

## Award of External Audit Services and Appointment of Auditor for 2019 to 2023

On June 27, 2019 Regional Council made the following decision:

- Council approve the award of the contract for external audit services to KPMG LLP (KPMG), pursuant to Request for Proposal RFP 19-21 for an initial term of five years at a total cost of \$840,000.00, excluding HST, and authorize the execution of the contract on behalf of the Region.
- 2. The Commissioner of Finance be authorized to exercise the option to extend the contract for one additional term of five years, on the same terms and conditions, for a total five year cost of \$905,139.77, excluding HST, provided that the auditor has performed the services to the satisfaction of the Commissioner and the total cost is within the budget allocated to audit services.
- 3. Council appoint KPMG as the municipal auditor for the fiscal years 2019 to 2023 inclusive.
- 4. The Regional Solicitor be authorized to prepare the necessary bylaw to give effect to the appointment.