# Rural Municipality of Heart's Hill No. 352

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# 7.8 HEALTH and WELLNESS SERVICES

## **DEFINITION:**

## **POLICY:**

The Municipality will commit financial resources and board representation to Health & Wellness Centers in surrounding communities as they provide a variety of services to many of the local ratepayers.

Macklin and District Medical Clinic

- For clinic operations and supplies
- Annual levy \$15,000.00 @ 15.79% of total budget
- a deficit is shared proportionally between members
- 5 year agreement
- renewal date: January 1, 2021
- one Board representative

KLD Wellness Foundation-Doctor Retention Levy

- varies annually population/assessment formula
- 2020 @ \$4,000.00
- one Board representative

### RATIONALE:

As the Municipality does not have a Health & Wellness Center within its boundaries, ratepayers obtain services in neighboring communities. As the ratepayers value the proximity and availability of these services, it is imperative the Municipality provide resources to aid in the annual operational costs and longevity of the services.

### **AUTHORITY**:

Bylaw 2/16: A Bylaw to Provide for the Entering into an Agreement to Operate the Macklin and District Medical Clinic – Medical Clinic Agreement