

REGULAR MEETING OF COUNCIL
HELD AT ST. LAWRENCE TOWN HALL
MARCH 17, 2020 AT 7:00 P.M.

MEMBERS PRESENT	MAYOR	PAUL A. PIKE
	COUNCILLORS (ON PHONE)	RODNEY DOYLE, SR. MICHEAL STACEY AMANDA SLANEY ERNIE LUNDRIGAN
	CLERK/MANAGER ASST. TOWN CLERK	ANDREA KETTLE EILEEN NORMAN
MEMBERS ABSENT	DEPUTY MAYOR COUNCILLOR	JACK WALSH ROSALIE DUPRÉ

AGENDA

The Mayor called the meeting to order.

MOTION: STACEY/LUNDRIGAN

20 – 50 Resolved to approve the agenda for March 17, 2020. All in favour, Motion Carried.

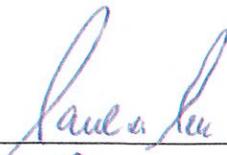
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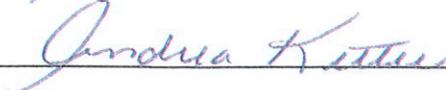
MOTION: SLANEY/DOYLE

20 – 51 Resolved to approve the minutes of March 3, 2020 as circulated. All in favour, Motion Carried.

COMMITTEE REPORTS

There were no Committee Meetings held.





FIRE DEPT.

Council was advised that the Fire Dept. needs to meet on an issue.

Mayor Pike advised the staff to arrange a meeting with the Fire Chief for next Wednesday, March 25, 2020 at 7:00 p.m.

DEFERRED CORRESPONDENCE

SAM STEWARDSHIP – ACKNOWLEDGEMENT

Discussion book place and it was agreed to file this correspondence.

LETTER FROM BURIN PENINSULA RCMP

It was agreed to wait until a later date to schedule a meeting with the RCMP.

CORRESPONDENCE TO BE ACTED ON

APPLICATION – MILLP001 – REQUESTING PERMIT TO CONSTRUCT A GREEN HOUSE

MOTION: STACEY/SLANEY

20 – 52 Resolved to approve the application from MILLP001 to construct a green house. All in favour, Motion Carried.

LETTER FROM ANGL.002 – REQUEST FOR EXEMPTION

MOTION: DOYLE/LUNDRIGAN

20 – 53 Resolved to approve the exemption of property tax for ANLG.002 in the amount of \$300.00. All in favour, Motion Carried.

It was suggested to write a letter to the Anglican Parish requesting to purchase the land on Director Drive.

APPLICATION – CROWN LAND REFERRAL – PIKEW001

MOTION: LUNDRIGAN/STACEY

20 – 54 Resolved to approve the Crown Land Referral – PIKEW001. All in favour, Motion Carried.

REQUEST FOR LEAVE OF ABSENCE – COUNCILLOR

MOTION: LUNDRIGAN/SLANEY

20 – 55 Resolved to approve a leave of absence for Councillor Rosalie Dupre' from March 14 – March 24, 2020. All in favour, Motion Carried.

REQUEST FOR LEAVE OF ABSENCE – COUNCILLOR

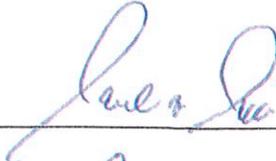
MOTION: DOYLE/SLANEY

20 – 56 Resolved to approve a leave of absence for Councillor Michael Stacey from April 1 – June 30, 2020. Councillor Slaney abstained from voting. All in favour, Motion Carried.

PROCLAMATION REQUEST FROM MNL ON BEHALF OF RECREATION NL

MOTION: SLANEY/LUNDRIGAN

20 – 57 Resolved to sign a Proclamation March 2020 as Nutrition Month. All in favour, Motion Carried.





DISCUSSION RE – COVID-19

The Manager passed along the Public Notice that was put on facebook and around town.

The Public Notice advised residents of the closing of the following Municipal Buildings until further notice:

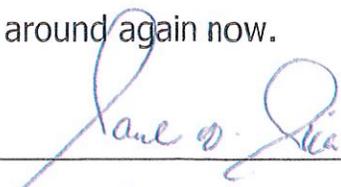
- Effective March 18, 2020, the Town Hall closed to the public – staff will be available to answer any questions or process payments by telephone or email.
- Council meetings will be closed to the public.
- Town Garage closed to the public.
- St. Lawrence Recreation Centre – Trophy Lounge & CYN – closed to the public.
- Nanny B's open for take-out service only.
- Golden Age Club – closed.
- St. Lawrence Fire Hall – closed. Fire Fighters will remain available for all emergency services.

Council advised residents that the Water Filtration building will remain open but the town would like to advise it residents to please follow the guidelines published re – using sanitary wipes on taps, etc.

Council advised that the ABM building will remain open – please follow the guidelines published re – using sanitary wipes, etc.

GENERAL DISCUSSION**DUCKS**

It was advised that there are a few ducks around again now.





It was suggested to check into this further.

ADJOURNMENT

MOTION: SLANEY

The meeting adjourned at 8:05 p.m.

Paul D. Lee

Judith K. Little