



Council in Brief

November 27, 2023 21st Session of Council

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Delegations and Presentations

Chuck Farmer, Chief Transition Officer and Vice-President, Planning, Conservation & Resource Adequacy from Independent Electricity System Operator (IESO) addressed Council regarding [Securing Ontario's Energy Future: The Transitional Role of Natural Gas Generation.](#)

Philippe Abergel, Director, Development from Renewable Energy Systems Canada Inc. addressed Council regarding [Rockery Energy Storage Project](#)

IESO's Long-Term Electricity Procurement - Council Support Resolution

Residents attended the meeting to address Council regarding on the IESO's Long-Term Electricity Procurement - Council Support Resolution. Council also received petitions and written correspondence from residents regarding this matter. Council did not pass the staff recommended motion, instead Council passed a motion to receive the staff report and not take any further action.

Statutory Public Meeting for items under the *Planning Act*

Public Meeting- Zoning By-law Amendment Applications - Emma Street - Block 31 29M-57 (D14-014-2023), Block 34 29M-57 (D14-011-2023), Lots 215-216 Plan-91 (D14-015-2023)

A public meeting was held in accordance with the provisions of the *Planning Act*, to consider three Zoning By-law Amendment Applications - Emma Street - Block 31 29M-57 (D14-014-2023), Block 34 29M-57 (D14-011-2023) and Lots 215-216 Plan-91 (D14-015-2023) and that a recommendation be brought forward to Council once the comments from the Township departments, agencies and the public have been addressed.

Public Meeting/ Recommendation - Payne Funeral Home - Zoning By-law Amendment (D14-008-2023)

A public meeting was held in accordance with the provisions of the *Planning Act* to consider By-Law 2023-078, being a by-law to rezone the part of property found in Part of Lot 75-76, Plan 91, as in Part 1 on Plan 29R4449; Loyalist Township, County of Lennox and Addington, and more particularly located at 42 William Street, in Odessa from the Residential Type 1 (R1) Zone to Open Space Exception Seven (OS-07) Zone.

Tile Drainage Loan Program - Borrowing By-law

Council approved the additional borrowing of \$300,000 under the *Tile Drainage* sought from the Ontario Ministry of Agriculture, Food, and Rural Affairs to aid in the construction of drainage works under the *Tile Drainage Act*.

Odessa and Wilton Flower Barrel Agreement

Council directed the Mayor and the Chief Administrative Officer to enter into the Odessa and Wilton Flower Barrel Agreement to formalize the provision of flower barrels in select locations within Odessa and Wilton.

Committee of Adjustment and Appeals Committee - Terms of Reference

Council approved the Terms of Reference for the Loyalist Township Committee of Adjustment and Appeals Committee, By-law 2023-84, Being a By-law to Establish and Adopt Terms of Reference for the Loyalist Township Committee of Adjustment be enacted and passed; and By-law 2023-85, Being a By-law to Establish and Adopt Terms of Reference for the Loyalist Township Appeals Committee.

By-Laws

Council approved By-Law 2023-088 to appoint Livestock Valuers Adam Miller, Paul Chapman, Angela Kent, Joanne D'Amore, Brennan Lambert and Carl Hanna for Loyalist Township.

Mayor and Deputy Mayor Townend thanked Adam Miller from his many years of service as a Livestock Valuer and all others for their assistance with local farmers over the past years.

Information Reports

2024 Budget Public Engagement Update

Consolidated Linear Infrastructure Environmental Compliance Approvals, Sanitary Collection System & Stormwater Management System

Building Activity Report – October 2023

Announcements

- Katrina Furlanetto General Manager of the Cataraqui Conservation Authority has resigned and the Board of Directors are looking to fill the vacancy.
- Election will be held next week at the County of Lennox and Addington for the new Warden and Deputy Warden.
- Council thanked staff for organizing the Light Up the Season event.

Upcoming Meeting Dates

2023-12-04	6:00 p.m.	Committee of Adjustment
2023-12-04	6:30 p.m.	Committee of the Whole
2023-12-11	7:00 p.m.	Regular Council
2024-01-09	6:00 p.m.	Regular Council

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