

# JUNE MEETING HIGHLIGHTS



## **June 5 Council Meeting**

- Permission was granted for Hastings Prince Edward Public Health to carry out larviciding activities to prevent/control West Nile virus if deemed necessary.
- Council supported a resolution from the City of Cambridge calling for legislative amendments to improve municipal Codes of Conduct and their enforcement.
- Council supported a resolution from the City of Cambridge regarding the use of automated speed enforcement systems.
- Council supported a resolution from Prince Edward County regarding the proposed new Provincial Policy Statement.
- Council supported a resolution from the Town of Plympton-Wyoming regarding Bell-Hydro infrastructure.
- By-laws were enacted as follows: agreement with Environmental 360 Solutions Ltd. for waste collection and disposal; appointing a Building Inspector; agreement with Pierce Animal Control for provision of animal control services; assuming a road widening along Springbrook Road and an amendment to the Committee Appointment by-law.

## **June 6 Environmental Committee Meeting**

- Environmental Manager's Report for May 2023 was received.
- 2022 annual monitoring report for the Rawdon Landfill was received.
- Clerk's Report regarding delegation of authority for execution of
- dedicated locator agreements was received and that the Environmental
- Manager be the delegated authority.

## **June 6 Environmental Committee Meeting - Cont'd**

- Discussion regarding request for assistance from properties on Frankford Road, and that the request be denied.
- Discussion regarding future of the recycling program. Staff is to arrange to have Quinte Waste Solutions attend a future Committee meeting to provide a presentation on recycling and the upcoming transition process.

## **June 6 Transportation Committee Meeting**

- Public Works Manager's Report for May 2023 was received.
- Staff was directed to send a letter to homeowners who have access to the trail, informing them there are no approved entrances and therefore all entrances are to be off of main roads.
- Public Works Manager's Report regarding RFP's received for the Geo- Technical work on Gospel Road was received. Committee recommendation that none of the tenders be accepted and the project be completed in-house.
- CAO-Treasurer's Report regarding the relocation of the Stirling Wall was received. Committee recommendation that the low quote from T.R.D. Construction be accepted and that the wall be relocated to the Elaine Crescent park entrance on Belleville Road.
- Discussion regarding a draft by-law to regulate entry onto and the cutting and reinstatement of municipal roadways. Committee recommendation that the amended by-law be enacted at the June 19, 2023 Council meeting.
- Correspondence received from the Tourism Development Coordinator for the County of Hastings regarding electric charging stations. Interest in exploring possible partnership with Natural Resources Canada through the Zero Emission Vehicle Infrastructure program

## **June 13 Special Council Meeting**

- Council had discussion with MPP Ric Bresee in regard to sustainable funding for infrastructure, the housing crisis, doctor recruitment and insurance.

## **June 13 Planning Advisory Committee Meeting**

- Public meeting was held to rezone approximately 0.75 hectares of land at 476 Hoards Road from Rural Residential to Rural Residential Exception zone to allow for the operation of a GellyBall business.
- Public meeting was held to rezone approximately 0.4 hectares of land at 567 Kings Mill Road from Permanent Agriculture to Rural Residential zone. The remaining 40.1 hectares are to be rezoned from Permanent Agriculture to Permanent Agriculture Exception zone to prohibit residential uses and to prohibit the existing buildings from being used for livestock.
- The zoning by-law amendment for 476 Hoards Road was approved with the condition of a buffering hedge, and will come to Council for by-law enactment.
- The zoning by-law amendment for 567 Kings Mill Road was approved and will come to Council for by-law enactment.
- An application for consent for 502 Sarles Road was received and approved subject to the following conditions: that a survey on the severed and retained lands be received, property taxes be paid to date, road widening across the frontage be deeded to the Township, a
- safe site entrance be installed on the severed lot and that the applicant register a warning clause on title for the severed lot regarding the proximity to the Extractive Reserve designation.

## **June 19 Council Meeting**

- Grand opening of Makerspace at the Library is June 21 at 5:00 pm.
- By-laws were enacted as follows: delegated authority for dedicated locator agreements; regulate entry, cutting and reinstatement of
- municipal roadways; agreement with Stirling Festival Theatre; zoning by-law amendments for 476 Hoards Road and 567 Kings Mill Road; boundary road agreement with the City of Quinte West; and an agreement with Streetscan Canada ULC for pavement inspection and management services.

## **June 27 Environmental Committee**

- Environmental Manager's Report for June 2023 was received.

## **June 27 Transportation Committee**

- Public Works Manager's Report for June 2023 was received.
- Committee recommendation that the installation of student silhouettes
- and the Hastings Prince Edward Public Health/Quinte Region Traffic
- Coalition Active School Travel Campaign be supported.
- Request from resident to reinstate missing sidewalk on Emma Street
- was received. Direction for a staff report on costs to be brought back.

## **June 27 Protection to Persons and Property Committee**

- Deputation received from Jamie DeMarsh, Chair of the Community Policing Advisory Committee regarding the Township's participation.
- Fire Chief's Report for June 2023 was received.
- Recommendation that SOGs 1016, 1017, 1018, 1019 and 1020 be
- adopted.
- Fire Chief's Report regarding Fire Dispatch Services was received.
- Recommendation that the Fire Chief be approved for single source
- procurement of Fire Dispatch Services with the City of St. Catharines.

## **June 27 Protection to Persons and Property Committee - Cont'd**

- By-law Enforcement Report from January to May 2023 was received.
- Building Inspection Services Report for May 2023 was received.
- Animal Control Officer's Report for May 2023 was received.
- Seniors Active Living Centres Program Expansion correspondence was received from the Ministry of Tourism, Culture and Sport / Minister of Seniors and Accessibility. Township will not be applying to the Province to start a new program.

## **June 27 Finance & Personnel Committee Meeting**

- Committee received a presentation from BFL Canada regarding insurance coverage and the current insurance marketplace for municipalities in Ontario.
- The CAO-Treasurer's Report for June 2023 was received.
- Committee recommendation that monies received by the Township from criminal background record checks and other services provided to residents by the OPP be forwarded to the Community Policing Advisory Committee for use in Committee initiatives.
- Springbrook Public Works garage roof tender awarded to Jeffrey G. Wallans Construction Limited at a cost of \$163,900.00 to be funded from Public Works and Fire Reserve accounts.
- Tender results were received for the Stirling rink and Springbrook rink roof projects. Tenders were not awarded for either project.
- Discussion regarding badges and ID cards for Council members. Staff to obtain these items.