



Council in Brief

February 13, 2023 4th Session of Council

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Notice of Public Meeting 2023 Proposed 2023 Municipal Operating and Capital Budgets - February 27, 2023 at 7:00 pm

A public meeting will be held as part of the Regular Council meeting to receive comments and input from the public on the proposed municipal budget on Monday, February 27, 2023 at 7:00 pm. Notice was also provided that council intends to adopt the 2023 budget on Monday, March 13, 2023. Written submissions will be accepted and individuals wishing to speak will be given the opportunity during the public meeting.

Public Meeting - Main Street Plaza Corp. 216-222 Main Street, Bath

A public meeting was held to consider an amendment to the Comprehensive Zoning By-Law. The proposed amendment applies to property located at Part of Lots 12 and 13, Concession Broken Front and municipally addressed as 216-222 Main Street, Bath. By-law 2023-010 being a by-law to amend the Shopping Centre Commercial Exception Six (C4-6) zone to allow a "Broadcasting and Communications Establishment" as a permitted non-residential use was enacted and passed.

Delegations and Presentations

A representative of the **Cataraqui Regional Conservation Authority (CRCA)** presented an overview of the CRCA history and services they provide, as well as highlights of the CRCA accomplishments in 2022 and overview of the 2023 budget, planned projects and how the budget was developed. Council received the CRCA 2023 budget presentation.

Doctors from the **Loyalist Family Health Team** provided Council with an overview and presentation regarding the health care needs in Loyalist Township. Many physicians will be retiring in the next few years. They're hoping to fill five upcoming vacancies and requested funding. Council received the presentation and that staff be directed to return to Council with a report on possible funding options and agreement proposals for the initiation of a Loyalist Township physician recruitment program, in partnership with the Loyalist Family Health Team; and to further investigate similar strategies to recruit and retain nursing staff.

Summer Student Pre-Budget Approval

Council approved a report from Corporate Services regarding the pre-budget approval of the summer student wages contained in each respective departments budget. The student costs are incorporated in the draft 2023 Budget for Council's consideration.

Courageous Companions Advertising

Council received and supported the request from Courageous Companions for a business card size advertisement.

Bath Canada Day Fireworks

Council supported the Bath Canada Day joint subcommittee and staff recommendations to exclude a fireworks display at the Bath Canada Day event moving forward and communication, through Township social media, of this information be made to the residents of Bath.

Use of Electronic Message Boards at Ferry Docks

Council received the report and directed staff to develop an approval process by May 1, 2023 to allow staff to post messages on behalf of community groups and further that staff report back within a year on the usage of the Electronic Messaging Board and the effectiveness of the Policy.

Planning Reports – Assumption of One Foot Reserves Lakeside Ponds Phase 2 Stage

Council received the report from the Planning Division regarding assumption of One Foot Reserves on the following files

- Lakeside Ponds Phase 2 Stage 3 - Block 49 on Plan 29M-61
- Lakeside Ponds Phase 2 Stage 3 - Blocks 29 & 30 on Plan 29M-59
- Aura by the Lake Phase 1 - Block 34 on Plan 1192

Lakeside Ponds Phase 2 Stage 2 Part Lot Control Request

Council approved the report from the Planning Division re: Lakeside Ponds Phase 2 Stage 2, Block 50 - Part Lot Control Request, be received and that By-law 2023-011, being a by-law to lift part lot control requirements for Block 50 on Registered Plan 29M-61, for the Lakeside Ponds Phase 2 Stage 2, Plan of Subdivision, be enacted and passed.

Reports received for Information

Council received the following reports for Information

- Building Activity Report December 2022 and January 2023 and
- Procurement Activities 4th Quarter 2022

Upcoming Meeting Dates

2023-02-21 6:00 pm Renewable Energy Fund Advisory Ward 2/3 Sub Committee
2023-02-27 7:00 pm Regular Council
2023-03-06 6:00 pm Committee of Adjustment
2023-03-06 6:00 pm Committee of the Whole (following CoA)

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Office Hours: 8:30 a.m. to 4:30 p.m. Monday to Friday Phone 613-386-7351 www.loyalist.ca

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