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The Corporation of the Municipality of  
**Markstay - Warren**

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March 19, 2013

Fern Dominelli  
Chief Administrative Officer  
Manitoulin-Sudbury District Services Board  
210 Mead Blvd  
Espanola, ON  
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Dear Mr. Dominelli:

At their last regular meeting that was held on March 18<sup>th</sup>, 2013, the Municipality of Markstay-Warren council endorsed the attached resolution dealing with the changes to standby locations of ambulances in Sudbury East.

Hoping everything is satisfactory, I remain,

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in cursive script that reads "Francine Landrie".

Francine Landrie  
Clerical Assistant

Enclosure

c.c. The Honourable Deb Matthews, Minister of Health  
John Vanthof MPP  
Municipality of St Charles  
Municipality of French River



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**March 18, 2013**

**Resolution # 2013-86**

**Moved by: Mira Melien**

**Seconded by: Stephen Saloinin**

**WHEREAS** the Manitoulin-Sudbury District Services Board approved a resolution on February 28, 2013 supporting a management report recommending changes to standby locations of ambulances in Sudbury East

**WHEREAS** such report cites the Government of Ontario Ministry of Health LTC legislated response time to a CTAS 1 call be made in 8 minutes and 6 minutes to a SCA.

**WHEREAS** it has been proven statistically that the redeployment of the Hagar ambulance to the Noelville base and for the Noelville Ambulance to remain in Noelville during a respective calls that this change in procedures increases the chance to respond to a CTAS 1 less than 8 minutes and 6 minutes to a SCA call in the Town Noelville area only.

**WHEREAS** the change in management policy will adversely affect the residents surrounding the Hagar station by increasing the response time to calls received during any such redeployment.

**WHEREAS** the Manitoulin-Sudbury District Services Board is unable to quantify the response time as a result of the change in Standby Location from West Nipissing and Sudbury

**WHEREAS** the Sudbury East is a large geographic area in which the 8 or 6 minutes optimal response time is unfeasible in most cases except the town where the ambulance is located

**BE IT THEREFORE RESOLVED THAT** the Manitoulin-Sudbury District Services Board reverse its decision until the full impact to the affect population is researched including estimated time away from base, fastest response time to all areas when on standby and that such information be circulated to affected residents.

**BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED THAT** the Council for the Corporation of the Municipality of Markstay-Warren believes that fair and equitable response to all residents of Sudbury East should be targeted and that the achievement of a possible 8 or 6 minutes response time to a one town is not worth the sacrifice of the entire population in the region.

**AND THAT** this resolution be sent to our MPP John Vanthof, Minister of Health, MSDSB and the Municipality of St. Charles and French River and Killarney.

**CARRIED**  
**Sonja Flynn**  
**Presiding Officer**

I, Denis Turcot, Clerk for the Corporation of the Municipality of Markstay-Warren hereby certify that the foregoing is a true copy of resolution # 2013-86 endorsed by Council at their March 18<sup>th</sup>, 2013 regular council meeting.

Dated at Markstay, this 19<sup>th</sup> day of March 2013.

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read 'Denis Turcot', is written over a horizontal line.

Denis Turcot, CAO/Clerk