# THE OROMOCTO TOWN COUNCIL MEETING IN REGULAR SESSION

July 20, 2023, 5:30 PM AT THE OROMOCTO MUNICIPAL BUILDING

Present: Deputy Mayor Lorraine Dawe, Councillor Jeff Kirkbride,

Councillor Raymond Henry, Councillor Brad Whalen, Councillor

Kelly Murdock, Councillor Ryan Carr, Councillor Gary von

Richter

Members Absent: Councillor Sheridan Mawhinney

In Attendance: Mayor Robert Powell, Gillian Mersereau, Executive Assistant,

John Jackson, CAO/Clerk

### 1. CALL MEETING TO ORDER

The meeting was called to order at 6:32 pm.

## 2. APPROVAL OF THE AGENDA

Resolution Number: 2023-68

**Moved by:** Councillor Gary von Richter **Seconded by:** Councillor Raymond Henry

RESOLVED: THAT the Agenda for the Oromocto Town Council Meeting in

Regular Session on 20 July 2023 be approved.

**CARRIED** 

### 3. DISCLOSURES OF INTEREST

## 4. MAYOR'S COMMENTS

Mayor Powell welcomed the new HR Manager and the Tourism & Communications Officer, both, commence their employment on Monday, 24 June.

Mayor Powell expressed how pleased he was with this years Pioneer Days. He thanked the committee members and the Town departments that assisted.

# 5. ADOPTION OF MINUTES

Resolution Number: 2023-69

Moved by: Councillor Ryan Carr

Seconded by: Councillor Brad Whalen

RESOLVED: THAT the minutes for the Oromocto Town Council Meeting in

Regular Session on 22 June 2023 be approved.

**CARRIED** 

# 6. PETITIONS, PRESENTATIONS OR DELEGATIONS

## 6.a Millennium Award Presentation

The Mayor presented a Millennium Award to the Oromocto and Area SPCA to recognize their many volunteers and their respective service to the community.

## 7. COUNCILLOR REPORTS

7.a Capital Region Service Commission

Mayor Powell reported that the committee met on the 6th and 22nd June. He spoke about the funds Oromocto is receiving for medical recruitment. He noted that what isn't spent this year goes back to the government to be redistributed next year.

- 7.b Planning and Advisory Committee Nil
- 7.c Recreation and Tourism Committee Nil
- 7.d Age-Friendly Community Advisory Committee Nil
- 7.e Climate Action/Zero Carbon Committee

Councillor Carr reported that the committee is busy with Expo preparations and that they received 40k for the development of a Climate Change Adaptation Plan.

- 7.f Library Committee
- 7.g Oromocto and Area Chamber of Commerce
- 7.h Oromocto Pioneer Gardens Nil

## 8. CONSIDERATION OF BY-LAWS

8.a 1st Reading by Title Only of Proposed By-Law 510-D, A Municipal Plan By-Law for the Town of Oromocto

Resolution Number: 2023-70

Moved by: Councillor Brad Whalen Seconded by: Councillor Kelly Murdock

**CARRIED** 

8.b 2nd Reading in its Entirety of Proposed By-Law 51-D, A Municipal Plan By-Law for the Town of Oromocto

Resolution Number: 2023-71

Moved by: Deputy Mayor Lorraine Dawe Seconded by: Councillor Brad Whalen

**CARRIED** 

8.c 1st Reading by Title Only of Proposed By-Law 522-G, A Zoning By-Law for the Town of Oromocto

Resolution Number: 2023-72

Moved by: Councillor Brad Whalen Seconded by: Councillor Jeff Kirkbride

**CARRIED** 

8.d 2nd Reading in its Entirety of Proposed By-Law 522-G, A Zoning By-Law for the Town of Oromocto

Resolution Number: 2023-73

Moved by: Councillor Jeff Kirkbride

Seconded by: Councillor Gary von Richter

CARRIED

## 9. UNFINISHED BUSINESS

### 10. NEW BUSINESS

10.a Hubbard Street School Property

**Resolution Number: 2023-74** 

Moved by: Councillor Kelly Murdock

Seconded by: Deputy Mayor Lorraine Dawe

**RESOLVED: THAT** the Chief Administrative Officer be authorized to begin the project planning for the construction of a muti-purpose facility, to be situated at the former Hubbard Street School location, with a total

investment of not more than \$50 million dollars.

CARRIED

10.b Land Sale - Brayson Boulevard

**Resolution Number: 2023-75** 

**Moved by:** Councillor Raymond Henry **Seconded by:** Councillor Gary von Richter

**RESOLVED:** THAT the Mayor and CAO/Clerk be authorized to enter into a purchase and sale agreement with 708402 NB Ltd. for the property located on Brayson Boulevard, PID 60195054, for the purchase price of

\$131,979.00.

**CARRIED** 

10.c Hiring - Human Resources Manager

Resolution Number: 2023-76

**Moved by:** Councillor Brad Whalen **Seconded by:** Councillor Jeff Kirkbride

**RESOLVED: THAT** Barbara Hatt be appointed to the position of Human

Resource Manager effective 24 July 2023.

**CARRIED** 

11. ADJOURNMENT

Resolution Number: 2023-77

**Moved by:** Deputy Mayor Lorraine Dawe **Seconded by:** Councillor Ryan Carr

RESOLVED: THAT the Regular Session of the Oromocto Town Council be

adjourned at 6:48 pm.

**CARRIED** 

Chief Administrative Officer/Clerk

Mayo

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