#### **TOWN OF OLD PERLICAN**

## REGULAR COUNCIL MEETING, May 3, 2022 Minutes of a regular meeting of the council Of the Town of Old Perlican May 3, 2022, at 7:00 P.M.

Members Present:

Mayor:

C. Morgan

Deputy Mayor:

T. Squires

Councillors:

T. Hopkins

R. Burt

TC/M:

S. Durdle-Walsh

Absent:

T. Mills

R. Tizzard

L. Andrews

Meeting called to order by Mayor C. Morgan at 7:00 p.m.

### **ADOPTION OF AGENDA**

MOTION: T. Hopkins / R. Burt

#2022-138 Be it resolved that the Town of Old Perlican adopt the agenda as

presented.

VOTING IN FAVOUR: T. Squires, R. Burt, T. Hopkins, C. Morgan

**VOTING AGAINST: NIL** N

**MOTION CARRIED** 

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**Adoption Of Minutes** 

**MOTION:** T. Squires / T. Hopkins

#2022-139 Be it resolved that the Town of Old Perlican adopt the Regular Council Meeting Minutes of April 19, 2022 as presented.

VOTING IN FAVOUR: T. Squires, R. Burt, T. Hopkins, C. Morgan

**VOTING AGAINST: NIL MOTION CARRIED** 

## **Business Arising from Minutes / Town Clerk/Managers Report**

## TC/M Report

- -Next week is Municipal Awareness week, we need to know who will be around to help with any plans we may make.
- -The public works crew have started to look into which ditches have to be cleaned out. Once this is done if the crew cannot do it I will look into contractors.
  - -The sign for Bison Cove has not yet been ordered.
  - -I have two firms in mind to contact regarding the outfall.
- -I have to get floor plan details before approaching contractors for quotes on the ambulance/fire hall garage.
- -Neal Alyward was at the Bell Pond Plant on Tuesday of last week and looked at our system, he will get a quote done for me.
- -The dump letter has not yet been written as the Mayor was going to look at it.
  - -We are still waiting for the lawyer to get back to us with any update.
  - -I have applied for a moose license.
- -The leak at Ron Barretts has stopped and we think it was related to either the manhole being frozen and the water has nowhere to go but up through the

len 50W valve, or it was because of the leak a resident at the top of the hill had which has recently been fixed..

- -The plant is now on Cook's Cove.
- -The Town Foreman has now renewed his first aid certificate.
- -We have four students from the Federal grant program for this summer. We are still waiting to hear from the Provincial program.
- -Our server has been fixed so we don't need a new one. We do however need two new computers, preferably laptops. External back-up drives are also now in place as well
  - -We need to pick the winners of our photo contest.

MOTION: T. Hopkins / T. Squires

#2022-140 Be it resolved that the Town of Old Perlican permit the TC/M to purchase and setup two new laptops to secure the administrative work in the office.

VOTING IN FAVOUR: T. Squires, R. Burt, T. Hopkins, C. Morgan

**VOTING AGAINST: NIL MOTION CARRIED** 

# **COMMITTEE REPORTS/UPDATES**

### **Ambulance**

- TC/M to look into an allegation concerning one of our ambulances.
- There is a meeting scheduled with all ambulance personnel for Thursday @ 2:00.

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#### **Public Works**

- TC/M to look into the paving approved last fall but delayed on recommendation of the provider and look at having it completed as soon as time permits.

#### **Human Resources**

- Administrative Assistant has started the new three day work week.

**MOTION:** T. Squires / T. Hopkins

#2022-141 Be it resolved that the Town of Old Perlican enter a privileged meeting at 7:45pm.

VOTING IN FAVOUR: T. Squires, R. Burt, C. Morgan, T. Hopkins

**VOTING AGAINST: NIL MOTION CARRIED** 

**MOTION:** T. Squires / T. Hopkins

#2022-142 Be it resolved that the Town of Old Perlican return to a regular meeting at 7:50pm.

VOTING IN FAVOUR: T. Squires, R. Burt, C. Morgan, T. Hopkins

**VOTING AGAINST: NIL MOTION CARRIED** 

Previous motion concerning paving to be confirmed and acted upon.

# Special Events

-The next meeting to finalize plans is scheduled for May 9, @ 7:00pm.

# Policy/Planning

- No update

## **Land Development**

-No Report

## **Beautification**

-No Report

## **Liaison Reports**

## Heritage

No Report

### **OPRAAC**

- No Report

### Recreation

**MOTION:** T. Hopkins / T. Squires

#2022-142 Be it resolved that the Town of Old Perlican enter a privileged meeting at 7:56pm.

VOTING IN FAVOUR: T. Squires, R. Burt, C. Morgan, T. Hopkins

**VOTING AGAINST: NIL MOTION CARRIED** 

**MOTION:** T. Squires / R. Burt

#2022-143 Be it resolved that the Town of Old Perlican return to a regular meeting at 8:15pm.

VOTING IN FAVOUR: T. Squires, R. Burt, C. Morgan, T. Hopkins

**VOTING AGAINST: NIL MOTION CARRIED** 

**MOTION:** T. Squires / T. Hopkins

#2022-144 Be it resolved that the Town of Old Perlican proceed to conduct interviews with applicants and hire the Recreation Directors Assistant with a start date of May 16, 2022.

**VOTING IN FAVOUR:** T. Squires, R. Burt, C. Morgan, T. Hopkins

**VOTING AGAINST: NIL MOTION CARRIED** 

- TC/M to look into the playground equipment on tender at Bay Roberts.

## Fire Department

- Repairs at the Fire Hall have been estimated to be around \$3000.
- Can the training budget be used to actually purchase equipment that would be of benefit to the Fire Department's training program?

## Correspondence

The following correspondence, which had been acted on by the town staff, was presented to council for information.

FROM	REGARDING	ACTION
Wooden Boat Museum	Membership	Renew

**MOTION:** T. Squires / T. Hopkins

#2022-145 Be it resolved that the Town of Old Perlican permit the TC/M to renew the membership at the annual rate of \$30.

VOTING IN FAVOUR: T. Squires, R. Burt, C. Morgan, T. Hopkins

**VOTING AGAINST: NIL MOTION CARRIED** 

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Symposium

Noted

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Survey

TC/M to complete

International Homophobia Day Request

Proclaim and Fly Flag

**MOTION:** T. Squires / R. Burt

#2022-146 Be it resolved that the Town of Old Perlican proclaim International Day against Homophobia and Transphobia on May 17, 2022 and fly the pride flag.

**VOTING IN FAVOUR:** T. Squires, R. Burt, C. Morgan, T. Hopkins

VOTING AGAINST: NIL **MOTION CARRIED** 

Carl Riggs

Trail Help

noted

**MOTION:** R. Burt / T. Hopkins

#2022-147 Be it resolved that the Town of Old Perlican allow the public works crew to help, when available, with spreading some fill on the trailway between Hayrides and Georgie Hill.

**VOTING IN FAVOUR:** T. Squires, R. Burt, C. Morgan, T. Hopkins

**VOTING AGAINST: NIL MOTION CARRIED** 

Crown Lands

Requested Land

Approved

**RCMP** 

**Fundraiser** 

**Tabled** 

Municipal Awareness Week Proclamation

Accepted

**MOTION:** T. Hopkins / R. Burt

#2022-148 Be it resolved that the Town of Old Perlican proclaim the week of May

9-14, 2022, Municipal Awareness Week.

VOTING IN FAVOUR: T. Squires, R. Burt, C. Morgan, T. Hopkins

**VOTING AGAINST: NIL MOTION CARRIED** 

### Finance:

**ACCOUNTS PAYABLE and ACCOUNTS LEDGER** 

### Town

**MOTION:** R. Burt / T. Hopkins

#2022-149 Be it resolved that the Town of Old Perlican agree to pay the Town bills as presented minus the Gasland bill.

**VOTING IN FAVOUR:** R. Burt, T. Hopkins, C. Morgan, T. Squires

VOTING AGAINST: NIL MOTION CARRIED

### **Ambulance**

MOTION: R. Burt / T. Hopkins

#2022-150 Be it resolved that the Town of Old Perlican pay the Ambulance bills as presented.

**VOTING IN FAVOUR:** C. Morgan, T. Squires, R. Burt, T. Hopkins

**VOTING AGAINST: NIL MOTION CARRIED** 

# Fire Department

Defer bills for later date due to quorum issues.

**GENERAL BUSINESS** 

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#2022-151 Be it resolved that the Town of Old Perlican enter a privileged meeting at 8:58pm.

VOTING IN FAVOUR: T. Squires C. Morgan, T. Hopkins, R. Burt

**VOTING AGAINST: MOTION CARRIED** 

**MOTION:** T. Squires / T. Hopkins

#2022-152 Be it resolved that the Town of Old Perlican return to a regular meeting at 9:20

VOTING IN FAVOUR: T. Squires C. Morgan, T. Hopkins, R. Burt

**VOTING AGAINST: MOTION CARRIED** 

**MOTION:** T. Squires / T. Hopkins

#2022-153 Be it resolved that the Town of Old Perlican permit TC/M to look further into residents' request to use the canteen behind the ambulance garage for food distribution.

**VOTING IN FAVOUR:** T. Squires C. Morgan, T. Hopkins, R. Burt

**VOTING AGAINST: MOTION CARRIED** 

MOTION: T. Squires / R. Burt

#2022-154 Be it resolved that the Town of Old Perlican permit the TC/M to attend the PMA Conference June 7-10, in Gander.

VOTING IN FAVOUR: T. Squires C. Morgan, T. Hopkins, R. Burt

**VOTING AGAINST: MOTION CARRIED** 

**Tax Exemptions** 

#### **Permit**

Notice of Motion.

## **QUESTION & ANSWER**

Councillor Burt - Have High Roads been contacted about the bad areas in the community?

- Yes they have but I can contact them again.

Councillor Hopkins - Have there been any updates on the fire fighters 40 year pins?

-I am not aware of anything but I can look into it.

Councillor Squires - Have the residents that purchased park benches been contacted to date?

-We will soon be contacting them and putting them in place.

Next regular council meeting will be held May 17, 2022 @ 7:00 P.M.

# **Adjournment**

Motion: R. Burt / T. Squires

#2022-155 Be it resolved that the Town of Old Perlican adjourned meeting at 9:30pm.

**VOTING IN FAVOUR:** T. Squires, R. Burt, T. Hopkins, C. Morgan

**VOTING AGAINST: NIL MOTION CARRIED** 

Mayor

Town Clerk / Manager