



MINUTES
Regular Council
Monday, August 9, 2021 @ 7:00 PM
Virtual Meeting

The Regular meeting of the Council of the Township of Front of Yonge was held on the evening of Monday, August 9, 2021 at 7:00 PM. Mayor Roger Haley, Councillor Margaret Fancy, Councillor Richard Marcoux, Councillor Carson Massey, and Councillor Gail Williams were present.

1. CALL TO ORDER

2. APPROVAL OF AGENDA

Moved by Councillor Richard Marcoux
Seconded by Councillor Margaret Fancy

THAT Council approve the agenda, as amended with the addition of item #10.2 - Mann Zoning By-law Amendment.

Carried 08-01

3. DECLARATION OF INTEREST; PECUNIARY OR OTHERWISE

No pecuniary interest was declared.

4. APPROVAL OF MINUTES

Moved by Councillor Margaret Fancy
Seconded by Councillor Gail Williams

THAT Council approve the minutes of the regular meeting dated July 12, 2021.

Carried 08-02

5. APPROVAL OF ACCOUNTS

Moved by Councillor Richard Marcoux
Seconded by Councillor Margaret Fancy

THAT Council approve the accounts payable report dated August 6, 2021 which includes cheques #12227 to 12262.

Carried 08-03

6. DELEGATES

There were no delegates present.

7. STAFF REPORTS

Fire Chief's Report

The Fire Chief went over his report with Council. There was an increase in calls for the month of July. Discussion took place regarding repairs to the new pumper truck. More training will be completed for firefighters who operate the vehicles. The Fire Services grant has been completed. Association meetings will resume in September.

Moved by Councillor Richard Marcoux
Seconded by Councillor Margaret Fancy

THAT Council accept the Fire Chief's report.

Carried 08-04

Public Works Superintendent's Report & Action Plan

The Public Works Superintendent went over his report with Council. The majority of the Escott/Yonge Townline Road project is complete. Discussion took place regarding sightline concerns at the intersection of County Road 5 and Old River Road. Miller Paving will be contacted regarding the condition of Purvis Street, Caintown and Cronk Woods Road. Various tasks have been completed at the Recreation Park. The Superintendent is looking into covers for the waste trailers. The horseshoe pits are completed, with the exception of sand. The pond at the Recreation Park will be cleaned out soon.

Moved by Councillor Margaret Fancy
Seconded by Councillor Richard Marcoux

THAT Council accept the Public Works Superintendent's report and action plan.

Carried 08-05

Clerk's Report & Action Plan

The Clerk went over her report with Council. Discussion took place regarding the addition and interior renovations at the Township Office. A response has not yet been received from MP Michael Barrett's office in response to the Mayor's letter regarding the CN letter of support.

Moved by Councillor Margaret Fancy
Seconded by Councillor Richard Marcoux

THAT Council accept the Clerk's report and action plan.

Carried 08-06

Chief Building Official's Report

Moved by Councillor Richard Marcoux
Seconded by Councillor Margaret Fancy

THAT Council accept the Chief Building Official's report.

Carried 08-07

8. COMMITTEE REPORTS

Community Development Committee Meeting Minutes

Moved by Councillor Carson Massey
Seconded by Councillor Gail Williams

THAT the Community Development Committee meeting minutes dated June 24, 2021 be received.

Carried 08-08

Yonge in Bloom Meeting Minutes

Moved by Councillor Gail Williams
Seconded by Councillor Carson Massey

THAT the Yonge in Bloom meeting minutes dated March 19, 2021 be received.

Carried 08-09

Environmental Advisory Committee Meeting Minutes

The Roadside Giveaway is Saturday, August 14, 2021. Councillor Fancy thanked Marvin Winter and Charles Hendry for their contributions to the virtual gypsy moth presentation.

Moved by Councillor Carson Massey
Seconded by Councillor Gail Williams

THAT the Environmental Advisory Committee meeting minutes dated June 23, 2021 be received.

Carried 08-10

Recreation Committee Update

Summer programs are running and have been very successful. Girls Inc. held a camp last week at the Community Centre.

9. BY-LAWS

Agreement – Rural Economic Development Agreement

Moved by Councillor Gail Williams
Seconded by Councillor Carson Massey

THAT a By-law to Authorize the Signing and Execution of an Agreement Between the Corporation of the Township of Front of Yonge Jointly With the Corporation of the Township of Leeds and the Thousand Islands, the Corporation of the Town of Gananoque and Her Majesty the Queen in Right of Ontario as Represented by the Minister of Agriculture, Food and Rural Affairs be read a first and second time.

Carried 08-11

Moved by Councillor Carson Massey
Seconded by Councillor Gail Williams

THAT a By-law to Authorize the Signing and Execution of an Agreement Between the Corporation of the Township of Front of Yonge Jointly With the Corporation of the Township of Leeds and the Thousand Islands, the Corporation of the Town of Gananoque and Her Majesty the Queen in Right of Ontario as Represented by the Minister of Agriculture, Food and Rural Affairs be read a third and final time, numbered as By-law #24-21, signed by the Mayor and Clerk, sealed with the Corporate Seal and engrossed in the by-law book.

Carried 08-12

Transfer Payment Agreement – Investing in Canada Infrastructure Program

Moved by Councillor Gail Williams
Seconded by Councillor Carson Massey

THAT a By-law to Authorize the Signing and Execution of an Agreement Between the Corporation of the Township of Front of Yonge and Her Majesty the Queen in Right of Ontario as Represented By the Minister of Infrastructure be read a first and second time.

Carried 08-13

Moved by Councillor Carson Massey
Seconded by Councillor Gail Williams

THAT a By-law to Authorize the Signing and Execution of an Agreement Between the Corporation of the Township of Front of Yonge and Her Majesty the Queen in Right of Ontario as Represented By the Minister of Infrastructure be read a third and final time, numbered as By-law #25-21, signed by the Mayor and Clerk, sealed with the Corporate Seal and engrossed in the by-law book.

Carried 08-14

10. CORRESPONDENCE

Library Board Appointment - Jane McAllister

Moved by Councillor Gail Williams

Seconded by Councillor Carson Massey

THAT Council appoint Jane McAllister to the Library Board.

Carried 08-15

Public Meeting Date - Zoning By-law Amendment (Mann)

Moved by Councillor Carson Massey

Seconded by Councillor Gail Williams

THAT Council set the Mann zoning by-law amendment public meeting for September 7, 2021 at 6:45 pm.

Carried 08-16

11. COMMUNICATIONS

12. RESOLUTIONS

Township of Rideau Lakes - French Public School Board Development Charges

Moved by Councillor Carson Massey

Seconded by Councillor Gail Williams

THAT Council endorse the resolution of the Township of Rideau Lakes regarding French Public School Board development charges.

Carried 08-17

13. ANNOUNCEMENTS

Public Health Units are restructuring; it is being proposed that our area be combined with areas within the GTA and Easterly regions.

14. NOTICES OF MOTION

The following resolutions will be considered at the next regular meeting:

- City of Woodstock – Affordable Housing Crisis
- Town of Cochrane – Inclusion of PSA Test for Men in the National Health Care System

15. PUBLIC QUESTION PERIOD

16. "IN CAMERA" MEETING

Moved by Councillor Richard Marcoux

Seconded by Councillor Margaret Fancy

THAT Council go "In Camera" to discuss legal matters.

Carried 08-18

Moved by Councillor Margaret Fancy

Seconded by Councillor Richard Marcoux

THAT Council come "Out of Camera" and resume the regular meeting of Council.

Carried 08-19

Mayor Haley will follow up, as directed by Council.

Moved by Councillor Richard Marcoux

Seconded by Councillor Margaret Fancy

THAT Council go "In Camera" to discuss personal matters.

Carried 08-20

Moved by Councillor Margaret Fancy
Seconded by Councillor Richard Marcoux

THAT Council come "Out of Camera" and resume the regular meeting of Council.

Carried 08-21

Mayor Haley will follow up, as directed by Council.

17. ADJOURNMENT

Moved by Councillor Carson Massey
Seconded by Councillor Gail Williams

That Council adjourn to meet again on September 7, 2021 at 6:45 pm for a zoning by-law amendment meeting, followed by a regular meeting of Council at 7:00 pm, or at the call of the Mayor.

Carried 08-22

Mayor, Roger Haley

Clerk, Jennifer Ault