

BEING A BY-LAW TO ESTABLISH A PUBLIC
LIBRARY IN THE TOWN OF PELHAM.

WHEREAS pursuant to the Public Libraries Act, 1966,
Section 3, Subsection 1, the Council of a municipality may by by-
law establish a public library and

WHEREAS Section 6 of the Public Libraries Act 1966,
provides that the Board of a municipality having a population of
less than 10,000 shall be composed of the mayor and four members
appointed annually by the Council,

NOW THEREFORE, the Council of the Corporation of
the Town of Pelham enacts as follows: -

GENERAL

- 1) Every Public Library in the Town of Pelham shall be under the management, regulation and control of a board, which is a corporation under the name of "The Town of Pelham Public Library Board".
- 2) The said board shall consist of 4 members appointed annually by the Council and the Mayor.
- 3) Vacancies shall be filled according to Section 18 of the Public Libraries Act.

POWERS AND DUTIES OF BOARD

- 4) Every Board
 - a) shall endeavour to provide in co-operation with other boards a comprehensive and efficient library service;
 - b) shall ensure that every library under its charge is conducted in accordance with this Act and the regulations;
 - c) shall fix the times and places for the meetings of the board and the mode of calling and conducting them, and ensure that a full and correct account of the proceedings thereat is kept;
 - d) shall transmit to the Minister all reports required by this Act and the regulations or requested by him;
 - e) shall make provision for insuring the buildings and equipment owned by the board;
 - f) shall operate a main library;
 - g) shall take proper security for the treasurer or secretary-treasurer;
 - h) may operate any number of branch libraries, reading rooms, mobile units, deposit stations, art galleries, museums, and film and other special services in connection with a library that it deems necessary; and
 - i) may appoint such committees as it deems expedient.

APPOINTMENT OF LIBRARIANS

- 5) The Library Board shall appoint one or more librarian pursuant to Section 18 of the Public Libraries Act, 1966.


to the Council of the Corporation, a budget for its approval and shall make to Council, full and complete annual and other reports as required.


b) The said Library Board shall on or before February 1, in each year, submit a budget to the Council for their approval and make a complete report of the programmes conducted during the proceedings year.

OTHER

- 7) By-law # 1738 of the former Township of Pelham and by-laws of the former Village of Fonthill are hereby repealed.
- 8) This by-law shall take effect on the passing thereof.

READ A FIRST, SECOND AND THIRD TIME, FINALLY PASSED IN COUNCIL THE
5th DAY OF JANUARY 1970 A.D.


MAYOR


CLERK

