

## **Resolution 2D**

### **PROVISION OF INSTRUCTIONAL MATERIAL ON THE SUBJECT OF LOCAL GOVERNMENT IN NOVA SCOTIA (PASSED)**

⇒ County of Kings

**WHEREAS** municipal Councillors across the Province may be called upon from time to time to visit a classroom to enlighten students on the nature of municipal government; and

**WHEREAS** it is prudent to provide our young people with knowledge on this subject as it is required to become more aware of, and more engaged in, civic affairs throughout their lives; and

**WHEREAS** there are few opportunities within the curriculum of our public school system to raise student consciousness about the importance of local government; and

**WHEREAS** public engagement remains one of the most important challenges facing all governments at all levels; and

**WHEREAS** many Councillors in Nova Scotia can make practical use of instructional material presented to our students with consistency in form and content across the Province; and

**WHEREAS** the effectiveness of such instructional material may be enhanced by tailoring one version for elementary students and another version for high school students;

**THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED** that the Union of Nova Scotia Municipalities produce and distribute to all municipalities short educational presentations on the subject of Local Government in Nova Scotia.