

SEPTEMBER MEETING HIGHLIGHTS



September 5 Council Meeting

- A public meeting was held regarding the stop up, closure and sale of a portion of road allowance known as Concession 1, Lot 11, Registered Plan (Parts): Nancy Street, Plan 38 (west of Park Lot 7, RP 38) between Park Lots 6 & 7. A report from the Clerk on the matter was received. Council provided direction to proceed with the sale to the applicant.
- By-law 63-23, an agreement for provision of poundkeeper services was passed.

September 5 Environmental Committee Meeting

- Committee received deputations from both the Crowe Valley and Lower Trent Conservation Authorities regarding their memorandum of understanding. Committee recommendation to Council that the MOUs with the CVCA and LTCA be approved by by-law.
- The Environmental Manager's Report for August 2023 was received.

September 5 Transportation Committee Meeting

- Committee received a deputation from Stirling Festival Theatre regarding flooding from outside sources. Committee requested a report from staff at a future meeting.
- Committee also received a presentation from Liberty Power regarding a battery energy project.
- The Public Works Manager's Report for August 2023 was received.
- A report from the Clerk regarding an application to close a municipal road allowance (Con 2 and 3 Part 1 on Plan 21R-24014) was received with a recommendation from Committee that the property be declared surplus and that an appraisal of the property be required.
- Discussion regarding closure of an unopened road allowance on Harold Road and subsequent transfer to landowner in return for the forced portion of Harold Road deeded to the Township. Committee recommendation that the Township split survey costs as related.
- Volvo grader replacement report was received with a Committee recommendation that we lease a John Deere Grader for 36 months.

September 18 Council Meeting

- Presentation of a certificate of appreciation to Rodney Cooney and Cooney Farms for 40 years of volunteering and sponsorship of Stirling Minor Hockey.
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- By-laws 68-23 and 69-23 being zoning by-law amendments on Squire Road were passed.
- By-law 70-23 to appoint a by-law officer was passed.

September 27 Protection to Persons & Property Committee Meeting

- A deputation was received from the Market in the Village regarding the 4th Annual Holiday Market.
- The Fire Chief's Report for August/September 2023 was received with a Committee recommendation that SOGs 2006, 2007, 2008, 2009, 2010, 2011, 2012, 2013, 2014 and 2015 be approved.
- By-law Enforcement Services Board Report for January to July 2023 was received.
- Building Inspection Services Board Report for July 2023 was received.
- The Economic Development Officer's Report was received.
- The CAO's report regarding the Market in the Village was received and a Committee recommendation to Council that the Market be allowed to use the Covered Bridge parking lot and that the BIA hire an off duty police officer or security guard to provide site security.

September 27 Finance and Personnel Committee Meeting

- The CAO-Treasurer's Report was received and a Committee recommendation to Council that a discussion regarding the Stirling Festival Theatre be referred to 2024 budget discussions.
- A presentation was received regarding the 2022 audited Financial Statements and comparison to 2021 from Baker Tilly KDN LLP.