

THE CORPORATION OF THE TOWNSHIP OF PAPINEAU-CAMERON

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THE REGULAR MEETING

OF THE COUNCIL OF THE CORPORATION OF THE TOWNSHIP OF PAPINEAU-CAMERON WAS HELD ON

February 28, 2023 AT 7:00 PM

COUNCIL PRESENT:

Mayor Robert Corriveau, Deputy Mayor Shelley Belanger,

Councillor Keith Dillabough, Councillor Jason Bélanger, and

Councillor Mélanie Chenier

COUNCIL ABSENT:

STAFF PRESENT:

Jason McMartin - CAO/Clerk-Treasurer and

Francine Whalley - Administrative Assistant

GUESTS PRESENT:

None

The meeting was called to order at 7:02 p.m. by Mayor Robert Corriveau.

DISCLOSURE OF PECUNIARY/CONFLICT OF INTEREST - None

PRESENTATIONS

- None

ROAD DEPARTMENT REPORT

- None

FIRE DEPARTMENT REPORT

- None

HEALTH & SAFETY REPORT

- None

CHIEF BUILDING OFFICIAL REPORT

- None

PETITIONS AND DELEGATIONS

- None

RESOLUTION 2023-33

CHANGES TO THE AGENDA THAT a closed in camera meeting session will take place at the end of the regular meeting.

Moved By: Councillor Mélanie Chenier

Seconded By: Councillor Shelley Belanger

Carried

RESOLUTION 2023-34

THAT the minutes of the Regular Meeting of February 14, 2023 be adopted as circulated.

Moved By: Councillor Shelley Belanger

Seconded By: Councillor Mélanie Chenier

Carried

MINUTES

RESOLUTION 2023-35

MINUTES

THAT the minutes of the Closed Meeting of February 14, 2023 be adopted as circulated.

Moved By: Councillor Keith Dillabough

Seconded By: Councillor Jason Bélanger

190.68

Carried

RESOLUTION 2023-36

DISBURSEMENTS

THAT the disbursements to February 28, 2023 be approved in the amount of \$98,971.57

General Department 2023 73,973.92 \$ Roads Department 2022 \$ Roads Department 2023 \$ 14,021.72 Fire Department 2023 \$ 2,370.42 Pre-Authorized 8,414.83 TOTAL \$ 98,971.57

Moved By: Councillor Shelley Belanger

Seconded By: Councillor Mélanie Chenier

Carried

RESOLUTION 2023-37

CORRESPONDENCE

THAT the correspondence to February 28, 2023 be received.

Moved By: Councillor Keith Dillabough

Seconded By: Councillor Jason Bélanger

Carried

RESOLUTION 2023-38

CASSELLHOLME

THAT Council is in agreement to support the city of North Bay's Resolution 2023-82 dated February 14. 2023 in regards to the Construction Funding Subsidy (CFS) by the Ministry of Long Term Care.

AND THAT a copy of this motion be provided to Ministry of Long Term Care, Treasury Board, MPP Victor Fedeli, and Member Municipalities of Cassellholme.

Moved By: Councillor Mélanie Chenier

Seconded By: Councillor Keith Dillabough

Carried



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RESOLUTION 2023-39

BILL 23 - MORE HOMES BUILT FASTER ACT

WHEREAS the Government of Ontario recently passed Bill 23, More Homes Built Faster Act, 2022 without providing meaningful or adequate opportunity for municipalities to provide input on ways to increase the supply of housing and to improve housing affordability in Ontario while ensuring the financial capacity of municipalities to support growth and protection of the environment;

AND WHEREAS Bill 23 will have significant negative impact on, green standards, environmental protection of wetlands, conservation, social housing and other significant areas of concern;

AND WHEREAS Bill 23 will negatively impact municipalities' ability to manage growth, fund essential services and provide new infrastructure for the community resulting in fewer affordable housing units and putting pressure on the municipal tax rate by freezing, reducing, and exempting fees and development charges;

AND WHEREAS Bill 23 will have a negative environmental impact by removing the Conservation Authority's ability to review and consult on developments impacting natural heritage and conservation; AND WHEREAS Bill 23 will result in reduced parkland for municipalities;

AND WHEREAS Bill 23 will open up the Greenbelt for development when the Greenbelt should remain an environmentally protected area so it can continue to help with flood control, provide clean air, and protect us from natural disasters;

AND WHEREAS a preliminary analysis of Bill 23 by the Association of Municipalities of Ontario (AMO) indicates the transfer of up to \$1 billion a year in costs from private sector developers to property taxpayers without any likelihood of improved housing affordability while also undermining environmental protection; AND WHEREAS a growing number of municipalities have joined in expressing their concern with the negative impacts of Bill 23;

THAT the Township of Papineau-Cameron express its opposition to Bill 23 in its current form and that this resolution be forwarded to the Premier of Ontario Doug Ford, the Minister of Municipal Affairs and Housing Steve Clark, and MPP for Nipissing Victor Fedeli.

AND FURTHER THAT a copy of this resolution be sent to the Association of Municipalities of Ontario.

Moved By: Councillor Shelley Belanger Seconded By: Councillor Keith Dillabough Carried

RESOLUTION 2023-40

VETERINARY SERVICES

THAT Council is in agreement to contribute \$225.00 towards the East Nipissing North-Parry Sound Veterinary Services Committee for April 1st, 2022 to April 1st, 2023 and \$225.00 for April 1st, 2023 to April 1st, 2024.

Moved By: Councillor Keith Dillabough

Seconded By: Councillor Jason Bélanger

Carried

RESOLUTION 2023-41

COMMUNITY LIVING DONATION

THAT Council is in agreement to contribute a \$50.00 donation towards the Mattawa Community Living as a corporate sponsor.

Moved By: Councillor Shelley Belanger

Seconded By: Councillor Keith Dillabough

Carried

Councillor Jason Bélanger exited the meeting at 7:43 p.m. and declared a Conflict of Interest due to his mother being the Vice-President of the Mattawa Senior Citizens Club.

RESOLUTION 2023-42

MATTAWA SENIORS CLUB DONATION

THAT Council is in agreement to contribute a \$500.00 donation towards the Mattawa Seniors Citizens Club.

Moved By: Councillor Shelley Belanger

Seconded By: Councillor Keith Dillabough

Carried

Councillor Jason Bélanger re-entered the meeting at 7:50 p.m.

RESOLUTION 2023-43

CLOSED MEETING

THAT the Closed Meeting will be held under section 239 (2) (d) of the Municipal Act at 8:24 p.m.

Moved By: Councillor Mélanie Chenier

Seconded By: Councillor Shelley Belanger

Carried

RESOLUTION 2023-44

REGULAR MEETING

THAT the Regular Meeting resumed at 9:45 p.m.

Moved By: Councillor Keith Dillabough

Seconded By: Councillor Jason Bélanger

Carried



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RESOLUTION 2023-45

ADJOURN

THAT the Regular Meeting adjourns at 9:50 p.m.

Moved By: Councillor Shelley Belanger

Seconded By: Councillor Keith Dillabough

Carried

PAPINEAU-CAMERON TOWNSHIP

MAYOR

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CAO/CLERK