

TOWN OF NEW GLASGOW
TOWN COUNCIL MEETING
MONDAY, JANUARY 17, 2022

A regular meeting of New Glasgow Town Council was held on Monday, January 17, 2022, at 6:00 p.m. using the Microsoft Teams platform. Present were: Mayor Dicks; Deputy Mayor Dorrington, Councillors Borden, Fraser, Peters, El-Haddad and MacDonald. Also present were: Lisa MacDonald, CAO; Earl MacKenzie, Town Engineer; Derek Eisan, Director of Information Technology; Thiv Tharma, Director of Community Development; Corey Smith, Director of Corporate Services; Ross White, Director of Fire, Inspection and Emergency Services; Rachel Mitchell, Sustainability and Climate Change Manager; Kelly Sloan, Executive Assistant; Frank DeMont, Solicitor and Gordon Michael and GERALYN MacDonald from Mentoring Plus.

Mayor Dicks stated that as we gather this evening, we pause to remember that in this province we live and work on lands that are by law the unceded territories of the Wabanaki peoples - predominantly the land of the Mi'kmaq. May we live with respect on this land and live in peace and friendship with its people.

AGENDA

It was regularly moved and seconded that the agenda be approved as presented.

Motion carried.

MINUTES

It was regularly moved and seconded that the minutes of the Council meetings held on December 20, 2021 be approved as amended.

Motion carried.

COMMITTEE REPORTS

COMMITTEE OF THE WHOLE REPORT

It was regularly moved and seconded that the Committee of the Whole Report be approved as presented.

Motion carried.

FINANCE REPORT

It was regularly moved and seconded that the Finance Report be accepted as presented.

Motion carried.

ENGINEERING & PUBLIC WORKS REPORT

It was regularly moved and seconded that the Engineering and Public Works Report be accepted as amended.

Motion carried.

CLIMATE CHANGE AND SUSTAINABILITY REPORT

It was regularly moved and seconded that the Climate Change and Sustainability Report be accepted as presented.

Motion carried.

SOLID WASTE REPORT

It was regularly moved and seconded that the Solid Waste Report be accepted as presented.

Motion carried.

POLICE REPORT

It was regularly moved and seconded that the Police Report be accepted as presented.

Motion carried.

COMMUNITY DEVELOPMENT REPORT

It was regularly moved and seconded that the Community Development Report be accepted as presented.

Motion carried.

BUSINESS DEVELOPMENT REPORT

There was no report

FIRE REPORT AND FIRE INSPECTION REPORT

It was regularly moved and seconded that the Fire and Fire Inspection Reports be accepted as presented.

The CAO stated that at the last Summer Street Industries board meeting, the Executive Director praised the New Glasgow Fire Department for going above and beyond when they had a sprinkler incident recently.

Motion carried.

BUILDING REPORT

It was regularly moved and seconded that the Building Report be accepted as presented.

Motion carried.

INFORMATION TECHNOLOGY REPORT

There was no report.

PROCLAMATIONS

MARTIN LUTHER KING DAY

Deputy Mayor Dorrington presented a proclamation proclaiming January 17 as Martin Luther King Jr. Day in the Town of New Glasgow.

Mayor Dicks proclaimed January 17 as Martin Luther King Jr. Day in the Town of New Glasgow.

DAY OF BLACK LOYALIST EXODUS

Councillor Borden presented a proclamation proclaiming January 15, 2022 as the Day of Black Loyalist Exodus in the Town of New Glasgow.

Mayor Dicks proclaimed January 15, 2022 as the Day of Black Loyalist Exodus in the Town of New Glasgow.

NEW BUSINESS

ACCOUNTS

It was regularly moved and seconded that the accounts be approved as presented.

Motion carried.

ADJOURNMENT

It was regularly moved and seconded that the meeting be adjourned.

Motion carried.