

THE CORPORATION OF THE TOWNSHIP OF BONFIELD REGULAR MEETING OF COUNCIL

March 26th, 2024

PRESENT: Narry Paquette, Chair

Jason Corbett

Dan MacInnis

Donna Clark Steve Featherstone

STAFF PRESENT: Andrée Gagné, Deputy Clerk

Ann Carr, Planning Administrator

Alex Hackenbrook, Public Works Manager Nicky Kunkel, CAO/ Clerk Treasurer

1. Call to Order

Motion 1

Moved by Councillor MacInnis

Seconded by Councillor Clark

THAT this meeting be opened at 7:00 p.m.

Carried Narry Paquette

2. Adoption of Agenda

Motion 2

Moved by Councillor Corbett Seconded by Councillor MacInnis THAT the agenda presented to Council and dated the 26th day of March 2024, be adopted as prepared.

Carried Narry Paquette

3. Disclosure of Pecuniary Interest: None for this session

4. Adoption of Previous Minutes

Motion 3

Moved by Councillor Featherstone Seconded by Councillor MacInnis THAT the Minutes of the Regular Council Meeting of March 12th be adopted as circulated.

Carried Narry Paquette

5. Presentation & Delegations (none for this session)

6. Staff Reports

6.a Report from Planning Administrator - Site-Plan Control Areas By-Law

Motion 4

Moved by Councillor Corbett Seconded by Councillor Featherstone WHEREAS section 41(2) of the Planning Act, R.S.O. 1990, e.P.13, provides that where in an Official Plan, an area is shown or described as a proposed site plan control area, the Council of the local municipality in which the proposed area is situated may, by by-law, designate the whole or part of such area as a Site Plan Control area; THEREFORE the Council of the Township of Bonfield accepts the draft site plan control area by-law for review purposes and provide comment before the passing of the said By-law at the next regular Council meeting

Carried Narry Paquette

6.b Report from Planning Administrator - Purchase of Shoreline Road Allowance

Motion 5

Moved by Councillor Clark Seconded by Councillor Corbett WHEREAS Jeffery and Petrina Beath have requested to purchase a portion of the Township's shoreline road allowance directly abutting their property located at 16 Rock Ridge Lane, Rutherglen; BE IT HEREBY RESOLVED that Council approves of this purchase in principle and that the Planning Administrator proceed accordingly; AND FURTHER in accordance with By-Law 2013-13, Jeffery and Petrina Beath shall be responsible for all disbursements incurred by the Township and shall submit the required deposit prior to the commencement of legal work.

Carried Narry Paquette

6.c CAO Report - Appointment of Integrity Commissioner

Motion 6

Moved by Councillor Featherstone Seconded by Councillor Clark
THAT Boghosian and Allen LLP be appointed as Integrity Commissioner for the
Township of Bonfield; AND THAT a by-law be prepared for the next Council meeting.
Carried Narry Paquette

- 7. Adoption of Committee Minutes/ Motions None for this session
- 8. Items for Council Discussion None for this session
- 9. Resolutions to be Considered for Adoption

9.a Township of Perry requesting the Province to amend the blue box regulations for "ineligible" sources

Motion 7

Moved by Councillor Corbett

THAT the Council for the Township of Bonfield supports the Township of Perry in requesting that the Province amends Ontario Regulation 391/21: Blue Box so that producers are responsible for the end-of-life management of recycling products from all sources.

Carried Narry Paquette

9.b Town of Lincoln - Need for increased funding for libraries and museums

Motion 8

Moved by Councillor Featherstone Seconded by Councillor MacInnis THAT Council for the Township of Bonfield supports the Town of Lincoln in urging the Provincial Government to support increased funding to both public libraries and community museums. Recognizing these institutions as national assets and strategically investing in their potential will contribute significantly to renewing post-pandemic social cohesion, economic well-being, and community resilience.

Carried Narry Paquette

10. Correspondence

Motion 9

Moved by Councillor MacInnis Seconded by Councillor Featherstone THAT Council receives the Correspondence circulated with the Agenda of March 26, 2024.

Carried Narry Paquette

- 11. Closed Session (none for this meeting)
- 12. Confirmatory By-Law

Motion 10

Moved by Councillor Featherstone Seconded by Councillor MacInnis THAT the Council for the Township of Bonfield hereby adopts By-Law 2024-15 to confirm the proceedings of Council from March 12th, 2024 to March 26th, 2024, as presented and is considered read three times and passed this 26th day of March 2024.

Carried Narry Paquette

13. Adjournment

Motion 16

Moved by Councillor Featherstone THAT this meeting be adjourned at 7:26 p.m.

Seconded by Councillor MacInnis

Carried Narry Paquette

MAYOR		