**November 5, 2012** 

#### TOWN OF PETAWAWA

#### **REGULAR MEETING OF COUNCIL**

Present:

**Mayor Bob Sweet** 

**Deputy Mayor Tom Mohns** 

Councillor James Carmody Councillor Murray Rutz Councillor Frank Cirella Councillor Theresa Sabourin

Regrets:

Councillor Treena Lemay

Also Present:

Dawn Recoskie

**Daniel Scissons** 

Cecilia Buelow

Kyle Robinson

**Sean Chase** 

**Adam Hodnett** 

# **CALL TO ORDER** (Moment of Silent Reflection)

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

## APPROVAL OF AGENDA

**MOVED BY:** 

**James Carmody** 

SECONDED BY:

Frank Cirella

(1) That the agenda for the November 5, 2012 meeting of Council be adopted.

CARRIED

#### DISCLOSURE OF PECUNIARY INTEREST

There were no declarations of pecuniary interest.

### **APPROVAL OF MINUTES**

1. Council Meeting (October 15, 2012)

**MOVED BY:** 

Frank Cirella

**SECONDED BY:** 

**James Carmody** 

(2) That the minutes of the regular meeting of Council held October 15, 2012 be approved as printed and circulated.

CARRIED

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## **PRESENTATIONS**

1. Reassessment Update (Petawawa) – Cecilia Buelow, Municipal Property Assessment Corporation

Daniel Scissons, Treasurer/Deputy CAO, introduced Cecilia Buelow. Ms. Buelow provided an overview of the assessment cycle and advised the 2012 Property Assessment Notices will be mailed to Renfrew County residential/farm property owners on November 19, 2012. Ms. Buelow advised the % change in value estimate from 2008 to 2012 for the Town of Petawawa residential properties is 16.07%. She also outlined the "AboutMyProperty" online tool that residents can use to compare their property assessment with others in the Town of Petawawa. Ms. Buelow further advised the date to file a Request for Reconsideration of your property assessment has been extended to April 1, 2013.

#### **BY-LAWS**

1. By-law 801/12 – Being a by-law to provide that Section 50(5) of the *Planning Act* not apply to Block 60, 61 and 62 Registered Plan 49M-50.

**MOVED BY:** 

Theresa Sabourin

**SECONDED BY:** 

James Carmody

(3) That By-law 801/12 – Being a by-law to provide that Section 50(5) of the *Planning Act* not apply to Block 60, 61 and 62 Registered Plan 49M-50, be read a first and second time.

CARRIED

**MOVED BY:** 

SECONDED BY:

James Carmody Theresa Sabourin

(4) That By-law 801/12 – be read a third time and passed.

CARRIED

## **CORRESPONDENCE**

1. <u>Ministry of Citizenship and Immigration – June Callwood Outstanding Achievement</u> Award for Voluntarism in Ontario

The correspondence was received for information.

## **MINUTES**

1. Council-in-Committee (October 22, 2012)

**MOVED BY:** 

Frank Cirella

**SECONDED BY:** 

**Murray Rutz** 

(5) That the minutes of the Council-in-Committee meeting held October 22, 2012 be accepted by Council and that resolutions from that Committee become resolutions of Council.

CARRIED

2. Special Council-in-Committee (October 29, 2012)

**MOVED BY:** 

**Murray Rutz** 

**SECONDED BY:** 

Frank Cirella

(6) That the minutes of the Special Council-in-Committee meeting held October 29, 2012 be accepted by Council and that resolutions from that Committee become resolutions of Council.

**CARRIED** 

3. Petawawa Accessibility Advisory Committee (June 19, 2012 and August 28, 2012)

**MOVED BY:** 

Theresa Sabourin

**SECONDED BY:** 

**Tom Mohns** 

(7) That the June 19, 2012 and the August 28, 2012 minutes of the Petawawa Accessibility Advisory Committee be adopted as information.

CARRIED

4. Petawawa Police Services Board (July 18, 2012)

**MOVED BY:** 

Tom Mohns

**SECONDED BY:** 

Theresa Sabourin

(8) That the minutes of the Petawawa Police Services Board meeting of July 18, 2012 be adopted as information.

CARRIED

# **STAFF REPORTS**

There were no staff reports.

## **COUNCILLOR REPORTS**

Councillor Murray Rutz advised he attended the Tourism Strategy meeting on October 16, 2012 as well as the Accessibility training session on October 19, 2012. Councillor Rutz also attended the grand re-opening of the PMFRC employment centre on October 20, 2012 and he attended the Warden's Banquet on November 2, 2012. Councillor Rutz reminded members of the public of the many Remembrance Day events taking place this Sunday and encouraged all to attend.

Councillor Frank Cirella advised he also attended the Warden's Banquet and congratulated Mayor Sweet on serving five terms as Warden of Renfrew County.

Councillor James Carmody advised he also attended the Tourism Strategy meeting and the Warden's Banquet as well as the Algonquin Land Claim update on October 23, 2012.

Councillor Theresa Sabourin advised she attended the Special Olympics Be a Fan Day on October 25, 2012. She advised as part of the Special Olympics fundraising campaign people can purchase red shoe laces with the Special Olympics logo, \$3.00 for one pair or \$5.00 for two pairs. Councillor Sabourin also attended the PMFRC employment centre event as well as the Warden's Banquet. On November 1, 2012 Councillor Sabourin attended the Environmental Stewardship Committee meeting. Councillor Sabourin reminded members of the public of the Christmas Angels dinner that is held at Kelsey's, she noted there will be takeout orders and deliveries available by reservation this year.

Deputy Mayor Tom Mohns attended the PMFRC employment centre event, the Accessibility training session, the Algonquin Land Claim update, and the Physician Recruitment meeting on October 25, 2012. Deputy Mayor Mohns advised he would like to introduce Paul Hoban, Executive Director of the Petawawa Centennial Family Health Centre (PCFHC), at a future meeting of Council, preferably November 19, 2012. He advised the PCFHC has started a Walk-in Clinic which will occur on Monday's and Thursday's from 5:00 p.m. to 8:30 p.m. for members of the public. Deputy Mayor Mohns also congratulated Mayor Sweet on serving five terms as Warden of Renfrew County.

Mayor Bob Sweet advised he attended the United Way Harvest Breakfast, the Bridges to Better Business meeting, and the CP Rail meeting, all on October 18, 2012. Mayor Sweet also attended the Eastern Ontario Warden's Caucus.

# **CLOSED MEETING** – if necessary

There was no closed meeting.

# **CONFIRMING BY-LAW**

**MOVED BY:** 

**Tom Mohns** 

**SECONDED BY:** 

Theresa Sabourin

(9) That By-law 802/12 be read a first, second and third time and passed.

**CARRIED** 

# **ADJOURNMENT**

**MOVED BY:** 

**Tom Mohns** 

**SECONDED BY:** 

Theresa Sabourin

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

**CARRIED** 

The meeting adjourned at 7:21 p.m.

Mayor

Deputy Clerk