The Regular Meeting of the Council of the Township of Front of Yonge was held electronically on September 8, 2020 at 6:30 p.m. Mayor Roger Haley, and Councillors Fancy, Marcoux, Massey and Williams were in attendance.

APPROVAL OF AGENDA

Moved by Margaret Fancy and seconded by Richard Marcoux that Council approve the agenda.

Carried (#09-01)

DECLARATION OF INTEREST

No pecuniary interest was declared.

APPROVAL OF MINUTES

Moved by Richard Marcoux and seconded by Margaret Fancy that Council approve the minutes of the regular meeting of August 10, 2020.

Carried (#09-02)

APPROVAL OF ACCOUNTS

Moved by Margaret Fancy and seconded by Richard Marcoux that Council approve the accounts payable report dated August 31, 2020 which includes cheque #11542 to 11574 and the accounts payable report dated September 8, 2020 which includes cheques #11575 to 11584.

Carried (#09-03)

DELEGATES

There were no delegates present.

PUBLIC WORKS SUPERINTENDENT'S REPORT & ACTION PLAN

The Public Works Superintendent went over his report with Council. Discussion took place regarding increasing recycling fees for small businesses, since there has been an influx of cardboard and plastics being brought into the waste site. Staff will present this information to the Environmental Advisory Committee for further discussion. Areas of Marsh Road have been patched as a result of minor damage by farm equipment. Pot holes on Purvis Street will be patched as well. The gateway sign at the west end of the 1000 Islands Parkway has been reinstalled. Staff were asked to get costing on moving the steel building that is currently behind the Roads Garage to be moved to the waste site for staff use. The tender for rehabilitation of the existing tennis court at the Recreation Park will be advertised. Staff will obtain quotes for chimney repair at the Mallory Coach House.

Moved by Richard Marcoux and seconded by Margaret Fancy that Council accept the Public Works Superintendent's report and action plan.

Carried (#09-04)

CLERK'S REPORT & ACTION PLAN

The Clerk went over her report with Council. It was noted that the Township's insurance policy will not extend coverage for independent snow plow operators. Staff will follow up with the Employment & Education Centre and Habitat for Humanity regarding their "We Are the Change" program.

Moved by Margaret Fancy and seconded by Richard Marcoux that Council accept the Clerk's report and action plan.

Carried (#09-05)

CHIEF BUILDING OFFICIAL'S REPORT

Moved by Richard Marcoux and seconded by Margaret Fancy that Council accept the Chief Building Official's report.

Carried (#09-06)

<u>DRAFT BY-LAW – REGULATING AND KEEPING OF POULTRY</u>

Discussion took place regarding the draft by-law. Staff was directed to prepare a survey for public feedback. The survey will be made available online through the Township's website, social media pages, and hard copies can be picked up at the Township Office.

APPOINT EQUIPMENT OPERATOR/LABOURER

Moved by Margaret Fancy and seconded by Richard Marcoux that Council appoint Kevin Jenkins as Equipment Operator/Labourer.

Carried (#09-07)

BY-LAW – AGREEMENT WITH KEVIN JENKINS

Council agreed that the passing of by-laws to enter into agreements with subordinate employees is not necessary, as this is an administrative duty.

BY-LAW TO APPOINT PARKING BY-LAW ENFORCEMENT OFFICERS

Moved by Gail Williams and seconded by Carson Massey that a By-law to Appoint Municipal By-law Enforcement Officers be read a first and second time.

Carried (#09-08)

Moved by Carson Massey and seconded by Gail Williams that a By-law to Appoint Municipal By-law Enforcement Officers be read a third and final time, numbered as By-law #20-20, signed by the Mayor and Clerk, sealed with the Corporate Seal and engrossed in the by-law book.

Carried (#09-09)

NOISE BY-LAW EXEMPTION REQUEST – HAPPY GREEN ACRES

Moved by Gail Williams and seconded by Carson Massey that Council grant a noise by-law exemption to Happy Green Acres Campground, 2 Green Acres Road from 1:00 pm - 11:00 pm, for the following festival: Ambush Fall Jam September 24 - 26, 2020, as outlined in the attached request.

Carried (#09-10)

MALLORY COACH HOUSE COMMITTEE APPOINTMENTS

Moved by Gail Williams and seconded by Carson Massey that Council appoint Greg Blatch, Charles Hendry and Al Thompkins to the Mallory Coach House Committee.

Carried (#09-11)

SIGNAGE IN THE TOWNSHIP

Discussion took place regarding third party advertising in the township. Council was in agreement that billboards are not supported on private property. Staff was directed to draft a sign by-law.

COMMUNITY CENTRE RENTALS

Due to the increased cleaning requirements resulting from COVID-19, a temporary cleaning fee will be implemented for private Community Centre rentals.

ANNOUNCEMENTS

There were no announcements.

COVID-19 PANDEMIC

There was no discussion.

MINISTRY OF MUNICIPAL AFFAIRS & HOUSING - PROVIDING MUNICIPALITIES WITH NEW PERMISSIVE AUTHORITY

Information relating to electronic council meetings and proxy voting from the Ministry of Municipal Affairs & Housing was received.

CITY OF OSHAWA - COVID-19 FUNDING

Moved by Carson Massey and seconded by Gail Williams that Council support the resolution of the City of Oshawa regarding COVID-19 funding.

Carried (#09-12)

<u>CITY OF OWEN SOUND – SUPPORT FOR PRIVATE MEMBER'S BILL M-36 – EMANCIPATION DAY</u>

Moved by Gail Williams and seconded by Carson Massey that Council support the resolution of the City of Owen Sound regarding support for Private Member's Bill M-36 – Emancipation Day.

Carried (#09-13)

ADJOURNMENT

Moved by Carson Massey and seconded by Gail Williams that Council adjourn to meet again on September 21, 2020 at 7:00 pm, or at the call of the Mayor.

Carried (#09-14)

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