



Minutes

Corporation of the Town of Kirkland Lake
Meeting of Council
Council Chambers, Town Hall
February 18, 2020
4:40 p.m.

Attendance

Mayor: Pat Kiely
Councillors: Rick Owen
Casey Owens
Stacy Wight
Patrick Adams
Dennis Perrier
Eugene Ivanov
Staff: Acting Chief Administrative Officer: Yves Labelle
Municipal Clerk: Meagan Elliott
Finance Manager/Treasurer: Keith Gorman
Senior Financial Analyst: Sheri Matthews
Director of Planning and Land Development: Ashley Bilodeau
Director of Community Services: Bonnie Sackrider
Roads Foreman: Steve Ranta
Airport/Cemetery/Landfill Supervisor: Rick Charbonneau
Fire Chief: Rob Adair
General Manager of Public Works: Michel Riberdy
Deputy Treasurer: Peter Georgeoff
Director of Care: Nancy Loach

Moment of Silence

Mayor Pat Kiely requested a moment of silence.

Approval of the Agenda

Moved by: Casey Owens

Seconded by: Eugene Ivanov

That Council approves the Agenda for its Regular Meeting of February 18, 2020 as presented.

CARRIED

Declaration of Pecuniary Interest

Mayor Pat Kiely requested those present to declare any pecuniary interest with matters appearing on the agenda.

None Declared.

Petitions and Delegations

There were no petitions or delegations appearing before Council.

Acceptance of Minutes and Recommendations

Moved by: Casey Owens

Seconded by: Eugene Ivanov

That Council accepts the minutes of the following meetings:

- Minutes of the Special Meeting of Council held February 12, 2020
- Minutes of the Regular Meeting of Council held February 4, 2020
- Minutes of the Committee of Adjustment Meeting held October 22, 2019

CARRIED

Reports of Municipal Officers and Communications

- i. Treasurer
 - a. Finance Committee Meeting Briefing
- ii. Manager of Land Development and Planning
 - a. Awarding of RFP-548-19: Zoning By-law Update
 - b. Expanding Scope of Work with EACOM Forestry Contract
 - c. Request to Amend the Traffic and Parking By-law
 - d. Winter Laneway Maintenance Agreement
 - e. Contracted Building Services
- iii. Clerk
 - a. Request Support from Municipalities for Safer Roads
 - b. Bill 156: Security from Trespass and Protecting Food Safety Act
 - c. Application to Host the Federation of Northern Ontario Municipalities (FONOM) Annual Conference
 - d. 2020 Conference Attendees
- iv. Mayor Pat Kiely
 - a. Community Safety and Well Being Plan

Motions Arising From Reports of Municipal Officers and Communications

Moved: Eugene Ivanov

Seconded: Casey Owens

That Council proceed with awarding RFP-548-19: Zoning By-law contract to J. L. Richards at a total contractual price of \$21,962.00 +HST.

CARRIED

Moved: Casey Owens

Seconded: Eugene Ivanov

That Council proceed with expanding the scope of work for the EACOM Forestry Contract to include blocks TKL 13 and 14 and that any additional revenues be allocated to the CIP Program.

CARRIED

Moved: Casey Owens

Seconded: Eugene Ivanov

THAT Council direct staff to formulate a By-law that:

- Restricts parking (winter only) for parallel parking along the western side of Al Wende Drive;
- Extends the Community Safety Zone on Grierson to incorporate the new bus loading area;
- Clearly regulate parking in municipal parking lots

CARRIED

Moved: Eugene Ivanov

Seconded: Casey Owens

That Council agree with establishing agreements with residents/contractors to conduct winter maintenance activities in laneways, where rear yard access is necessary.

THAT Council appoint administrative powers to the General Manager of Public Works to execute laneway/public property maintenance agreements.

CARRIED

Moved: Casey Owens

Seconded: Eugene Ivanov

That Council proceed with passing a By-law to designate RSM Building Consultants as Deputy Chief Building Official for the Town of Kirkland Lake.

CARRIED

Moved: Patrick Adams

Seconded: Eugene Ivanov

Whereas the member of municipalities of the Temiskaming Municipal Association have been pressing the provincial government to enforce public safety and reduce the horrendous amount of accidents on Highway 11 in this area by increasing winter maintenance on said highway,

And whereas we understand that a Level One Highway maintenance program may not be attainable in Northern Ontario we have been advised that by lowering the circuit times for snow plows to 1.6 hours or level one is attainable through the addition of more snow plows,

Therefore be it resolved that the Town of Kirkland Lake petitions the Ministry of Transportation to enhance the level of service on Highway 11 by lowering the circuit times of the snow plow and combination plow/sander unit routes to 1.6 hours or level one.

And further, that this resolution be forwarded to Honourable Caroline Mulroney, Minister of Transportation Ontario and to all member municipalities for their support.

CARRIED

Moved: Eugene Ivanov

Seconded: Patrick Adams

Whereas the Provincial Government of Ontario is considering Bill 156, *Security from Trespass and Protecting Food Safety Act, 2019*; and

Whereas Bill 156 is intended to protect farms, farm operations, and food safety and security by addressing unwanted trespassing; and

Whereas Ontario farmers are increasingly under threat of unwanted trespassers who are illegally entering property, barns and buildings, and safety of drivers of motor vehicles transporting farm animals which threatens the health and safety of the farm, employees, livestock and crops; and

Whereas additional protection for the agri-food industry to protect the security of the food chain, the farm owners, family and employees is the purpose of the *Security from Trespass and Protecting Food Safety Act, 2019*; and

Whereas unwanted trespassing occurs on all types of farm operations, including grain farmers, which has the potential to impact the safety and security of people and the food chain;

Now Therefore Be It Resolved That the Town of Kirkland Lake supports the intent of Bill 156 and requests that the Province of Ontario expanding Bill 156 to identify and include protections against trespass for grain farm operations; and

That a copy of this Motion be sent to the Honourable Doug Ford, Premier of Ontario, The Honourable Ernie Hardeman, Minister of Agriculture, Food and Rural Affairs, the Honourable Steve Clark, Minister of Municipal Affairs and Housing, Andrea Horwath, Leader of the New Democratic Party of Ontario, John Fraser, Interim Leader of the Liberal Party of Ontario, Mike Schreiner, Leader of the Green Party of Ontario, and Monte McNaughton, MPP, Middlesex-Kent; and

That a copy of this motion be sent to the Association of Municipalities of Ontario (AMO), and Ontario municipalities.

CARRIED

Moved: Patrick Adams

Seconded: Eugene Ivanov

That Council approve the following conference attendance for 2020:

AMO 2020: CAO Rick McGee, Councillor Stacy Wight, Councillor Patrick Adams

FONOM 2020: CAO Rick McGee, Mayor Pat Kiely

CARRIED

Moved: Eugene Ivanov

Seconded: Patrick Adams

That the Council for the Town of Kirkland Lake request the District of Timiskaming Social Services Board (DTSSAB) to take a lead in administering and developing a Community Safety and Well Being Plan for our District;

THAT the costs associated with this Plan be included in the DTSSAB budget with the costs pro-rated to the municipalities using the cost sharing formula that is already in place.

CARRIED

Introduction, Reading and Consideration of Bylaws

Moved: Patrick Adams

Seconded: Eugene Ivanov

That Bylaw 20-018 being a bylaw to Authorize the Borrowing upon Amortizing Debentures towards the cost of a 2019 John Deere 644K Loader be read a first, second and third time, enacted and passed.

CARRIED

Moved: Dennis Perrier

Seconded: Stacy Wight

That Bylaw 20-019 being a bylaw to Delegate Administrative Powers to the Manager of Public Works be read a first, second and third time, enacted and passed.

CARRIED

Moved: Stacy Wight

Seconded: Dennis Perrier

That Bylaw 20-020 being a bylaw to Stop Up, Close and Declare the Laneway Located to the West of Lots 794 to 803, Plan M-137 as Surplus Land be read a first, second and third time, enacted and passed.

CARRIED

Moved: Dennis Perrier

Seconded: Stacy Wight

That Bylaw 20-021 being a bylaw to Authorize the Mayor and Clerk to Execute an Agreement with Northern Ontario Heritage Fund Corporation for Expansion of Municipal Services Adjacent to the Industrial Park be read a first, second and third time, enacted and passed.

CARRIED

Moved: Stacy Wight

Seconded: Dennis Perrier

That Bylaw 20-023 being a bylaw to Appoint a Deputy Chief Building Official and Property Standards Officer be read a first, second and third time, enacted and passed.

CARRIED

Questions from Council to Staff

Moved: Patrick Adams

Seconded: Casey Owens

That Council accepts material provided by Patrick Adams re: Tiered Response Calls and no staff report from Rob Adair is needed to bring to Council.

CARRIED

Notice(s) of Motion

There were no notices of motions presented before Council.

Confirmation Bylaw

Moved: Dennis Perrier

Seconded: Stacy Wight

That Bylaw 20-022 That being a bylaw to confirm the proceedings of Council at its meeting held February 18, 2020 be read a first, second and third time, enacted and passed.

CARRIED

Councillor's Reports

Members of Council commented on their activities over the past 2 weeks.

Additional Information

There was no additional information added to the agenda.

Adjournment

Moved: Stacy Wight

Seconded: Dennis Perrier

That council adjourn to an In-Camera Meeting, pursuant to Section 239(2) of the Municipal Act to discuss identifiable individuals within the Corporation.

CARRIED

The meeting adjourned at: 6:19pm

Pat Kiely, Mayor

Meagan Elliott, Clerk