

REGULAR MEETING OF NASHWAAK RURAL COMMUNITY COUNCIL

May 17, 2023 7:00 p.m.

In Attendance:

Mayor David Sweeney Councillor Jeff Foster

Councillor Heather Holt-Logan Councillor Amy Floyd

Councillor Victoria Green Councillor Andrew Ferris

Councillor Doug Koch CAO Bethany Ryan

Councillor Mike Mulherin

The meeting was called to order at 7:00pm with all members of Council present, and no conflict of interest disclosures.

APPROVAL OF PREPARED AGENDA

Motion: To accept the agenda as presented.

Moved by: V. Green
Seconded by: M. Mulherin
Result: Carried

<u>APPROVAL OF PREVIOUS MINUTES</u>

Minutes of the Regular meeting of Nashwaak Council of April 19, 2023 were reviewed.

Motion: To accept the minutes as presented.

Moved by: A. Ferris
Seconded by: M. Mulherin
Result: Carried

Minutes of the Special meeting of Nashwaak Council of April 27, 2023 were reviewed.

Motion: To accept the minutes as presented.

Moved by: V. Green Seconded by: D. Koch Result: Carried

FINANCIAL STATEMENTS/BUDGET

Council reviewed the April financial report.

Motion: To accept the financial report as presented.

Moved by: J. Foster Seconded by: V. Green Result: Carried

DEPARTMENTAL REPORTS

Administrative Report - CAO

The CAO provided an update on the administrative activities for the previous month. She suggested that the next step of the Strategic Plan would be to gather feedback from Council through a survey.

Protective Services

i) Stanley Volunteer Fire Department

Trevor Tomilson provided the report for the SVFD.

ii) Nashwaak Valley Fire Department

Stephen Bliss provided the report for the NVFD.

The Chiefs have almost finished their review of the Fire Department Policy Manual. The next step will be for Council to review.

iii) CRSC (Capital Regional Service Commission)

Mayor Sweeney provided a report on the meetings he attended in April.

Transportation Services

i) DTI Depots

Action: CAO to ask DTI about the process for acquisition after

decommissioning.

NEW BUSINESS

Committee Reports

EMO

Councillor Green provided an update on the Committee's activities. The EMO Plan is about 60% complete. It will be reviewed by the Committee when complete and then a recommendation will be brought to Council.

Land Use Planning

Councillor Foster explained that he and Councillor Floyd met with CRSC on April 26. The Nashwaak plan is on their schedule to be completed in 2027.

Recreation

Councillor Koch provided an update on the Committee's activities since the last meeting. He provided information on requested ATV routes from Quad NB. Council approved proposed routes #1 and #2 but chose not to support the request for route #3.

Councillor Koch also provided an update on plans for Nashwaak Days.

Community Bulletin Boards

Councillor Floyd inquired about the budget for community boards in each ward. Council agreed that it is something they should look at for the 2024 Budget.

Community Office Renovations

Motion: To investigate the option of renovating the Community Office by obtaining

quotes to expand the boardroom (to include rough drawings).

Moved by: Councillor Foster

Seconded: Councillor Logan

In favour: Councillors Mulherin, Koch, Green, Floyd

Opposed: Councillor Ferris

Result: Carried

Nashwaak Villa Board

Councillor Holt-Logan accepted the appointment to sit on the Nashwaak Villa Board.

AJOURNMENT

The meeting was adjourned at 8:40 p.m.

Next regular meeting: June 21, 2023 @ 7:00 p.m. at Stanley Mutual