy

**Purpose:** To provide a draft COVID-19 vaccination policy for review.

**Background:** The Township is committed to providing a safe working environment for our employees, our residents and members of the public with whom we interact with on a regular basis. The purpose of the Vaccination Policy is to provide guidelines pertaining to the expectations and requirements with respect to COVID-19 vaccination and outlining how this policy is incorporated into our overall health and safety plan.

**Policy Implications:** This policy applies to any individual who is employed by or who represents the Township in any capacity, including but not limited to full-time, part-time, and temporary Township staff, volunteers and all council members. The Port of Johnstown is currently developing a separate vaccination policy.

**Financial Considerations:** There will be costs associated with asymptomatic rapid antigen testing.

**Recommendation:** That Committee recommends that Council adopt a COVID- 19 vaccination policy.

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