

# MUNICIPALITY OF THE COUNTY OF **ANTIGONISH**

## Municipal Council Meeting- Minutes

Tuesday, October 15, 2019

7:30 pm

### Councillors Present:

Warden Owen McCarron

Deputy Warden Hugh Stewart

Councillor Mary MacLellan

Councillor Donnie MacDonald

Councillor Vaughan Chisholm

Councillor Remi Deveau

Councillor John Dunbar

Councillor Gary Mattie

Councillor Neil Corbett

Councillor Bill MacFarlane

### Staff Present:

Beth Schumacher, Deputy Clerk

Shirlyn Donovan, Strategic Initiatives Coordinator

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### Call to Order- Chairman, Warden Owen McCarron

Warden McCarron called the meeting to order at 7:40pm.

### Approval of Agenda

Warden McCarron called for any additions or deletions to the agenda.

#### **Min # 2019-135**

MOVED by Deputy Warden Stewart

SECONDED by Councillor Dunbar

That the agenda be approved as presented.

**Motion Carried**

### Approval of September 23, 2019 Municipal Council Minutes

Warden McCarron called for any errors or omissions.

#### **Min # 2019-136**

MOVED by Councillor MacDonald

SECONDED by Councillor MacLellan

That the Municipal Council Minutes of September 23, 2019 be approved.

**Motion Carried**

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**Business Arising from Minutes**

Councillor Dunbar thanked Council for observing a moment of silence in memory of his wife Tracy.

**Presentations**

**Donald MacLellan - Recipient of the 2019 Kings Mutual Cattle Producer of the Year Award**

Warden McCarron presented Mr. Donald MacLellan with a certificate to recognize him being named the 2019 Cattle Producer of the Year by the Nova Scotia Cattlemen's Association. Mr. MacLellan thanked Municipal Council, and spoke briefly about his experience. Photographs were taken.

**Correspondence**

There was no correspondence.

**Committee Reports**

October 1, 2019 Asset Management Committee Report

**Min # 2019-137**

MOVED by Councillor MacFarlane

SECONDED by Councillor Chisholm

That Municipal Council submit an application to the Province requesting consideration of the following for the 2020/2021 J-Class Road cost sharing program:

- Somers Road
- Gilfoy Road
- Grandview Drive
- Willowdale Lane

**Motion Carried**

October 1, 2019 Committee of the Whole Report

**Min # 2019-138**

MOVED by Deputy Warden Stewart

SECONDED by Councillor Deveau

That Municipal Council adopt the Audited Financial Statements as presented.

**Motion Carried**

**Min # 2019-139**

MOVED by Councillor MacDonald

SECONDED by Councillor Corbett

That Municipal Council approve the Financial Information Return.

**Motion Carried**

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October 15, 2019 Committee of the Whole Report

**Min # 2019-140**

MOVED by Deputy Warden Stewart

SECONDED by Councillor MacLellan

That Municipal Council accept all bids on the tax sale by tender that closed on October 4th, 2019 as presented, with the exception PID 01282219, which will be bought into the Municipality, and further recommends that the Municipality accept the write-offs for the Tax Sale Expense and Unsightly Premises as outlined.

**Motion Carried**

**Min # 2019-141**

MOVED by Deputy Warden Stewart

SECONDED by Councillor Chisholm

That Municipal Council approve the installation of streetlights at:

- Keppoch Road where it intersects with St. Josephs Road
- In the cul-de-sac of Brookside Way

**Motion Carried**

**Min # 2019-142**

MOVED by Councillor Corbett

SECONDED by Councillor Dunbar

That Municipal Council accept the bid from Mr. Gary Chisholm of \$2311.00 for the 1998 JOHN DEERE TRACTOR – MODEL 4200 that was advertised for sale by Tender.

**Motion Carried**

**Min # 2019-143**

MOVED by Councillor Deveau

SECONDED by Councillor MacFarlane

That Municipal Council approve advertising a vacancy on the Antigonish Arena Association.

**Motion Carried**

**Reports from Individual Council Members on Outside Boards, Commissions**

There were no reports further to what was shared at the Committee of the Whole.

**Motions**

There were no motions.

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**Miscellaneous Business**

There was no miscellaneous business.

**Adjournment**

**Min # 2019-144**

MOVED by Councillor Dunbar

That the Council meeting adjourns at 7:53pm.

**Motion Carried**



Warden Owen McCarron



Beth Schumacher, Deputy Clerk