

# MINUTES Special Council Meeting Monday, March 25, 2024 Council Chambers 10:00 a.m.

**COUNCIL PRESENT:** All members of Council were in attendance this morning.

**STAFF PRESENT:** Lindsey Lee, CAO/Clerk

Angela Young, Deputy Clerk

Christina Mulcahey, Administrative Assistant

Suzanne Bouchard, Treasurer Ryan Frew, Director of Public Works Kevin Murray, Roads Supervisor

Andrea Lamontagne, Director of Recreation

Jeff Crawford, Interim Fire Chief

# MEDIA PRESENT: Nil.

### 1. Call to Order and Roll Call

We acknowledge that we are on the unceded territory of the Algonquin Anishinaabe Peoples.

# 2. Disclosure of Pecuniary Interest and the General Nature Thereof

There were no disclosures of pecuniary interest declared at this time.

### 3. Adoption of the Agenda

3.1 Dated March 25, 2024

Mayor MacKenzie noted that the link for item 7.9 is now live. Item 7.2 was moved to the top of the information list.

### **RESOLUTION - SM - 6-2024**

Moved by Councillor Robert Campbell, seconded by Mayor Mark MacKenzie *THAT* the Agenda dated March 25, 2024 be adopted as amended.

CARRIED.

# 4. Special Meeting Notice

4.1 Dated March 6, 2024

The Deputy Clerk read the Notice of Special Meeting dated March 6, 2024. This Notice was posted on the Township's website and notice board.

### RESOLUTION - SM - 7-2024

Moved by Councillor Scott Brum, seconded by Councillor Kevin Rosien **THAT** the Notice of Special Meeting dated March 6, 2024 be accepted as information as submitted and circulated.

CARRIED.

# 5. Delegations and Presentations

Nil.

### 6. Matters Arising out of Delegations Heard

Nil.

# 7. Information Items

- 7.1 Heather Lang Budgetary Concerns This item was not discussed.
- 7.2 Correspondence from Andre Szombathy

### RESOLUTION - SM - 8-2024

**THAT** Council accept the Correspondence from Andre Szombathy as information as submitted and circulated. NO VOTE REQUESTED.

Council discussed this submission and agreed that due to the writers comments of perceived inaccuracy in the Township's accounting that the budget meeting not move forward until the Treasurer has had the opportunity to vet the information being submitted.

Staff Direction: The Treasurer was directed to review the report as submitted for Item 7.2 and bring back a Staff Report for Council's review. No time frame was provided, however, the Treasurer offered to make this task a priority.

### RESOLUTION - SM - 9-2024

Moved by Deputy Mayor Lori Hoddinott, seconded by Councillor Scott Brum *THAT* the Special Meeting of Council adjourn.

For: Deputy Mayor Lori Hoddinott, Councillor Kevin Rosien, Councillor

Scott Brum, and Councillor Robert Campbell

Against: Mayor Mark MacKenzie

CARRIED. 4-1.

Mayor Mark MacKenzie requested a recorded vote

### **RESOLUTION - SM - 10-2024**

Moved by Councillor Scott Brum, seconded by Councillor Robert Campbell

**THAT** the Special Meeting of Council be re-opened for the purpose of passing the confirmatory By-Law.at 10:27 a.m.

CARRIED.

- 7.3 Clay Bank Nature Park for Outdoor Learning 2024 Budget Update This item was not discussed.
- 7.4 Arnprior/McNab/Braeside Men's Shed "Let's Do it for Glenn" Campaign This item was not discussed.
- 7.5 Bartending and Alcohol Expense Update This item was not discussed.
- 7.6 Items for Consideration Purchase of Fire Trucks This item was not discussed.
- 7.7 2024 Reserves 5 Year Summary This item was not discussed.
- 7.8 2024 Draft Capital Budget This item was not discussed.
- 7.9 Municipal Office Building Report This item was not discussed.
- 7.10 2024 Summary of Wages & Benefits This item was not discussed.

### 8. Items of Business

- 8.1 Draft Changes 2024 Budget This item was not discussed.
- 8.2 2024 Revised Draft Budget March 25 2024 This item was not discussed.

# 9. By-Laws

Nil.

# 10. Questions/Comments

Nil.

# 11. Closed Meeting Session

Nil.

# 12. Confirmatory By-Law

12.1 By-Law #2024-19 Confirm the proceedings of the March 25, 2024 Special Council Meeting

### **RESOLUTION - SM - 11-2024**

Moved by Councillor Kevin Rosien, seconded by Deputy Mayor Lori Hoddinott

**THAT** By-Law #2024-19, being a By-Law to confirm the proceedings of the March 25, 2024 Special Meeting of Council of the Corporation of the Township of McNab/Braeside has now been read a second and third time short and is hereby enacted and passed.

CARRIED.

13.	3. Adjournment This Special Council Meeting adjourned at 10:28 a.m.	
MAYO	PR	CAO/CLERK