Town of Bay Roberts Minutes of Regular Council Meeting Tuesday, January 29, 2013

Sixty Eighth Meeting of the Sixteenth Town Council Town Hall, 321 Water Street, Bay Roberts, NL

In Attendance:

Council	Mayor Philip Wood
	Councillor Clarence G. Mercer
	Councillor Gerald Greenland
	Councillor Wade Oates
	Councillor Walter Yetman
	Councillor Melvin Walsh
Staff	Nigel Black, Chief Administrative Officer Sean Elms, Director of Public Works & Technical Services Shirley Hawe, Town Clerk
Absent	Deputy Mayor Bill Seymour

1.0 Call to Order

1.1 Mayor Wood called the meeting to order at 7:00 p.m.

2.0 Agenda / Minutes

2.1 Motion 2013 – 22 – Oates/Yetman

Resolved that regular meeting agenda for January 29, 2013 including following additions: Commercial Occupancy Application for 177 Conception Bay Highway, Public Works Committee minutes for January 24, 2013 and Shearstown Estuary Joint Management Committee correspondence, is accepted. Carried unanimously

2.2 Motion 2013 – 23 – Mercer/Walsh

Resolved, that regular meeting minutes for January 8, 2013 be adopted as presented. Carried unanimously

3.0 New Business / Staff Reports

3.1 Residential Building Application – 65-67 Farm Road

Motion 2013 – 24 – Yetman/Greenland

Resolved, that approval is given applicant, as per submitted application, to construct a dwelling at 65-67 Farm Road, subject to the Town's Municipal Development Regulations and those required by all other regulatory departments. Carried unanimously

3.2 Application for Sign Variance – 166-180 Conception Bay Highway

Motion 2013 – 25 – Walsh/Oates

Resolved, that applicant publish the requested variance and the application be referred to the Planning & Development Committee for review and recommendation. Carried unanimously

3.3 Planning and Development Committee Recommendations

Motion 2013 – 26 – Yetman/Greenland

Resolved, that Planning and Development Committee report is accepted. Carried unanimously

3.4 Residential Building Application – 16C Country Road

Motion 2013 – 27 – Yetman/Greenland

Resolved, that approval is given applicant, as per submitted application, to construct a dwelling at 16C Country Road, subject to all Town services ie snow clearing, garbage collection, street lighting, road maintenance, etc., terminating at the main road, Bay Roberts Drive, and further, subject to the Town's Municipal Development Regulations and those required by all other regulatory departments. Carried unanimously

3.5 Commercial Occupancy Application – 215-210 Conception Bay Highway

Motion 2013 – 28 – Walsh/Mercer

Resolved, that approval is given applicant, as per submitted application, to open and operate a food establishment, Wing-n-it Restaurant, at 215-219 Conception Bay Highway, subject to the Town's Municipal Development Regulations and those required by all other regulatory departments. Carried unanimously

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3.0 New Business / Staff Reports

3.6 Commercial Occupancy Application – 177 Conception Bay Highway

Motion 2013 – 29 – Oates/Greenland

Resolved, that approval is given applicant, as per submitted application, to open and operate a used vehicle sales business, Major Auto Sales Limited, at 177 Conception Bay Highway, subject to the Town's Municipal Development Regulations and those required by all other regulatory departments.

Carried unanimously

4.0 Correspondence for Action

4.1 Interest Charges

Motion 2013 - 30 - Walsh/Yetman

Resolved, that correspondence requesting elimination of 2012 interest charges on account for 242-244 Conception Bay Highway is referred to Finance Committee for review and recommendation. Carried unanimously

4.2 Heritage Foundation of NL – Heritage Day 2013

Motion 2013 - 31 - Mercer/Greenland

Resolved, that Monday, February 18th is proclaimed Heritage Day in the Town of Bay Roberts.

Carried unanimously

4.3 Wooden Boat Museum of NL – Community Membership

Motion 2013 – 32 – Yetman/Oates

Resolved, that Wooden Boat Museum's correspondence is placed on file. Carried unanimously

4.4 M-RON – Mayor's Meeting

Motion 2013 – 33 – Walsh/Oates

Resolved, that M-RON correspondence offering use of Economic Development Officers currently on staff with M-RON is placed on file. Carried unanimously

4.0 **Correspondence for Action**

4.5 Eastern Waste Management – Waste Recovery Facility

Motion 2013 – 34 – Yetman/Greenland

Resolved, that approval is given for Eastern Regional Service Board, operating as Eastern Waste Management, to utilize the former Conception Bay North Incinerator site located in Harbour Grace on Incinerator Road and to establish a free waste recovery facility on the site and delivery of regional services to Conception Bay North area residents. Said approval is conditional to use of the site by the Eastern Regional Service Board as outlined in their correspondence dated, January 21, 2013 and further, that the site is not transferrable in the future to another entity.

Carried unanimously

4.6 **Randolph Smith – Vehicle Damage**

Motion 2013 – 35 – Yetman/Walsh

Resolved, that approval is given to cover the cost for vehicle repairs in the amount of \$302.28 due to damage from being hit by a broken piece of town equipment. Carried unanimously

4.7 **25 Badcock's Road – Snow Clearing**

Correspondence included in Public Works Committee minutes of January 24, 2013.

Councillor Walsh left Chambers

5.0 **New Business / Committee Reports**

5.1 **Tourism Committee**

Motion 2013 – 36 – Mercer/Yetman

Resolved, that Tourism Committee minutes for November 13, 2012 be accepted. Carried unanimously

Councillor Walsh returned to Chambers

5.2 **Public Works Committee**

Motion 2013 – 37 – Greenland/Oates

Resolved, that Public Works Committee minutes for January 24, 2013 be accepted. Carried unanimously

5.3 **Fire Department Liaison**

Mayor Wood noted that Deputy Mayor Seymour had attended the Fire Department's Annual General Meeting on Monday, January 28th and reported the Department had a good year financially and expressed appreciation for council's continued support.

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5.4 Wetlands Liaison

Motion 2013 – 38 – Mercer/Walsh

Resolved, that Shearstown Estuary Joint Management Committee correspondence regarding 2013-2018 Management's Plan and special meeting for both Councils to meet with TRACT Consulting and JMC members is tabled for review. Carried unanimously

5.5 Conception Bay North Joint Councils

Mayor Wood will attend CBN Joint Councils' Annual General Meeting being held Thursday, January 31st in Carbonear Town Hall at 7:30 p.m.

5.6 Queen Elizabeth II Diamond Jubilee Medal

Mayor Wood received, through the Federation of Canadian Municipalities, the Queen Elizabeth II Diamond Jubilee Medal in honour of his contributions as elected leader for our community.

Compass Correspondent, Nicholas Mercer entered the Chambers at 8:10 p.m.

6.0 Adjournment

6.1 Motion to Adjourn

Motion 2013 – 39 – Greenland/Walsh Resolved, that Council now adjourned the regular meeting at 8:20 p.m. Carried unanimously

Philip Wood, Mayor

Shirley Hawe, Town Clerk