



# *Municipality of Killarney*

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The Municipality of Killarney is pleased to announce that the Declaration of Emergency, due to the forest fire Parry Sound 33, has been terminated.

Due to the extraordinary work of many organizations and individuals there were no lives lost or injuries sustained during this fire, for this we are extremely grateful. We appreciate immensely the great efforts made to protect assets and infrastructure. Despite best efforts not all assets could be protected, and we extend sincere sympathies to those businesses and individuals who suffered losses due to the fire.

At this time, we would like to send a heartfelt thank you to all agencies and individuals who assisted us throughout this ordeal. In particular, we would like to recognize and thank the Ministry of Natural Resources and Forestry along with the Provincial Emergency Operations Centre for their leadership in managing fire suppression efforts and coordinating agencies and resources. A special thank you also to the Fire Rangers who put in long hours in challenging conditions – what an amazing group you are!

The Municipality also sends a special thank you to the Ontario Provincial Police for their assistance and support in evacuating residents and assisting wherever needed. We also thank Sarah Jacobs & Philippe Geoffrion (Emergency Management Ontario), Jim Rook (Community Emergency Management Coordinator-Killarney), and the Key River Area Association. All of whom were vital members of the Emergency Management Team.

Thank you all so much!

Sincerely,  
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