

Municipality of Northern Bruce Peninsula Council Meeting Highlights November 27, 2023

The following is a summary of the proceedings of the Special Council Meeting held on November 27, 2023:

- Council received a report from the Treasurer regarding 2024 Municipal Community Funding Requests.
- Presentations were conducted by 15 organizations whose requests exceeded \$500.
- Council reviewed request from organizations for funding requests of \$500 or less and in-kind requests for the waiving of rental fees for Municipal facilities.
- Council received a report from the Parks and Facilities Manager regarding a draft update to the Municipal Funding Policy By-law 2020-93, as information.
- A report from the Treasurer will be presented to Council on December 11, 2023, regarding the Community Funding Requests.

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- Council approved the minutes of the November 14, 2023, Council Meeting.
- Three public meetings were held regarding the Fees and Charges By-law Update, Plan of Subdivision and Zoning Amendment Applications – S-2023-008 & Z-2023-010 (Dylan Earl), and a Procedural By-law Update.
- Council received a delegation from the Bruce County Public Library regarding an update on programing and facility/resource utilization.
- Council received a delegation from the Museum Committee regarding strategic planning updates.
- Council received a report from the Committee and Licensing Coordinator regarding the Short-term Accommodation Licensing Program – 2023 Review.
 - It was noted that a report will be included on the December 11, 2023, Council agenda regarding potential amendments to the Short-term Accommodation Program.
- Council received a report from the GIS/IT Manager regarding Telephony System Considerations.

- Council authorized the purchase of a 2023 Cat 315GC Hydraulic Excavator with attachments, including a 60 month/5000 hour extended warranty for a fee of \$249,892.00 plus HST.
- Council received a report from the Fire Chief regarding 2023 Emergency Plans and Municipal Emergency Control Group Appointments.
- Council received a report from the Municipal Law Enforcement Officer regarding the 2023 Parking Report.
 - The report will be placed on Let's Talk NBP for a period of 30 for public comment.
- Council received a report from the Treasurer regarding the 2024 Interim Tax Levy.
- Council received a report from the Clerk regarding Part Lot 20, Concession 8
 EBR, Cape Chin North Road (no 911 assigned).
- Council received a report from the Clerk regarding the resignation of Committee Co-Chair, Ruth Bainbridge, from the Museum Committee.
- Council received a report from the Chief Administrative Officer regarding an FCM letter of support.
- Council approved the minutes of the September 5 and November 16, 2023, Museum Committee Meetings.
- Councillor Sohrab inquired regarding the potential inclusion of the trail between the Lion's Head Marina and the Lion's Head Campground within the winter snow removal routes for the Public Works Department.
 - Public Works Manager, Troy Cameron, noted that the promenade walkway between the Lion's Head Marina and the Lion's Head Pavilion will be included in the winter snow removal routes as a pilot project for the 2023/24 season.
- Council received several items of correspondence as information.
- Council supported a resolution from the Town of Gore Bay regarding a request to amend Subsections 118.06 (2) and 118.07 of the Income Tax Act.
- Staff was directed to contact the Meeting Place for further information surrounding their request for support.
- Council approved four by-laws, a By-law to amend By-law 2002-54, as amended (Sharma – 7142 Highway 6), a By-law to establish Winter Minimum Maintenance Standards for Municipal Roadways, A By-law to authorize an agreement between the Municipality and Rogers Communications Canada Inc, and a Confirmatory By-law.

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