



**THE CORPORATION OF THE TOWNSHIP OF BONFIELD  
REGULAR MEETING OF COUNCIL  
OCTOBER 22nd, 2024**

**PRESENT:** Narry Paquette, Chair  
Donna Clark  
Jason Corbett  
Steve Featherstone

**ABSENT:** Dan MacInnis

**STAFF PRESENT:** Andrée Gagné, Deputy Clerk-Treasurer  
Alex Hackenbrook, Public Works Manager  
Nicky Kunkel, CAO Clerk-Treasurer

**1. Call to Order**

**Motion 1**

Moved by Councillor Corbett  
THAT this meeting be opened at 7:00 p.m.

Seconded by Councillor Clark

Carried Narry Paquette

**2. Adoption of Agenda**

**Motion 2**

Moved by Councillor Clark  
THAT the agenda presented to Council and dated the 22<sup>nd</sup> day of October 2024, be adopted as amended by adding under "Items for Council Discussion" 8 d. OAPSB Zone 1A Conference.

Seconded by Councillor Featherstone

Carried Narry Paquette

**3. Disclosure of Pecuniary Interest – None for this session**

**4. Adoption of Previous Minutes**

**Motion 3**

Moved by Councillor Featherstone  
THAT the Minutes of the Regular Council Meeting of October 8th, 2024 be adopted as circulated.

Seconded by Councillor Corbett

Carried Narry Paquette

**5. Presentation & Delegations – None for this session**

**6. Staff Reports – None for this session**

**7. Adoption of Committee Minutes/ Motions**

**Motion 4**

Moved by Councillor Corbett  
WHEREAS the Planning Advisory Committee recommends to Council that Consent Application B3/2024 for 1937 South Shore Road - Barrie, for a lot addition, be approved; BE IT HEREBY RESOLVED THAT Council approves this recommendation along with the conditions and notes as set out on the attached Decision of Approval Authority Form.

Seconded by Councillor Clark

Carried Narry Paquette



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**Motion 5**

Moved by Councillor Clark  
WHEREAS the Recreation and Fitness Committee recommends to Council to accept Lise Houle’s resignation from the Committee; BE IT HEREBY RESOLVED THAT Council approves of this recommendation and that a letter be sent thanking her for her services.  
Seconded by Councillor Featherstone  
Carried Narry Paquette

**Motion 6**

Moved by Councillor Featherstone  
WHEREAS the Recreation & Fitness Committee’s terms of reference state that the Committee should be comprised of 3 or 5 members of the public; AND WHEREAS the Recreation & Fitness Committee recommends to Council to revise the terms of reference to 3 members of the public only; BE IT HEREBY RESOLVED THAT Council approves of this recommendation  
Seconded by Councillor Corbett  
Carried Narry Paquette

**8. Items for Council Discussion**

8.a 2025 ROMA Annual Conference – January 19-21, 2025

**Motion 7**

Moved by Councillor Clark  
THAT the following members be approved to attend the 2025 ROMA Annual Conference and that all expenses be paid accordingly, Alex Hackenbrook, Donna Clark and Jason Corbett.  
Seconded by Councillor Featherstone  
Carried Narry Paquette

8.b Special Council Meeting – Reschedule November 26 meeting to November 19, 2024

**Motion 8**

Moved by Councillor Corbett  
THAT the Regular Council meeting scheduled for November 26, 2024 be cancelled and scheduled for November 19, 2024 at 7:00 pm.  
Seconded by Councillor Featherstone  
Carried Narry Paquette

8.d OAPSB Zone 1A Conference

**Motion 9**

Moved by Councillor Clark  
THAT Marc Vaillancourt be approved to attend the OAPSB Zone 1A Conference in Sudbury on November 13-14, 2024; AND THAT all expenses be paid accordingly by the Township of Bonfield.  
Seconded by Councillor Corbett  
Carried Narry Paquette



**9. Resolutions to be Considered for Adoption**

9.a MHIP – HECS Funding Application for Development Rd

**Motion 10**

Moved by Councillor Featherstone

Seconded by Councillor Clark

THAT the Council for the Township of Bonfield hereby accepts the application to rehabilitate Development Road with 50% funding from the Municipal Housing Infrastructure Program (MHIP) – Housing Enabling Core Servicing Stream (HECS) with the total cost of \$1,793,537; AND FURTHER THAT Council agrees to cover any cost overruns on the project.

Carried Narry Paquette

9.b Township of East Ferris – Combined ROMA/AMO Conference

**Motion 11**

Moved by Councillor Clark

Seconded by Councillor Corbett

That Council for the Township of Bonfield hereby supports the Municipality of East Ferris calling upon both ROMA and AMO Boards to establish a combined ROMA/AMO annual conference; AND THAT a copy of this resolution be forwarded to ROMA, AMO and MPP Vic Fedeli.

Carried Narry Paquette

9.c City of Temiskaming Shores – Alcohol Sales in Convenience Stores

**Motion 12**

Moved by Councillor Featherstone

Seconded by Councillor Clark

That Council for the Township of Bonfield hereby supports the City of Temiskaming Shores requesting the Government of Ontario to reverse their decision to allow alcohol to be sold in more locations and implement the suggested recommendations; AND THAT a copy of this resolution be forwarded to the Honourable Doug Ford, Premier of Ontario, the Honourable Sylvia Jones, Deputy Premier and Minister of Health; the Honourable Doug Downey, Attorney General; the Honourable Prabmeet Sarkaria, Minister of Transportation; Vic Fedeli, MPP District of Nipissing; AMO; FONOM; ROMA; Nosbonsing Police Services Board; and all Ontario Municipalities..

Carried Narry Paquette

9.d Municipality of Waterloo – Solve the Humanitarian Crisis

**Motion 13**

Moved by Councillor Corbett

Seconded by Councillor Clark

That Council for the Township of Bonfield hereby supports the Regional Municipality of Waterloo calling upon the Federal and Provincial Governments to solve the Humanitarian Crisis.; AND THAT a copy of this resolution be forwarded to the Right Honourable Justin Trudeau, Prime Minister of Canada, the Honourable Sean Fraser, Minister of Housing, Infrastructure and Communities of Canada, the Honourable Doug Ford, Premier of Ontario, the Honourable Sylvia Jones, Deputy Premier and Minister of Health, the Honourable Paul Calandra, Minister of Municipal Affairs and Housing, the Honourable Michael Parsa, Minister of Children, Community and Social Services, the Honourable Michael Tibollo, Associate Minister of Mental Health and Addictions local and area MPs, MPPs, AMO.

Carried Narry Paquette



**10. Correspondence**

**Motion 14**

Moved by Councillor Clark

THAT Council receives the Correspondence circulated with the Agenda of October 22nd, 2024.

Seconded by Councillor Featherstone

Carried Narry Paquette

**11. Question Period** – There were no questions submitted for this meeting

**12. Closed Session – None for this meeting**

**13. Confirmatory By-Law**

**Motion 15**

Moved by Councillor Corbett

THAT the Council for the Township of Bonfield hereby adopts By-Law 2024-61 to confirm the proceedings of Council from October 8th, 2024 to October 22nd, 2024, as presented and is considered read three times and passed this 22nd day of October, 2024.

Seconded by Councillor Clark

Carried Narry Paquette

**14. Adjournment**

**Motion 16**

Moved by Councillor Clark

THAT this meeting be adjourned at 7:26 p.m.

Seconded by Councillor Corbett

Carried Narry Paquette

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MAYOR

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CLERK