



Minutes of the Committee of the Whole Meeting

Place: Council Chambers, Zoom, streamed-live to Facebook
Date: Monday, March 6, 2023
Presiding Officer: Mayor Greg Henley
Councillors Present: Carla Black, Paul Jones, Chrystal McNutt, Brenton Colborne, and Deputy Mayor Arnold MacDonald.
Regrets: Nil

A quorum was present throughout the meeting.

Staff in attendance: Linda Cloney - CAO, Stan McDougall - Admin Assistant (recording secretary), Bruce Rushton (Fire Chief), and Nick Purdy (Public Works)

Announcements Prior to Call to Order:

Prior to calling the meeting to order, Mayor Henley made the following announcement:

Nominations for the open council seat closes March 7, 2023, at 5:00 PM. Mayor Henley discussed that it does take some time to prepare the paperwork so if interested, do not wait until the last minute to file. On Wednesday, the candidates' names will be released and it is the day that a candidate may take his/her name off of the list.

The Festival of Colours will be held at the Oxford Legion Saturday March 11, 2023, and Mayor Henley called on Councillor Black to review. Councillor Black presented that the festival of colours will be from 1:30 to 3:30 PM. Wear a white T-Shirt, colour will be thrown and international food and music to celebrate. The event is free of charge.

Next week is march break for the kids. A calendar was published through Jimmy Ward, MPAL and a variety of activities are planned for all ages.

1. Call to Order

At 6:01 PM, Mayor Henley called the meeting to order.


2. Approval of Agenda

Moved by Councillor Jones and seconded by Deputy Mayor MacDonald that the agenda of the Committee of the Whole Meeting for March 6, 2023, be approved, as presented.

Motion Carried

3. Approval of minutes from the previous meeting

3.1 Committee of the Whole Minutes – February 6, 2023

Approved by 

Mayor Greg Henley, Chair, on March 6, 2023

4. Reports of Town Departments

4.1 Public Works Report – *Nick Purdy presenting - report included in package.*

4.2 Fire Department Report – *Bruce Rushton presenting – report included in package.*

4.3 Municipal Physical Activity Leader (MPAL) Report – Councillor McNutt *presenting – report included in package.*

4.4 Administration Department Report – *Linda Cloney presenting – report included in package.*

Moved by Councillor Colborne and seconded by Councillor McNutt to accept the reports as presented.

Motion Carried

5. Reports of Committees and Boards

5.1 Intermunicipal Poverty Reduction Update – *verbal report from Councillor Black*

5.2 Accessibility Committee – *January minutes in package – verbal update from Deputy Mayor MacDonald*

5.3 Library Report – *report included in package.*

5.4 Public Works Committee – *verbal update – Councillor Jones*

5.5 All Saints Community Health Care Foundation – *report included in package – Linda Cloney presenting.*

5.6 Solid Waste Management Report – *included in package – Linda Cloney presenting.*

Moved by Deputy Mayor MacDonald and seconded by Councillor Jones to accept the reports as presented.

Motion Carried

6. Adjournment

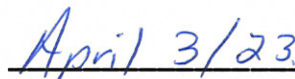
The meeting adjourned at 6:18 PM



Mayor Greg Henley, Chair



Stan McDougall, Admin Assistant



Date Approved

