MANDATORY EXEMPTIONS AS CONTAINED IN THE <u>MUNICIPAL ACT</u>

In accordance with Section 135(12) of the *Municipal Act, 2001, S.O. 2001, c.25*, Woodlands Conservation By-law No. ????-2015 shall not apply to:

(a)   activities or matters undertaken by a municipality or a local board of a municipality;

(b)   activities or matters undertaken under a licence issued under the *Crown Forestry Sustainability Act*, 1994;

(c)   the injuring or destruction of trees by a person licensed under the *Surveyors Act* to engage in the practice of cadastral surveying or his or her agent, while making a survey;

(d)   the injuring or destruction of trees imposed after December 31, 2002 as a condition to the approval of a site plan, a plan of subdivision, or a consent under section 41, 51 or 53, respectively, of the *Planning Act* or as a requirement of a site plan agreement or subdivision agreement entered into under those sections;

(e)   the injuring or destruction of trees imposed after December 31, 2002 as a condition to a development permit authorized by regulation made under Section 70.2 of the *Planning Act* or as a requirement of an agreement entered into under the regulation;

(f)   the injuring or destruction of trees by a transmitter or distributor, as those terms are defined in Section 2 of the *Electricity Act*, *1998*, for the purpose of constructing and maintaining a transmission system or a distribution system, as those terms are defined in that section;

(g)   the injuring or destruction of trees undertaken on land described in a licence for a pit or quarry or a permit for a wayside pit or wayside quarry issued under the *Aggregate Resources Act*; or

(h)   the injuring or destruction of trees undertaken on land in order to lawfully establish and operate or enlarge any pit or quarry on land,

   (i)   that has not been designated under the *Aggregate Resources Act* or a predecessor of that Act; and

   (ii)   on which a pit or quarry is a permitted land use under a by-law passed under Section 34 of the *Planning Act*.