

# Minutes of the Regular Public Meeting of Council

Council Chambers, Town Hall, 25 Toulinquet Street, Twillingate NL, A0G 4M0

Date: June 11, 2024

Present

Mayor

Justin Blackler

Deputy Mayor

Wayne Greenham (Joined at 16:05)

Councilor Councilor Lloyd Blake Mike Johnson

Councilor Councilor Danny Andrews
Janice Barnes (Joined at 16:15)

Councilor

Andrew Rowsell

Regrets

None

Staff

CAO

Jeff Burt

Guests

Twillingate / New World Island Pool Committee

Resident – Sherry Pelley

#### 1. Call to Order

Called to order by Mayor Blackler at 16:00
Privileged portion of meeting to speak with staff from 16:00-16:15

### 2. Proclamations/Presentations

Twillingate / New World Island Pool Committee presented feedback on their experiences as a pool committee and their disappointment with council. They are suspending their efforts at this point with a possibility of pursuing the initiative again in the future.

Sherry Pelley presented her feedback regarding public notice for rezoning of 45 Upper Jenkins Cove Road.

Presentations ended at 4:53, CAO requested a 10-minute recess in proceedings. Meeting resumed at 5:03

#### 3. Approval of Agenda

24-088 That the agenda be adopted as presented

Moved by

Deputy Mayor Greenham

Seconded by

Councilor Rowsell

Vote 7/0

In Favor Blackler, Greenham, Blake, Johnson, Andrews, Barnes, Rowsell

Opposed

**Motion Carried** 

#### 4. Minutes/Motions for Approval

24-084 To remove all taxes and interest from account for the period of July-December of 2021 including interest.

Moved by

Mayor Blackler

Seconded by

Councilor Rowsell

Vote 7/0

In Favor Blackler, Greenham, Blake, Johnson, Andrews, Barnes, Rowsell

Opposed

24-085 To approve interest adjustment in the amount of \$504.99

Moved by

**Councilor Barnes** 

Seconded by

Councilor Rowsell

Vote 7/0

In Favor Blackler, Greenham, Blake, Johnson, Andrews, Barnes, Rowsell

Opposed

**Motion Carried** 

24-086 To approve adjustments in the amount of \$51.24

Moved by

**Councilor Barnes** 

Seconded by

Councilor Rowsell

Vote 7/0

In Favor Blackler, Greenham, Blake, Johnson, Andrews, Barnes, Rowsell

Opposed

Motion Carried

24-087 Be it resolved that, we the Ultimate Recipient Town of Twillingate, accept cost-shared funding as outlined in the Department of Transportation and Infrastructure project approval letter date 29<sup>th</sup> day of May, 2024, Project number 17-MCW-25-00069 Project name Pumphouse Retrofit – Phase 2 – Twillingate – Wild Cove Pond with a total project value of \$ 1,293,463. This Council agrees to provide the Ultimate Recipient share value of \$ 117,296 in funding for this project and authorizes the Mayor and Town Clerk to enter into a funding agreement with the Department of Transportation and Infrastructure on behalf of the Town of Twillingate.

Moved by

Deputy Mayor Greenham

Seconded by

Councilor Rowsell

Vote 7/0

In Favor Blackler, Greenham, Blake, Johnson, Andrews, Barnes, Rowsell

Opposed

**Motion Carried** 

# 5. Business Arising from Previous Minutes

24-089 To accept the minutes from the previous meeting

Moved by

Councilor Rowsell

Seconded by

Councilor Andrews

Vote 7/0

In Favor Blackler, Greenham, Blake, Johnson, Andrews, Barnes, Rowsell

Opposed

### 6. Reports - Standing Committees

### **Recreation Committee Liaison (Councilor Barnes)**

None

#### **Finance Committee (Councilor Barnes)**

24-090 - To pay the bills as presented

Moved by

**Councilor Barnes** 

Seconded by

Councilor Rowsell

Vote 7/0

In Favor Blackler, Greenham, Blake, Johnson, Andrews, Barnes, Rowsell

Opposed

**Motion Carried** 

24-091 To send facilities Coordinator to Arena Operators Course

Moved by

**Councilor Barnes** 

Seconded by

Councilor Rowsell

Vote 7/0

In Favor Blackler, Greenham, Blake, Johnson, Andrews, Barnes, Rowsell

Opposed

**Motion Carried** 

24-092 To purchase advertising for the sum of \$120.00 plus any applicable taxes

Moved by

**Councilor Barnes** 

Seconded by

Councilor Greenham

Vote 7/0

In Favor Blackler, Greenham, Blake, Johnson, Andrews, Barnes, Rowsell

Opposed

**Motion Carried** 

24-093 To donate on Rockcut Ballcap as a gift for a graduating student of JM Olds Collegiate

Moved by

Councilor Barnes

Seconded by

Deputy Mayor Greenham

Vote 7/0

In Favor Blackler, Greenham, Blake, Johnson, Andrews, Barnes, Rowsell

Opposed

24-094 To create positions and hire employees as presented

Moved by

Councilor Rowsell

Seconded by

Councilor Johnson

Vote 7/0

In Favor Blackler, Greenham, Blake, Johnson, Andrews, Barnes, Rowsell Opposed

**Motion Carried** 

### **Community Services (Councilor Barnes)**

None

**Rockcut Trail Liaison (Councilor Rowsell)** 

None

### **Protective Services (Councilor Rowsell)**

- Correspondence was read from a resident regarding walking safety within the municipal boundaries of Twillingate. Council agreed with and could attest to the same and feel that action is needed. Larger discussion and more information needed regarding this.
- As of June 1, 2024 emergency dispatch services have been merged completely into a province wide system. There is now only 911 for ambulance dispatch in the province.

#### Fisherman's Committee (Councilor Blake)

None

### **Tourism Committee (Mayor Blackler)**

Mayor Blackler presented information from TwillQuest, spoke of how children from the school had completed this adventure and it was a fantastic experience.

There was also a discussion held regarding the quality of cell phone coverage in Twillingate, reiterated the need for the community to provide feedback to providers.

24-095 To approve as presented the memorandum of understanding with Visit Twillingate

Moved by

**Councilor Andrews** 

Seconded by

**Councilor Barnes** 

Vote 7/0

In Favor Blackler, Greenham, Blake, Johnson, Andrews, Barnes, Rowsell

Opposed

**Motion Carried** 

#### Age Friendly Committee (Mayor Blackler)

None

# **Public Works Committee (Deputy Mayor Greenham)**

24-096 To accept quote for line painting as presented

Moved by

Deputy Mayor Greenham

Seconded by

Councilor Johnson

Vote 7/0

In Favor Blackler, Greenham, Blake, Johnson, Andrews, Barnes, Rowsell

Opposed

**Motion Carried** 

24-097 To approve purchase of radiator as presented

Moved by

Councilor Johnson

Seconded by

Councilor Greenham

Vote 7/0

In Favor Blackler, Greenham, Blake, Johnson, Andrews, Barnes, Rowsell

Opposed

**Motion Carried** 

24-098 To approve the purchase of ice control material as presented

Moved by

Deputy Mayor Greenham

Seconded by

**Councilor Andrews** 

Vote 7/0

In Favor Blackler, Greenham, Blake, Johnson, Andrews, Barnes, Rowsell

Opposed

### Planning and Development Committee (Councilor Rowsell)

Councilor Rowsell presented a circular from Water Resources Management

24-099 To accept as approved development application for 43 Back Harbor Road

Moved by

Councilor Rowsell

Seconded by

**Councilor Barnes** 

Vote 7/0

In Favor Blackler, Greenham, Blake, Johnson, Andrews, Barnes, Rowsell

Opposed

**Motion Carried** 

24-100 To approve as presented, amendment to development application for 17 Bridger's

Lane

Moved by

Councilor Rowsell

Seconded by

Councilor Johnson

Vote 7/0

In Favor Blackler, Greenham, Blake, Johnson, Andrews, Barnes, Rowsell

Opposed

**Motion Carried** 

24-101 To approve the application 98733 for crown lands

Moved by

Councilor Rowsell

Seconded by

**Councilor Barnes** 

Vote 7/0

In Favor Blackler, Greenham, Blake, Johnson, Andrews, Barnes, Rowsell

Opposed

**Motion Carried** 

### Heritage Committee (Councilor Johnson)

None

#### 7. Administration/New Business

None

- 8. Regulations No Report
- 9. Adjournment

24-102 Move to Adjourn the meeting

Moved by

Deputy Mayor Greenham

Seconded by

Councilor Rowsell

Meeting adjourned at 18:19

Signature of CAO

Signature of Mayor