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MINUTES OF THE REGULAR MEETING OF COUNCIL

April 21, 2021

A regular meeting of the Council of the County of Frontenac was held in the Frontenac Room of the County Administrative Office, 2069 Battersea Road, Glenburnie on Wednesday, April 21, 2021 at 9:30 AM

Present: Warden Fran Smith, Deputy Warden Ron Vandewal, Councillors Ron Higgins, Denis Doyle, Bruce Higgs, Bill MacDonald, Gerry Martin and Alan Revill

Also Present:

County:

Kelly Pender, Chief Administrative Officer

Gale Chevalier, Chief/Director of Emergency & Transportation Services

Joe Gallivan, Director of Planning and Economic Development

Susan Brant, Director of Corporate Services/Treasurer

Lisa Hirvi, Administrator-Fairmount Home

Jannette Amini, Manager of Legislative Services/Clerk

Marco Smits, Communications Officer

1 Closed Session

Motion #: 59-21 Moved By: Deputy Warden Doyle

Seconded By: Councillor Smith

Resolved That Council resolve itself into Committee of the Whole closed session as authorized under Section 239 of The Municipal Act, to consider:

1. Adoption of Closed Minutes of Meetings held March 17, 2021
2. Labour relations or employee negotiations - as it relates to upcoming negotiations with CUPE Local 109 and OPSEU Local 462

Carried

Motion #: 60-21 Moved By: Councillor Higgs

Seconded By: Councillor MacDonald

Resolved That Council rise from Committee of the Whole closed session without reporting.

Carried

2 Approval of Addendum

Motion #: 61-21 Moved By: Councillor Higgs

Seconded By: Councillor Martin

Whereas each year the paramedics of Frontenac Paramedic Services will respond to approximately 22,000 calls for assistance from the public;

And Whereas the paramedics are ready to provide lifesaving care to those in need 24 hours a day, 7 days a week, 365 days a year;

And Whereas access to quality emergency medical care dramatically improves the survival and recovery rate of those who experience sudden illness or injury;

And Whereas the members of paramedic services teams, engage in thousands of hours of specialized training and continuing education to enhance their life saving skills;

And Whereas the members of paramedic services teams often find themselves in dangerous and traumatic situations requiring spontaneous decision-making;

And Whereas the members of paramedic services teams provide a vital pre-hospital service to the residents of the geographic area of the County of Frontenac and the City of Kingston;

Therefore Be It Resolved That the week of May 23 to May 29 ,2021 be proclaimed **Paramedic Services Week** in the County of Frontenac with the theme of "**Paramedic as Educator – Citizen Ready**" which demonstrates the important role that paramedics play as educators to the public.

Carried

7 Move into Committee of the Whole

11 Information Reports from the Chief Administrative Officer

a) 2021-033

Fairmount Home

Resident and Family Annual Satisfaction Survey 2020

b) 2021-037

Corporate Services

Queen's University Archives Annual Report to the County of Frontenac for 2020

c) 2021-038

Office of the Chief Administrative Officer

Annual Complaints Handling Report

12 Reports from Council Liaison Appointees

a) Emergency and Transportation Services - Councillor Higgs

Councillor Higgs provided an overview of the Emergency and Transportation Services liaison activities since the last Council meeting.

b) Long Term Care (Fairmount Home) - Councillor Martin

Councillor Martin provided an overview of the Long Term Care (Fairmount Home) liaison activities since the last Council meeting.

c) Corporate Services - Councillor MacDonald

No Report.

d) Planning and Economic Development - Councillor Revill

Councillor Revill provided an overview of the Planning and Economic Development liaison activities since the last Council meeting.

13 Reports from External Boards and Committees

a) Kingston Frontenac Library Board Update - Councillor Revill

Councillor Revill provided an overview of the Kingston Frontenac Library Board activities since the last Council meeting.

b) KFL&A Public Health Board Update - Deputy Warden Doyle

- a) **From the Township of South Glengarry regarding Resolution concerning the Provincial Rollout of COVID-19 vaccines**
[Distributed to Members of County Council March 19, 2021]

- b) **From the Municipality of Tweed Regarding Advocacy for Reform of Joint and Several Liability**
[Distributed to Members of County Council March 19, 2021]

- c) **Letter of Support from the Municipality of Leamington Regarding the Ontario Fire College**
[Distributed to Members of County Council March 19, 2021]

- d) **From Jacalyn Duffin, Concerned Citizen Regarding allowing motorized vehicles on the K&P Trail**
[Distributed to Members of County Council March 19, 2021]

- e) **From the Muskoka District Council requesting the Province to reverse its decision to close the Ontario Fire College**
[Distributed to Members of County Council March 19, 2021]

- f) **From EORN providing a 5G Resource Guide that EORN**
[Distributed to Members of County Council March 19, 2021]

- g) From the Ontario Recreation Facilities Association Inc. regarding Open Letter to ORFA Members and Industry Employers**
[Distributed to Members of County Council March 19, 2021]

- h) From the Town of Plympton-Wyoming Supports Norfolk County resolution regarding Carbon Tax**
[Distributed to Members of County Council March 19, 2021]

- i) From the Town of Plympton-Wyoming Supporting the Town of Gravenhurst resolution on the Ontario Fire College**
[Distributed to Members of County Council March 19, 2021]

- j) From the Town of Plympton-Wyoming Supporting the City of Sarnia resolution for Colour Coded Capacity Limits**
[Distributed to Members of County Council March 19, 2021]

- k) From the Municipality of Grey Highlands Regarding the Ontario Fire College**
[Distributed to Members of County Council March 26, 2021]

- l) From the Niagara Region Regarding Homelessness, Mental Health and Addiction in Niagara**
[Distributed to Members of County Council March 26, 2021]

- m) From the Town of Fort Erie regarding support of Sarnia resolution on Colour Coding and adjusting capacity limits**
[Distributed to Members of County Council March 26, 2021]

- n) From the Town of Fort Erie regarding support of Township of Brock resolution on Cannabis licensing and enforcement**
[Distributed to Members of County Council March 26, 2021]

- o) From the Town of Fort Erie regarding support of the Town of Lincoln resolution for McNally House Hospice End of Life**
[Distributed to Members of County Council March 26, 2021]

- p) From the Town of Fort Erie regarding support of Niagara Region for Homelessness, Mental Health, and Addiction**
[Distributed to Members of County Council March 26, 2021]

- q) From the Township of Edwardsburgh Cardinal regarding resolution respecting the Closure of Ontario Fire College**
[Distributed to Members of County Council March 26, 2021]

- r) From the City of Owen Sound regarding support of the Municipality of West Grey resolution for Municipal Insurance Rate**
[Distributed to Members of County Council March 26, 2021]

- s) From the Municipality of Calvin regarding a resolution in support of Universal Paid Sick Days**
[Distributed to Members of County Council March 26, 2021]

- t) Email from Sarah Keyes regarding Bill 216 - Policy Briefing Note - requesting input and support**
[Distributed to Members of County Council March 26, 2021]

- u) From the Township of Pickle Lake regarding a resolution requesting changes to the Municipal Elections Act**
[Distributed to Members of County Council March 26, 2021]

- v) Resolution from the Municipality of Calvin Regarding Universal Paid Sick Days**
[Distributed to Members of County Council April 2, 2021]

- w) Resolution from the Town of Orangeville Regarding Bill 257**
[Distributed to Members of County Council April 2, 2021]

- x) From the Town of Kingsville Regarding Bill C-21**
[Distributed to Members of County Council April 2, 2021]

- y) From the Township of Hudson regarding resolution of Support for Fire Departments**

[Distributed to Members of County Council April 2, 2021]

- z) Letter from the City of Kitchener regarding a resolution concerning Planning Act Timelines**

[Distributed to Members of County Council April 2, 2021]

- aa) From the Minister of the Solicitor General regarding County of Frontenac 2020 Compliance results under the Emergency Management and Civil Protection Act (EMCPA)**

[Distributed to Members of County Council April 2, 2021]

- ab) From Eastern Ontario Wardens' Caucus Regarding Broadband Funding Commitment**

[Distributed to Members of County Council April 2, 2021]

- ac) Kingston & Frontenac Housing Corporation Annual Occupancy Report ending December 31, 2020**

[Distributed to Members of County Council April 2, 2021]

- ad) Letter of resignation by Barrie Gilbert from the Community Development Advisory Committee (CDAC)**

[Distributed to Members of County Council April 2, 2021]

- ae) Letter of resignation by Mary Kloosterman from the Community Development Advisory Committee (CDAC)**

[Distributed to Members of County Council April 2, 2021]

- af) From Daryl Krampco regarding updates on Food Literacy for Students and Bill 216**

[Distributed to Members of County Council April 2, 2021]

- ag) From the Town of Caledon providing Letter to Minister Hajdu in Support for 988 a 3-digit Suicide and Crisis Prevention Hotline**

[Distributed to Members of County Council April 9, 2021]

- ah) From the Town of Caledon providing Letter to Premier Ford regarding Ontario Fire College Closure**

[Distributed to Members of County Council April 9, 2021]

- ai) Letter of Support from the Town of Amherstburg Regarding Universal Paid Sick Days in Ontario**

[Distributed to Members of County Council April 9, 2021]

- aj) Letter of Support from the Town of Amherstburg Regarding Amendments to the Agricultural Tile Drainage Installation Act.**

[Distributed to Members of County Council April 9, 2021]

- ak) Southern Frontenac Community Services April 2021 Newsletter**

[Distributed to Members of County Council April 9, 2021]

- a) From the Township of Lake of Bays to the City of Sarnia supporting its resolution in support of Colour Coded Capacity Limits**

[Distributed to Members of County Council April 9, 2021]

- am) Letter of Support from the Township of Zorra Regarding Reform of Joint and Several Liability**

[Distributed to Members of County Council April 9, 2021]

- an) Letter of Support from the Township of Essa Regarding Bill 257, Schedule C**

[Distributed to Members of County Council April 16, 2021]

- ao) From the Township of Frontenac Islands requesting release of Gas Tax Funding Double Up**

[Distributed to Members of County Council April 16, 2021]

- ap) Letter from the City of Kitchener Regarding Planning Act Timelines**

[Distributed to Members of County Council April 16, 2021]

- aq) From the Township of Springwater Regarding Clean Fuel Standard**

[Distributed to Members of County Council April 16, 2021]

20 Other Business

21 Public Question Period

22 By-Laws – General By-laws and Confirmatory By-law

a) First and Second Reading

Motion #: 79-21 Moved By: Councillor Martin

Seconded By: Councillor Revill

Resolved That leave be given the mover to introduce by-laws a) and b) that have been circulated to all Members of County Council and that by-laws a) and b) be read a first and second time.

Carried

b) Third Reading

Motion #: 80-21 Moved By: Councillor Martin

Seconded By: Councillor Revill

Resolved That by-laws a) and b) be read a third time, signed, sealed and finally passed.

