

OCTOBER MEETING HIGHLIGHTS



October 1 Standing Committees Meeting

- Motion to receive Quinte Waste Solutions 2025 budget presentation and approval motion. Direction to advise Quinte Waste Solutions that the Township will continue its payments as per the current contract.
- Monthly reports were received from the Public Works Manager, Fire Chief, CAO-Treasurer and Animal Control Officer.
- Report from the Public Works Manager regarding a tree on North Nancy Street was received. Recommendation that the tree be removed.
- The following Fire SOGs were approved:
 - SOG 8006 Equipment Maintenance and Repair Final Sept 2024
 - SOG 8007 Department leave of absence Final Sept 2024
 - SOG 8010 Release of Information Final Sept 2024
 - SOG 8011 Weekend Duty Cres Final Sept 2024
 - SOG 8012 Fire Fighter Medicals Final Sept 2024
- Correspondence from the City of Brampton regarding their Automated Speed Enforcement Processing Centre was received. Direction provided to request a presentation from the City of Brampton.

- Report from the CAO-Treasurer regarding a follow up to a deputation request was received. Recommendation to Council that staff be directed not to waive any penalty or interest.
- Report from the CAO-Treasurer detailing the Community Fund application requests submitted was received. Recommendation that the following application requests be approved for the 2025 budget:
 - Stirling & District Horticultural Society - \$3500.00
 - Stirling & District Lions Club - \$650.00
 - Rotary Club of Stirling - \$2000.00
 - Stirling Legion Branch 228 - \$800.00
 - Farmtown Park - \$500.00
 - Stirling Agricultural Society - \$5000.00
 - Stirling Festival of Sacred Praise - \$250.00
 - Daybreak – St. Paul’s United Church - \$250.00

Further recommendation that requests received from Community Development Council of Quinte, Campbellford Memorial Hospital Foundation, Stirling Musical Instrument Lending Library and Belleville Bearcats be denied for 2025.

- Municipal Housing Infrastructure Program funding report was received. Recommendation to Council that staff be directed to apply for MHIP funding for Mill Street from James Street to Ridge Road.
- Report from the CAO-Treasurer regarding the 2025 Capital Budget was received. Recommendation was made to Council for capital projects to proceed to tender/RFP for further review and discussion during the 2025 budget deliberations – Motion was rescinded and replaced at November 5th, 2024 Station Committee meetings
- Report received from the CAO-Treasurer regarding the 2025 preliminary budget survey results.
- GHG Reduction Pathways Program Proposal prepared by Sustainable Projects Group and Hummingbird Energy was received.
- Ontario Community Infrastructure Fund 2025 allocation notice (formula funding) was received.
- 2024 Communities in Bloom evaluation was received.

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- Motion to receive the 2024-2025 winter sand tender results. Tender awarded to Cobourg Development Services in the amount of \$85,072.00 (including HST).

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- Motion to support Good Road's request for the establishment of an Ontario Rural Safety Program.
- Motion to support Ontario Big City Mayor's Solve the Crisis Campaign, requesting the Provincial and Federal governments take action to address the growing mental health, addictions and homelessness crisis in Ontario.
- The following by-laws were enacted:
 - 51-24 – Road Closure and Sale – Adjacent to Concession 8, Lots 18 and 19, geographic Township of Rawdon
 - 52-24 – Agreement with Rotary Club for operation and maintenance of the CN Station