Town of Bay Roberts Minutes of Regular Council Meeting Tuesday, September 10, 2013

Eighty-Third Meeting of the Sixteenth Town Council Town Hall, 321 Water Street, Bay Roberts, NL

PRESENT:

Mayor Philip Wood Nigel Black, CAO

Deputy Mayor Bill Seymour Christine Bradbury, Deputy Clerk

Councillor Wade Oates Ron Delaney, Director of Tourism & Economic Development

Councillor Gerald Greenland Nicholas Mercer, Compass Correspondent

Councillor Walter Yetman Councillor Melvin Walsh Councillor Clarence Mercer Shirley Hawe, Town Clerk

CALL MEETING TO ORDER

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

AGENDA / MINUTES

Agenda

Motion 2013 - 395 - Greenland/Yetman

Resolved, that regular meeting agenda for September 10, 2013 is accepted as presented. Carried unanimously

Minutes

Motion 2013 – 396 - Seymour/Oates

Resolved, that regular meeting minutes for August 26, 2013 be adopted as presented. Carried unanimously

NEW BUSINESS / STAFF REPORTS

Accounts Payable – August 2013

Motion 2013 - 397 Yetman/Greenland

Resolved, Accounts Payable August 2013 listing be approved for payment. Carried unanimously

September 10, 2013

Quarterly Report – Tourism & Economic Development

Motion 2013 – 398 – Seymour/Oates

Resolved, that Quarterly Report for Tourism and Economic Development presented by Director Ron Delaney accepted as presented.

Carried unanimously

Councillor Melvin Walsh enters Chambers.

CAO Quarterly Report

Motion 2013 – 399 – Walsh/Yetman

Resolved, that CAO Quarterly Report presented by Nigel Black accepted as presented. Carried unanimously

Planning & Development Committee - Report

Motion 2013 – 400 – Mercer/Yetman

Resolved, to accept the Planning & Development Report as presented.

Carried unanimously

Planning & Development Committee Recommendation

Commercial Vehicle Parking Permit – 180 Central Street

Motion 2013 – 401 – Mercer/Oates

Resolved, that a temporary Commercial Vehicle Parking Permit be issued for 180 Central Street and the permit could be revisited if there were any complaints.

Carried unanimously

Planning & Development Committee Recommendation

New Commercial Building – 117 CB Highway

Motion 2013 – 402 – Yetman/Mercer

Resolved, that the applicant be advised of the requirement to publish a 10 % variance in the side yard requirement for the commercial zone and that the application will be reviewed following the period for public comment.

Carried unanimously

Planning & Development Committee Recommendation

New Commercial Building – 80 LT Stick Drive

Motion 2013 - 403 - Yetman/Walsh

Resolved, that approval is given applicant, as per submitted application, to construct a commercial building to be utilized as a coffee shop, convenience store and fuel pumps, at 80 LT Stick Drive, subject to the following requirements:

- (1) Approvals from Government Services and Department of Transportation and Works:
- (2) Submission of a revised plot plan
- (3) The requirements of the Town of Bay Roberts Municipal Development Regulations and all other applicable regulatory departments.

Carried unanimously

Planning & Development Committee Recommendation New Residential Building – Neck Road/Love Street

Motion 2013 - 404 - Yetman/Mercer

Resolved, as per submitted application to construct a dwelling at Love Street/Neck Road, the applicant is directed to publish the proposed variances and the application be referred back to the Planning and Development Committee for consideration if there any responses and a subsequent recommendation to Council.

Carried unanimously

Planning & Development Committee Recommendation

New Residential Building - Tetford's Road

Motion 2013 – 405 – Yetman/Seymour

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

Carried unanimously

Planning & Development Committee Recommendation

Bowering Subdivision – George Mercer Drive

Motion 2013 – 406 – Greenland/Oates

Resolved, that approval is given to the owners of Bowering Subdivision to name the street "Anthony Place".

Carried unanimously

Planning & Development Committee Recommendation

Hardings Lane – Subdivision Approval

Motion 2013 – 407 – Walsh/Yetman

Resolved, that Hardings Lane Subdivision is given final approval subject to the developer paying the required subdivision fees.

Carried unanimously

Planning & Development Committee Recommendation Green's Road Extension – Proposed Road Development Agreement

Motion 2013 – 408 – Yetman/Mercer

Resolved, Approval in Principal is given to the development agreement subject to Council receiving and approving the additional information and final draft of the agreement. Carried unanimously

Planning & Development Committee Recommendation

Action List Update – Valleyview Phase 3

Motion 2013 - 409 - Seymour/Greenland

Resolved, write a letter to the developer accepting the subdivision and note, that the Town is not willing to cover the cost of the sidewalk repairs.

Carried unanimously

Finance Committee Report – CAO

Motion 2013 - 410 - Yetman/Greenland

Resolved, to accept the Finance Committee Report as presented Carried unanimously

Finance Committee Recommendation

JMC Sheastown Estuary – Request for funding

Motion 2013 – 411 – Seymour/Greenland

Resolved, move to file and be considered during the 2014 Budget process.

Carried unanimously

Finance Committee Recommendation

Acct# PARSC007 – Request for Hardship Consideration

Motion 2013 – 412 – Yetman/Oates

Resolved, request for interest charges be waived on a portion of their account is denied. Carried unanimously

Finance Committee Recommendation

Acct# BADCP001 – Hardship Consideration

Motion 2013 – 413 – Yetman/Walsh

Resolved, that the owner be advised of the requirements of the tax collection policy and that interest could only be waived if an acceptable tax payment plan was put in place that meets the policy requirements.

Carried unanimously

Finance Committee Recommendation

Acct# MERCC014 – Request for Reverse of Tax Charges

Motion 2013 - 414 - Oates/Walsh

Resolved, that \$1,750 in Water/Sewer charges and \$115.84 in taxes be reversed from the account and that the remaining balance continue to be subject to interest and the requirements of the Tax Collection Policy.

Carried unanimously

Finance Committee Recommendation

G.M. Fitzgerald – Shea Place Subdivision Compensation

Motion 2013 – 415 – Seymour/Yetman

Resolved, CAO meet with the developer to discuss the outstanding issues and bring the additional information to the Committee.

Carried unanimously

Finance Committee Recommendation

CB Music Building – Request for Compensation

Motion 2013 – 416 – Yetman/Walsh

Resolved, not to consider the request for waiver of taxes or compensation for loss of business, and the request for damaged pavement be referred to our project consultants for consideration. Carried unanimously

Finance Committee Recommendation

Tax Account ADAMJ001 - Consideration of Tax Rate

Motion 2013 – 417 – Yetman/Walsh

Resolved, rate for the property is correct being charges as a vacant commercial building. Carried Unanimously

Finance Committee Recommendation

Land at Mad Rocks - Response to Legal Letter

Motion 2013-418 – Yetman/Walsh

Resolved, to place on file with no response to the letter.

Carried Unanimously

Finance Committee Recommendation

Bay Arena - Grant Assistance

Motion 2013 – 419 – Seymour/Walsh

Resolved, to allow for the expenditure in advance of the grant receipt and if the grant does not get approved then the funding will be deducted from the funding that the Council would consider in 2014.

Carried Unanimously

CORRESPONDENCE FOR ACTION

Paving - Old Methodist Lane

Motion 2013 – 420 – Greenland/Oates

Resolved, to move the Public Works Committee for review and subsequent recommendation. Carried Unanimously

CORRESPONDENCE FOR ACTION

CBN Figure Skating – The Compass

Motion 2013 – 421 – Mercer/Yetman

Resolved, to place the request for advertising from the Compass for the CBN Figure Skating Club's 40^{th} Anniversary to file.

Carried unanimously

TCP Health Foundation

Motion 2013 – 422 – Oates/Seymour

Resolved, to forward the annual donation to the Telethon in the amount of \$1500. Carried unanimously

CORRESPONDENCE FOR INFORMATION

Thank-you Letter - 22 Cleary's Road

Motion 2013 – 423 – Yetman/Oates

Resolved, the thank-you letter for work done during the Labour Day Weekend be placed on file. Carried Unanimously

NEW BUSINESS/COMMITTEE REPORTS

Public Works Meeting – Minutes September 4, 2013

Motion 2013 – 424 – Seymour/Walsh

Resolved, to accept the Public Works Minutes of the meeting held on September 4, 2013 as presented.

Carried Unanimously

Newco Metal Bin

Motion 2013 – 425 – Greenland/Yetman

Resolved, for the Public Works Staff to continue using French's as the drop off location for all metal materials.

Carried unanimously

Urban Minutes of Meetings – Meetings August 16/17, 2013

Motion 2013 – 426 – Walsh/Seymour

Resolved, to accept the Urban Municipalities Minutes of the meetings held in Corner Brook on August 16th and 17th as presented.

Carried unanimously

RESOLUTIONS FROM PRIVILEGED MEETINGS

Ratify Motions of Privileged Meeting held August 26, 2013 Motion 2013 – 427 – Oates/Greenland

Resolved, that the following privileged meeting motions be ratified:

#371 – Agenda

#372 – Minutes of July 9, 2013

#373 - Meeting Schedule Change

#374 - Adjourn Meeting

ADJOURNMENT

Motion 2013 – 428 – Mercer/Walsh

Resolved, that Council now adjourned the regular meeting at 8:50 p.m. Carried unanimously

Philip Wood Mayor	Christina Bradbury Daputy Clark
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