

September 4, 2018

Manitoulin Sudbury District Services Board 210 Mead Blvd, Espanola, ON P5E 1R9

Re: Assistance in Emergency Planning for Parry Sound 33 Forest Fire

Mr. Dominelli,

The Municipality of French River would like to extend our sincerest thanks to your organization in particular your professional assistance provided to us in the Parry Sound 33 Forest Fire. EMS Chief Robert Smith who joined on our many Control Group meetings, and aided in planning for the safe evacuation of our Community was greatly valued.

The assistance provided during this Emergency was exceedingly helpful and reassuring to our Staff and Council as well as our Community. Everyone on the team was a pleasure to work with, and provided us with an immense amount of support during that time.

The partnerships from all agencies involved, and the collaboration that took place to assist in the Planning for potential Evacuation of our Community was truly impressive to witness, and immensely helpful.

Sincerest thanks,

Claude Bayfard

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