

TOWNSHIP OF O'CONNOR
COUNCIL AGENDA ITEMS FOR MEETING – SEPTEMBER 28, 2020 AT 7 P.M.

Absent, if any, please call

1. Call to order
2. Disclosure of pecuniary interest and the general nature thereof
3. Minutes – Council Meeting September 14, 2020 – enclosed
4. Visitors, if any
5. Any person who requested to be on the agenda – to date of mailing
 - a) 7 p.m. – Nuclear Waste Management Organization (NWMO) – Relationship Managers - Rachelle Davenport & Norman Sandberg re: Implementing Canada's Plan for Used Nuclear Fuel
6. 7:30 p.m. – Fire Chief Henry Mattas
 - a) Fire Department Report – available at meeting
 - b) Fire Department issues
7. Voucher for September 28, 2020 – a) Admin and Road - Bills to be paid passed around the table
8. By-laws and Policies – none at time of mailing
9. Consent applications – none at time of mailing
10. Resolutions for endorsement – a) Township of North Glengarry – re: Urging Ontario Government to provide funding to increase full-time positions in long term care homes – enclosed
 - b) Township of Wollaston – requesting changes to the Municipal Elections Act – enclosed
 - c) Town of Amherstburg – request for Amendments to Bill 108 re: the Ontario Heritage Act – enclosed
 - d) Town of Amherstburg – re: AODA Website compliance extension request - enclosed
11. Correspondence – copies of letters enclosed
 - a) The District of Thunder Bay Social Services Administration Board (TBDSSAB) – Update from the Board – September 23, 2020.
 - b) Thunder Bay District Municipal League (TBDML) – 2020 NOMA & TBDML levy.
 - c) Lakehead Region Conservation Authority – 2019 Audited Financial Statements – full statements will be available at meeting
 - d) MPAC – Municipal levy letter
 - e) Ministry of the Solicitor General – Subject: Enforcement and Amendments under the Reopening Ontario Act, 2020
 - f) Doug Morris – email re: truck incident on Blaikie Road

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11. Correspondence (con't)

- g) Association of Municipalities of Ontario (AMO) – i) AMO Policy Update – September 17, 2020 – New Legislation, Regional Gathering Restrictions, and Pre-Federal Throne Speech Submission
 - ii) AMO Policy Update – September 21, 2020 – Provincial Regional Gathering Restrictions and DC/CBC Regulations
 - iii) AMO Update: September 23, 2020 – 2020 Federal Throne Speech, Expanding Rural Broadband, Improved Housing Access, Child Care and Long-Term Care Standards
- h) Ministry of Municipal Affairs and Housing – re: Parkland Dedication, Development Charges and the Community Benefits Charges Authority.
- i) Tribunals Ontario – re: Assessment Review Board (ARB) – ARB Changes Status.
- j) Balance of the correspondence to be passed around table

12. Old business

- a) Township Inspection set for October 23, 2020 – request for start time change – Councillor Loan
- b) Community Centre rentals – request to restart of exercise classes - enclosed
- c) Municipal Operating Fund Phase 1 – funding for COVID expenses – discuss if any items should be purchased.
- d) Discuss updating of the Township of O'Connor Zoning By-law
- e) Further old business

13. New business

- a) Shara Lavalley, Lakehead Police Board Secretary – re: OPP Section 10 Contract - enclosed
- b) Township of Gillies – copy of Letter to the Lakehead Police Services Board re: Appointment of John Sobolta to Lakehead Police Services Board and Financial Concerns - enclosed
- c) Further new business

14. Issues brought forward or letters received after agenda was mailed – copies will be available at the Council table

- a) Ministry of Energy, Northern Development and Mines – News Release – Ontario Launches Recovery Program for Northern Businesses Impacted by COVID-19.**

15. Information purposes: Building permits were approved as follows: New home – 595 Highway 595, Storage/Equipment building – 251 Connolly Road

16. Closed Portion

- a) to discuss labour relations or employee negotiations

17. Open meeting

18. Adjournment

DATE OF NEXT MEETING – Tuesday, October 13, 2020 at 7 p.m.