

# *The Corporation of the Township of Bonnechere Valley*

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Re: Support of Resolution to Cancel Carbon Tax

At its regular council meeting of March 20, 2024, the Council of the Township of Bonnechere Valley reviewed correspondence on

This letter is to advise that Council voted in support of this correspondence with the following resolution:

The Corporation of the  
Township of Bonnechere Valley 24.041  
Box 100, 49 Bonnechere Street East  
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## RESOLUTION

Dated this 19th day of March 2024

MOVED BY: Brent Patrick

SECONDED BY: Tracey Sanderson

**WHEREAS** the federal government recently increased the carbon tax in April 2023 and will almost triple it by 2030; and  
**WHEREAS** the Parliamentary Budget officer has admitted that when fiscal and economic impacts of the federal fuel charge are considered that the vast majority of households will see a staggering loss; and  
**WHEREAS** this tax flows through from producers to transporters to the grocery store floor for our citizens; and  
**WHEREAS** this tax does very little to reduce pollution and emissions; and  
**WHEREAS** two thirds of Canadians are approximately \$200 away or less from not being able to pay all their bills at the end of the month; and  
**NOW THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED THAT** the Township of Bonnechere Valley write a Letter to the Federal government strongly urging them to cancel the carbon tax which is financially hurting our citizens at a time when affordability concerns are at an all-time high to ease the financial and inflationary pressure on our Citizens.  
**AND FURTHER THAT** a copy of the letter be sent to MP Cheryl Gallant, the Federation of Canadian Municipalities (FCM) and all Municipalities in Renfrew County and the City of Pembroke.

CARRIED

Janifer Marple  
MAYOR

I trust you will find this satisfactory, but if you have any questions or comments please feel free to contact the undersigned.

Yours truly,

Annette Gilchrist, CMO., AOMC  
CAO/Clerk/Treasurer  
Township of Bonnechere Valley

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