

# **Minutes**

First Regular Council Meeting Township of the North Shore Wednesday, January 4, 2023 7:00 p.m. Hybrid Meeting

#### **ATTENDANCE**

Council: Tony Moor - Mayor

Robin Green - Councillor at Large - electronic

Mike Roach - Ward 1 Len Menard - Ward 2 Tracey Simon - Ward 3

Staff: Matt Simon, Public Works Manager/Fire Chief

Rachel Schneider, Clerk

France Gagnon, Treasurer/Bookkeeper

# **CALL TO ORDER**

The Mayor called the meeting to order at 7:00 p.m.

## **ADDITIONS TO THE AGENDA**

RESOLUTION #23-1

Moved by: L. Menard Seconded by: T. Simon

BE IT RESOLVED: That Council for the Corporation of the Township of The North Shore approves the

agenda as circulated

**CARRIED** 

# **DISCLOSURES OF PECUNIARY INTEREST**

T-Simon - Closed Session

# PRESENTATIONS/DELEGATION

# **ADOPTION OF MINUTES**

**RESOLUTION #23-2** 

Moved by: M. Roach Seconded by: T. Simon

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BE IT RESOLVED: That Council of the Corporation of the Township of the North Shore adopts the minutes of the Regular Council meeting of December 14<sup>th</sup>, 2022

**CARRIED** 

#### **COUNCIL MEMBERS REPORT**

# **CLERK'S REPORT**

Reminder to Council of the upcoming budget meeting schedule:

- Monday January 16<sup>th</sup>, 2023 at 6pm
- Monday January 30th, 2023 at 6pm
- Monday February 13th, 2023 at 6pm
- Monday February 27th, 2023 at 6pm

#### REPORTS AND MOTIONS OF MUNICIPAL STAFF, COMMITTEES AND COMMUNICATION

a) Procedure By-Law Amendment

**RESOLUTION #23-3** 

Moved by: T. Simon Seconded by: M. Roach

BE IT RESOLVED That Council for the Township of The North Shore consider and approve amending the Township of The North Shore Procedural By-Law

**CARRIED** 

b) 2022-2024 R.I.D.E. Grant approval

RESOLUTION #23-4

Moved by: T. Simon Seconded by: M. Roach

BE IT RESOLVED That Council for the Township of The North Shore authorize the Clerk and the Treasurer to sign the Transfer Payment Agreement with His Majesty the King in right of Ontario for the "Reduce Impaired Driving Everywhere" (R.I.D.E.) grant program

**CARRIED** 

c) Letter to Serpent River First Nations Re: the opening of Service Ontario

RESOLUTION #23-5 Moved by: T. Sir

Moved by: T. Simon Seconded by: L. Menard

BE IT RESOLVED: That Council for the Corporation of the Township of The North Shore receive the staff report as presented, that Council review and amend (if needed) the proposed letter addressed to Serpent River First Nation to congratulate them on the opening of Service Ontario, and that Council direct the Clerk to send the approved letter to Serpent River First Nation

**CARRIED** 

d) Office Unforeseen Incidents Policy

**RESOLUTION #23-6** 

Moved by: L. Menard Seconded by: M. Roach

BE IT RESOLVED: That Council for the Corporation of the Township of The North Shore receive the staff report as presented for consideration, and that Council approve the Office Unforeseen Policy

**CARRIED** 

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e) Legal Counsel Services Policy

RESOLUTION #23-7

Moved by: L. Menard Seconded by: T. Simon

BE IT RESOLVED: That Council for the Corporation of the Township of The North Shore receive the staff report as presented for consideration, and that Council approve the Legal Counsel Services Policy.

**DEFERRED** 

f) Employee Discipline Policy

RESÓLUTION #23-8

Moved by: L. Menard Seconded by: M. Roach

BE IT RESOLVED: That Council for the Corporation of the Township of The North Shore receive the staff report as presented for consideration, and that Council approve the Employee Discipline Policy.

**CARRIED** 

Consent Agenda -

- 1) 2022 Inspection Report for the Pronto East Drinking Water System
- 2) 2022 Inspection Report for the Serpent River Drinking Water System

**RESOLUTION #23-9** 

Moved by: M. Roach Seconded by: T. Simon

BE IT RESOLVED: That items 1 and 2, as set out on the Consent Agenda of the January 4<sup>th</sup> 2023 Regular meeting of Council, be received for information purposes.

CARRIED

#### **OLD BUSINESS**

# INTRODUCTION, READING, AND CONSIDERATION OF BY-LAWS

a) By-Law 23-01 being a By-Law to amend the Township of The North Shore Procedural By-law RESOLUTION #23-10

Moved by: T. Simon Seconded by: L. Menard

BE IT RESOLVED: That Council for the Corporation of the Township of The North Shore hereby approve By-Law 23-01 being a by-law to amend the Procedural By-Law no. 19-13 be read a first, second and third times, enacted and passed

**CARRIED** 

#### NOTICES OF MOTION

# **CLOSED SESSION**

T. Simon exited Council Chambers at 7:38 pm

RESOLUTION #23-11

Moved by: M. Roach Seconded by: L. Menard

BE IT RESOLVED: That Council for the Corporation of the Township of The North Shore move to Closed Session pursuant to Section 239 (2) of the Municipal Act, to consider items 1-11, specifically:

- ii. (b) Personal matters about an identifiable individual, including municipal or local board employees;
- v. (e) Litigation or potential litigation, including matters before administration

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- vi: (f) Advice that is subject to solicitor-client privilege, including communications necessary for that purpose
- viii. (h) information explicitly supplied in confidence to the municipality or local board by Canada, a province or territory or a Crown agency of any of them;
- xi. (k) a position, plan, procedure, criteria or instruction to be applied to any negotiations carried on or to be carried on by or on behalf of the municipality or local board

Closed session meeting attendance by: Township of The North Shore Municipal Council, Clerk, Treasurer/Bookkeeper, Public Works Manager/Fire Chief

For the purposes of legal and personnel.

**CARRIED** 

T. Simon re-entered Council Chambers at 8:01 pm

## REPORT FROM CLOSED SESSION

# RESOLUTION #23-12

Moved by: L. Menard Seconded by: T. Simon

BE IT RESOLVED: That Council for the Corporation of the Township of The North Shore arise from Closed Session at 8:18 p.m. and report as follows: Council gave direction to the Mayor and Clerk regarding the Legal and Human Resources matter.

**CARRIED** 

#### **CONFIRMATORY BY-LAW**

#### RESOLUTION # 23-13

Moved By: M. Roach Seconded By: T. Simon

BE IT RESOLVED: That the Council of the Corporation of the Township of The North Shore hereby approve By-Law No. 23-02, Being a By-Law to Confirm the Proceedings of Council at its Regular meeting held January 4<sup>th</sup> 2023 be read a first, second and third time, enacted and passed.

**CARRIED** 

## **ADJOURNMENT**

RESOLUTION # 23-14

Moved By: L. Menard Seconded By: M. Roach

BE IT RESOLVED: That the Corporation of the Township of the North Shore Regular Council meeting of January 4<sup>th</sup> 2023 do now adjourn at 8:19 pm, to meet again on the 16<sup>th</sup> day of January, 2023 at 6:00 p.m. for a Special meeting, or at the call of the Chair.

	CARRIED
Tony Moor, Mayor	
Rachel Schneider, Clerk	