

6:30 p.m.

September 4, 2018

TOWN OF PETAWAWA

REGULAR MEETING OF COUNCIL

Present: Mayor Bob Sweet Deputy Mayor Tom Mohns
Councillor James Carmody Councillor Treena Lemay
Councillor Murray Rutz Councillor Theresa Sabourin
Councillor Gary Serviss

Also Present: Dawn Recoskie Karen Cronier
Denis Mahoney Judy DeGeer
Joe McDonald Maria Morena-Church
Marie-Philip Landry Dominic Newman
Cyrus Chapman (6:35 p.m.) Matthew McLean (6:42 p.m.)
Rebecca Bartlett Patricia Leboeuf

CALL TO ORDER (Moment of Silent Reflection)

The Mayor called the meeting to order at 6:30 p.m.

APPROVAL OF AGENDA

MOVED BY: Murray Rutz
SECONDED BY: Gary Serviss

- (1) That the agenda for the September 4, 2018 meeting of Council be adopted.

CARRIED

DISCLOSURE OF PECUNIARY INTEREST

There were no disclosures of pecuniary interest.

APPROVAL OF MINUTES

1. Council Meeting (August 20, 2018)

MOVED BY: Theresa Sabourin
SECONDED BY: James Carmody

- (2) That the minutes of the regular meeting of Council held August 20, 2018 be approved as printed and circulated.

CARRIED

PRESENTATIONS

There were no presentations.

BY-LAWS

1. By-law 1224/18 – being a by-law to amend By-law Number 456/07 of the Corporation of the Town of Petawawa, as amended (Radtke Estates, removal of holding symbol, “Residential One-holding” to “Residential One”)

Report #PL-30-18 – Amendment to Remove Holding Symbol, Draft Plan of Subdivision, Part of Lot 20, Concession 6

Karen Cronier, Director of Planning and Development, provided an overview of the report. Ms. Cronier explained the purpose of the amendment is to rezone 30 undeveloped lots on the Draft Plan of Subdivision to remove the holding symbol which will allow for residential development. The removal of the holding symbol can only occur when the Town has been satisfied that the downstream sanitary sewer capacity is available to service the subject lands. The Public Works Department provided Ms. Cronier with clearance, indicating the required capacity does exist and therefore the Subdivision Owner can now move forward with the application to remove the holding symbol. The effect of the amendment is to rezone the lots from “Residential One-holding” to “Residential One”.

MOVED BY: Treena Lemay
SECONDED BY: Theresa Sabourin

- (3) That By-law 1224/18, being a by-law to amend By-law Number 456/07 of the Corporation of the Town of Petawawa, as amended, be read a first and second time.

CARRIED

MOVED BY: Theresa Sabourin
SECONDED BY: Treena Lemay

- (4) That By-law 1224/18, be read a third time and passed.

CARRIED

2. By-law 1225/18 – being a by-law to amend By-law 174/01 being the Animal Control By-law

MOVED BY: James Carmody
SECONDED BY: Tom Mohns

- (5) That By-law 1225/18, being a by-law to amend By-law 174/01 being the Animal Control By-law, be read a first and second time.

CARRIED

MOVED BY: Tom Mohns
SECONDED BY: James Carmody

- (6) That By-law 1225/18, be read a third time and passed.

CARRIED

CORRESPONDENCE

There were no items of correspondence.

MINUTES

1. Petawawa Police Services Board (June 20, 2018)

Councillor Treena Lemay provided an overview of the recent activities of the Petawawa Police Services Board. Councillor Serviss inquired when the bicycle patrol had been conducted in Petawawa; Councillor Lemay will follow up with the Detachment Commander. Responding to Mayor Sweet, Councillor Lemay highlighted the issue of accidental 911 calls (dropped calls, hang ups, and pocket dials) and the estimated cost to the municipality in 2018 for these accidental calls is \$24,370.94. Councillor Lemay appealed to the public to take preventive measures to ensure these types of calls do not occur, such as wearing the phone in a holster instead of putting in your pocket or purse; removing batteries and SIM cards from old cell phones; and not allowing your children to play with your cell phone unsupervised.

MOVED BY: Treena Lemay
SECONDED BY: Murray Rutz

- (7) That the minutes of the Petawawa Police Services Board meeting held on June 20, 2018 be adopted as information.

CARRIED

STAFF REPORTS

There were no staff reports.

COUNCILLOR REPORTS

Deputy Mayor Tom Mohns reported revenue for recyclable materials has been decreasing at the Ottawa Valley Waste Recovery Centre. Deputy Mayor Mohns also reported that a decision has not been made by the Province yet with regard to Bill 151, *Waste-Free Ontario Act*.

Councillor Treena Lemay reported she attended the Association of Municipalities of Ontario (AMO) Conference in Ottawa August 20-21, 2018.

Councillor Theresa Sabourin reported she submitted questions to the Pembroke and Area Airport Commission regarding the 2018 budget that was presented to Council previously. This item will be a topic of discussion at the next Commission meeting. Councillor Sabourin hopes to bring forward a balanced budget from the Commission to Council in October.

Councillor Murray Rutz reported he attended a Festival Hall Committee meeting on August 30, 2018. Festival Hall has hosted 51 events to-date with approximately 18,000 attendees. 52% of tickets purchased for events at Festival Hall are purchased online and approximately 30% of attendees at Festival Hall events are Petawawa residents. Councillor Rutz reported the Town Times will be distributed with the Fall/Winter Community Guide shortly. Councillor Rutz reported he had the opportunity to use the Algonquin Trail recently; he thanked Mayor Sweet and the County of Renfrew for developing the trail for use by our residents.

Councillor James Carmody reported he promoted the use of www.voterlookup.ca to Town residents to get their names added to the Voters' List; he would like to see an increase in the voter turnout for the 2018 municipal election.

Councillor Gary Serviss reported he helped to organize the Run to RED (Remember Everyone Deployed) event which was held on August 18, 2018.

Mayor Bob Sweet announced that Paul Moreau has been appointed to the position of CAO/Clerk for the County of Renfrew effective September 29, 2018 following the retirement of Jim Hutton. Mayor Sweet reported he attended the Get to the Point Beach Festival on August 25, 2018, the rainy weather was unfortunate, but residents still turned out to enjoy the music and various vendors. Mayor Sweet also attended the ATV Memorial Ride for Carl Larocque; Mayor Sweet thanked the Pembroke and Area Airport Commission for allowing the Renfrew County ATV Club to use their property as the starting and ending point for the ride.

CLOSED MEETING

There was no closed meeting.

CONFIRMING BY-LAW

MOVED BY: Murray Rutz
SECONDED BY: Gary Serviss

(8) That By-law 1226/18 be read a first, second and third time and passed.

CARRIED


ADJOURNMENT

MOVED BY: Gary Serviss
SECONDED BY: Murray Rutz

(9) That the meeting adjourn to the call of the Mayor.

CARRIED

The meeting adjourned at 7:02 p.m.



Mayor



Deputy Clerk