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Agenda for 51st Session of Council

Procurement of Fire Pumper Replacement

Council approved the purchase of a fire pumper from E-ONE Fire Apparatus, through 1200-Degrees/Darch Fire, at a cost, including non-recoverable HST, of \$575,000 well within the budget of \$600,000.

Options for Amherst Island Brush Disposal

Council received a report from the Community and Customer Services Department regarding options for Amherst Island Brush Disposal and staff were directed to continue offering brush disposal at the Amherst Island Waste Disposal Site during the normal hours of operation.

Commemorative Road Name Request - Jack Kippen Place

Council received a report from the Economic Growth and Community Development Services Department, re: Commemorative Road Name Request - Jack Kippen Place, and Council approved the proposed road name "Jack Kippen Place" with the road name to be placed on the Township's reserve road registry.

Code of Conduct Contravention Complaint - Councillor Porter

Council received a report from Corporate Services, re: Code of Conduct Contravention Complaint - Councillor Porter, and requested the Integrity Commissioner undertake an inquiry regarding contravention of the Code of Conduct by Councillor Porter. Council passed a resolution providing additional information to the Integrity Commissioner that Council has reasonable and probable grounds to believe that Councillor Porter contravened Section 11.1 of the Code of Conduct of Loyalist Township and that the relevant findings which constitute the alleged contraventions are detailed in a report from the Integrity Commissioner for Loyalist Township MCI Application 2021-01.

Official Plan Review - Status Update

Council received a status update on the Township's Official Plan Review and provided a response to the implications of the December 15, 2020 Official Plan Review Statutory Public Meeting that was referred to in the Integrity Commissioner's Report on MICA Application 2021-01 as requested by Council at the June 28, 2021 Council meeting.

Direct Motion - Educational Development Charges

A direct motion was brought forward that called on the Minister of Education, the Honourable Steven Lecce, to rescind approval of the development charges proposed by the French Public School Board for our region. The motion stated that these development charges are a clear overreach of the principle of local growth paying for local services. The motion was unanimously supported by Council.

Council Supported the Following Resolutions Circulated from other Municipalities

Town of Cochrane - Council supported a request from the Town of Cochrane that both the Federal and Provincial Governments move to have PSA tests included in the national health care system and that it be made available for all Canadian men at no charge and further that the Government make every effort to have this become a reality sooner than later as stated above everyday that goes by another 11 men will die of this avoidable disease.

Reports received for information

- 2021-033 Franchise Agreement with Enbridge Gas Inc.
- Supplementary/Omitted Tax Billing
- Layer Cake Hall and Bath Library Update
- Mcp of Chatham-Kent - Induction of the Coloured All-Stars into Cdn Baseball Hall of Fame
- Mcp of St. Charles - Municipal Land Transfer Tax
- Town of Scugog - School Bus Turnarounds
- City of Mississauga - Canada Day & First Nations
- Letter of Support - Funding small organizations - Twp of Alberton
- Mcp of Calvin - Response from Federal Government re: tax changes on principal residences

Upcoming Meeting Dates

- 2021-08-03 6:00 PM Committee of Adjustment (CoA)
- 2021-08-03 6:30 PM Committee of the Whole (Follow CoA)
- 2021-08-09 7:00 PM Regular Council
- 2021-09-07 6:00 PM Committee of Adjustment (CoA)
- 2021-09-07 6:30 PM Committee of the Whole (following CoA)
- 2021-09-13 7:00 PM Regular Council
- 2021-09-27 7:00 PM Regular Council

Want to share an idea or opinion with the Mayor?

Mayor Ric Bresee can be reached by email at mayor@loyalist.ca or by phone at 613-532-9693. For general questions related to Township programs and services, please contact Customer Service at 613-386-7351.

Want more?

The official record of Council is contained in the Council Minutes, available on our website at loyalist.civicweb.net. Please refer any further questions to the Clerk's Division clerk@loyalist.ca.

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