Municipality of Trinity Bay North Regular Council Meeting August 8, 2023

Minutes of a regular meeting of the Council of the Municipality of Trinity Bay North, held in the Town Hall, August 8, 2023

Members Present

Mayor

David Bartlett (arrived 5:23pm)

Deputy Mayor Councillors

Dean Lodge Albert Johnson Doreen Rumbolt

Pauline Stagg
Terence Stead
Jane Tucker

Also Present

Town Clerk

Valerie Rogers

Town Manager

Darryl Johnson

CALL TO ORDER

A quorum being present Deputy Mayor Lodge called the meeting to order at 5:10p.m.

ADOPTION OF AGENDA

Remove #10 under New Business - Coaker Foundation Appeal

Motion #2023-08-08-6168 - Johnson/Tucker

Be it resolved the agenda be adopted with the above deletion.

In favour 5 {Deputy Mayor Lodge, Councillors Johnson, Stagg, Stead & Tucker}

Opposed 1; {Councillor Rumbolt}; Motion Carried

ADOPTION OF MINUTES

Regular Meeting of June 27, 2023

Deputy Mayor Lodge asked if there were any errors or omissions in the minutes of the regular meeting of June 27, 2023 which had been circulated with the agenda.

Motion #2023-08-08-6169 - Stagg/Tucker

Be it resolved the minutes of June 27, 2023 regular meeting of council be adopted as presented.

In favour 6 {Deputy Mayor Lodge, Councillors Johnson, Rumbolt, Stagg, Stead & Tucker} Opposed 0; Motion Carried

Special Meeting of July 24, 2023

Deputy Mayor Lodge asked if there were any errors or omissions in the minutes of the special meeting of July 24, 2023 which had been circulated with the agenda.

Motion #2023-08-08-6170 - Tucker/Stead

Be it resolved the minutes of July 24, 2023 special meeting of council be adopted as presented.

In favour 6 (Deputy Mayor Lodge, Councillors Johnson, Rumbolt, Stagg, Stead & Tucker) Opposed 0; Motion Carried

Regular Meeting of July 18, 2023

Deputy Mayor Lodge asked if there were any errors or omissions in the minutes of the regular meeting of July 18, 2023 which had been circulated with the agenda.

• Change the date from July 25th to July 18th

Motion #2023-08-08-6171 - Tucker/Rumbolt

Be it resolved the minutes of July 18, 2023 regular meeting of council be adopted with the above correction.

In favour 6 {Deputy Mayor Lodge, Councillors Johnson, Rumbolt, Stagg, Stead & Tucker} Opposed 0; Motion Carried

BUSINESS ARISING FROM MINUTES

Mayor Bartlett arrived at 5:23p.m.

Transportation & Infrastructure

Motion #2023-08-08-6172 - Bartlett/Stagg

Be it resolved we move into a privileged meeting at 5:24p.m. In favour 7 {Mayor Bartlett, Deputy Mayor Lodge, Councillors Johnson, Rumbolt, Stagg, Stead & Tucker} Opposed 0; Motion Carried

Motion #2023-08-08-6173 - Bartlett/Stagg

Be it resolved we move back into the regular meeting at 5:28p.m. In favour 7 {Mayor Bartlett, Deputy Mayor Lodge, Councillors Johnson, Rumbolt, Stagg, Stead & Tucker} Opposed 0; Motion Carried

Mayor Bartlett advised that correspondence is forthcoming from Minister Abbott regarding the Port Union Historic District Water/Sewer Project.

Mayor Bartlett assumed the chair at 5:29p.m.

Deputy Mayor Lodge departed the meeting at 5:31p.m. due to a prior commitment.



Port Union Wharf

Motion #2023-08-08-6174 - Johnson/Stead

Be it resolved we place a barricade and "Use at Own Risk" sign on the Port Union wharf and a "Use at Own Risk" sign on the Little Catalina wharf.

In favour 6 {Mayor Bartlett, Councillors Johnson, Rumbolt, Stagg, Stead & Tucker}

Opposed 0; Motion Carried

TOWN CLERK'S REPORT

Audit

The Town Clerk advised that Richard Power was unsuccessful in reaching Beacon Accounting regarding their 2021 audit.

Motion #2023-08-08-6175 - Stead/Rumbolt

Be it resolved we allow the Mayor to contact Richard Power and the Association of Chartered Professional Accountants of Newfoundland and Labrador to file a complaint regarding Beacon Accounting.

In favour 6 {Mayor Bartlett, Councillors Johnson, Rumbolt, Stagg, Stead & Tucker} Opposed 0; Motion Carried

Bills

The Town Clerk presented the bills for payment in the amount of \$34,644.93 and opened the floor for any questions.

Motion #2023-08-08-6176 - Tucker/Rumbolt

Be it resolved the bills submitted for payment in the amount of \$34,644.93 be approved.

In favour 6 {Mayor Bartlett, Councillors Johnson, Rumbolt, Stagg, Stead & Tucker} Opposed 0; Motion Carried

Deputy Mayor Lodge returned to the meeting at 6:14p.m.

Budget Variance Report

The Quarterly Budget Variance Report for January-July, 2023 was included for council's perusal.

Quick Statistics Summary (Accounts Receivable)

The Quick Statistics Summary up to July 30, 2023 consisting of a breakdown of accounts receivable, collections for July, collections this year, adjustments and discounts for July, adjustments and discounts this year, and the percentage of taxes collected to date were enclosed for council's perusal.

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Bank Balance

The bank balance to the end of July, 2023 was \$764,898.34.

TOWN MANAGER'S REPORT

The Town Manager provided a written report on items he's been working on since the last meeting.

FINANCE

Nothing to report

PUBLIC WORKS/WATER RESOURCES

Minutes of a meeting held on July 12, 2023 were enclosed for council's perusal.

RECREATION - PARKS/PLAYGROUNDS/TRAILS

Minutes of a meeting held on July 4; July 12 & July 26, 2023 were enclosed for council's perusal.

JCP Project

Motion #2023-08-08-6177 - Stead/Stagg

Be it resolved the Town Manager complete a safety inspection of all municipal public buildings and provide a written report to council with statement confirming they are safe for public access.

In favour 7 (Mayor Bartlett, Deputy Mayor Lodge, Councillors Johnson, Rumbolt, Stagg, Stead & Tucker) Opposed 0; Motion Carried

Motion #2023-08-08-6178 - Stead/Lodge

Be it resolved the Town Manager have the employees on the JCP Project renovate the storage room at the Frank Power Chalet to provide a secure recreation storage area.

In favour 7 {Mayor Bartlett, Deputy Mayor Lodge, Councillors Johnson, Rumbolt, Stagg, Stead & Tucker} Opposed 0; Motion Carried

FIRE DEPARTMENT

Nothing to report.

TIDY TOWNS

Nothing to report.

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TOURISM/ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT/LANDS

Councillor Rumbolt provided a verbal report as she didn't have time to draft up minutes before the meeting.

Motion #2023-08-08-6179 - Stead/Rumbolt

Be it resolved we move into a privileged meeting at 6:49p.m. In favour 7 {Mayor Bartlett, Deputy Mayor Lodge, Councillors Johnson, Rumbolt, Stagg, Stead & Tucker} Opposed 0; Motion Carried

Councillor Stead removed himself from the discussion at 7:06p.m and departed the meeting.

Motion #2023-08-08-6180 - Johnson/Stagg

Be it resolved we move back into the regular meeting at 7:10p.m. In favour 6 {Mayor Bartlett, Deputy Mayor Lodge, Councillors Johnson, Rumbolt, Stagg & Tucker} Opposed 0; Motion Carried

Councillor Stead returned to the meeting at 7:10p.m.

Motion #2023-08-08-6181 - Lodge/Johnson

Be it resolved the Town of Trinity Bay North has no issues with the application for Crown Lands referral (E-160997 – Applicant Glenn Mackey) received from the Department of Fisheries, Forestry and Agriculture.

In favour 7 {Mayor Bartlett, Deputy Mayor Lodge, Councillors Johnson, Rumbolt, Stagg, Stead & Tucker} Opposed 0; Motion Carried

Motion #2023-08-08-6182 - Rumbolt/Johnson

Be it resolved we move into a privileged meeting at 7:13p.m.

In favour 7 {Mayor Bartlett, Deputy Mayor Lodge, Councillors Johnson, Rumbolt, Stagg, Stead & Tucker} Opposed 0; Motion Carried

Motion #2023-08-08-6183 - Stagg/Rumbolt

Be it resolved we move back into the regular meeting at 7:16p.m. In favour 7 {Mayor Bartlett, Deputy Mayor Lodge, Councillors Johnson, Rumbolt, Stagg, Stead & Tucker} Opposed 0; Motion Carried

Municipal Plan and Regulations Amendments No. 2, 2022

Motion #2023-08-08-6184 - Johnson/Tucker

The Public Hearing on Municipal Plan and Regulations Amendments No 2, 2022 concerning minor text amendments and the addition of commercial uses to the Residential designation of the Plan and residential land use zone

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was duly advertised. No objections were received by the advertised deadline and the Public Hearing was cancelled.

Therefore, be it resolved that Municipal Plan and Development Regulations Amendments No 2, 2022 be approved as adopted.

Furthermore, that the amendments be forwarded to the Minister of Municipal and Provincial Affairs for registration as required by the Urban and Rural Planning Act, 2000.

In favour 7 {Mayor Bartlett, Deputy Mayor Lodge, Councillors Johnson, Rumbolt, Stagg, Stead & Tucker} Opposed 0; Motion Carried

Municipal Plan and Regulations Amendments No 3, 2023

Motion #2023-08-08-6185 - Stagg/Tucker

The Public Hearing on Municipal Plan and Regulations Amendments No 3, 2023 concerning the addition of Recreational Vehicle Parks to the Open Space designation of the Plan and Open Space land use zone was duly advertised. No objections were received by the advertised deadline and the Public Hearing was cancelled.

Therefore, be it resolved that Municipal Plan and Development Regulations Amendments No 3, 2023 be approved as adopted.

Furthermore, that the amendments be forwarded to the Minister of Municipal and Provincial Affairs for registration as required by the Urban and Rural Planning Act, 2000.

In favour 7 {Mayor Bartlett, Deputy Mayor Lodge, Councillors Johnson, Rumbolt, Stagg, Stead & Tucker} Opposed 0; Motion Carried

<u>ADJOURNMENT</u>

Motion #2023-08-08-6186 - Lodge/Johnson

Be it resolved the meeting adjourn.

In favour 7 (Mayor Bartlett, Deputy Mayor Lodge, Councillors Johnson, Rumbolt, Stagg, Stead & Tucker) Opposed 0; Motion Carried

The meeting adjourned at 7:21p.m.

The continuation of this regular meeting is scheduled for Tuesday, August 15th, 2023 @ 5:30p.m.

DAVID BARTLETT

MAYOR

VALERIE ROGERS
TOWN CLERK