

The Corporation of the Town of Essex

Regular Council Meeting Minutes

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This meeting will be hosted and chaired from the Essex County Civic Centre Council Chambers. Due to the ongoing COVID-19 pandemic and the Essex County Civic Centre building not being open to the public at this time, this meeting can only be viewed by the public electronically via livestream on YouTube.

December 7, 2020, 6:00 pm Essex Civic Centre 360 Fairview Avenue West Essex, Ontario

Present: Mayor Larry Snively

Deputy Mayor Richard Meloche

Councillor Joe Garon

Councillor Morley Bowman Councillor Kim Verbeek Councillor Steve Bjorkman Councillor Chris Vander Doelen

Councillor Sherry Bondy

Also Present: Robert Auger, Town Solicitor, Legal and Legislative Services/Clerk

Shelley Brown, Deputy Clerk, Legal and Legislative Services

Chris Nepszy, Chief Administrative Officer

Doug Sweet, Director, Community Services/Deputy CAO Jeffrey Morrison, Director, Corporate Services/Treasurer

Lori Chadwick, Director, Development Services Kevin Girard, Director, Infrastructure Services

1. Call to Order

Mayor Snively called the meeting to order at 6:00 PM

2. Closed Meeting Report

Robert Auger, Town Solicitor, Legal and Legislative Services/Clerk, provided a verbal report on the Closed Meeting held earlier this evening. He reported that Council met electronically in a Closed Session, as permitted to do so by Section 239 (2) (b) and Section 239 (2) (c) respectively of the Municipal Act, S.O. 2001, c.25, as amended.

At the Closed Meeting Council received information relating to personnel matters and relating to a potential land acquisition by the municipality and gave direction to Administration on both matters. Direction was provided to Administration:

- 1. To bring back to Council at the December 21, 2020 Regular Meeting a By-Law to amend By-Law 1953, being a by-law to enter into an Agreement between the Town and its non-union employees as it relates to remuneration and benefits for its employees; and
- 2. To report in open session for Council's consideration, the recommendation that the property known as 195 Bagot be declared as being surplus to the needs of the Municipality.

R20-12-439

Moved By Councillor Vander Doelen Seconded By Councillor Bowman

That Council declare the property known as 195 Bagot (and also known as the Colchester School House Property) as being surplus to the needs of the municipality and further that Administration be directed to provide the requisite public notice and then bring back to Council at the next regularly scheduled meeting a By-law authorizing the sale of the subject property in accordance with By-law 855 being a By-law to establish Policies and Procedures for the Sale and Disposition of Surplus land.

Carried

3. Declarations of Conflict of Interest

There were no declaration of conflict of interest noted.

4. Adoption of Published Agenda

4.1 Regular Council Meeting Agenda for December 7, 2020

R20-12-440

Moved By Councillor Garon Seconded By Councillor Bjorkman

That the published agenda for the December 7, 2020 Regular Council Meeting be adopted with the following addition:

1. Councillor Bondy has a Notice of Motion to be presented this evening as Agenda item 15.1. to be brought back for Council's consideration at the next Regular Meeting of Council

Carried

5. Adoption of Minutes

5.1 Regular Council Meeting Minutes for November 16, 2020

R20-12-441

Moved By Councillor Bowman Seconded By Councillor Bjorkman

That the minutes of the Regular Council Meeting held November 16, 2020, be adopted as circulated.

5.2 Special Council Meeting Minutes for October 19, 2020

R20-12-442

Moved By Councillor Garon Seconded By Deputy Mayor Meloche

That the minutes of the Special Council Meeting held October 19, 2020, held for Council to provide their comments and questions to Strategy Corp with regards to the "Current State Assessment Report, Town of Essex Delivery Review", as presented at the October 19, 2020 Special Council Meeting, be adopted as circulated.

Carried

5.3 Special Council Meeting Minutes for November 23, 2020

R20-12-443

Moved By Councillor Bjorkman Seconded By Councillor Garon

That the minutes of the November 23, 2020 Special Council Meeting held for the purpose of a statutory Public Meeting to consider a Proposed Draft Plan of Subdivision for the subdivision known as Parkland Estates, Harrow, be adopted as circulated.

Carried

6. Public Presentations

6.1 Essex Accessibility Advisory Committee

Lisa Wallace, Vice Chair

RE: International Day of Persons with Disabilities (IDPD)

R20-12-444

Moved By Councillor Bondy Seconded By Councillor Bjorkman

That the presentation by Lisa Wallace, Vice Chair, Essex Accessibility Advisory Committee, be received and

That Council direct Administration to appoint a staff member to attend the Accessible Spaces 101 training as requested by the Committee.

Carried

6.2 Surveillance Cameras on private property

6.2.1 Jennifer Weber

Ms. Weber spoke to council and expressed her concerns with personal security cameras being directed onto her property from neighboring yards. She stated that in her particular circumstance the Ontario Provincial Police advised that without a regulating by-law there was not much that could be done to protect her from what she viewed were intrusions of privacy. To that end Ms. Weber advised that she had researched the issue and that there was authority under the Municipal

Act for municipalities to regulate against "excessive fortifications of land" and she cited several municipalities that currently had regulating By-laws in place. She asked Council to support Councillor Garon's motion to develop such a By-law for the Town of Essex.

6.2.2 Ryan O'Connor

President of South Point Communications
RE: Surveillance cameras installed on private property

Mr. O-Connor who installs such cameras as part of his business advised Council that when such cameras are professionally installed proper consideration is given to boundaries and security settings to help ensure there are no undue or intentional intrusions into neighboring properties. He further stated that such cameras are important to homeowners for security reasons but proper consideration should always be given to privacy concerns as well.

6.2.3 The following Notice of Motion was presented at the November 16, 2020 Regular Council Meeting and has been brought forward this evening for Council's consideration

Councillor Garon

RE: Adoption of a new by-law with respect to surveillance cameras

R20-12-445

Moved By Councillor Bowman Seconded By Councillor Garon

That the presentation by Jennifer Weber and Ryan O'Connor be received.

Carried

R20-12-446

Moved By Councillor Garon Seconded By Councillor Bjorkman

That Administration be directed to come back to Council with a Report on the development of a By-law that protects the rights of all residents with respect to surveillance cameras installed on private property; and

That the Report review the ability to prohibit homeowners from pointing security cameras at neighboring properties or public property, and that any surveillance cameras can only be used to monitor and/or record a homeowner's land and nothing beyond its borders.

Carried

7. Unfinished Business

8. Reports from Administration

8.1 Development Services Verbal Report

Lori Chadwick, Director of Development Services provided Council with a verbal report entitled "Upper Canada Growers ZBA/SPC Applications".

Director Chadwick advised Council of the upcoming December 21 Special Council Meeting to fulfill the statutory public consultation requirements of the Planning Act and further advised Council that after the public consultation meeting Council could if it was their wish, consider making a decision on the applications that same evening at its regular Council meeting thereafter or if it wished Council could defer consideration of the matter until after the regular council meeting. After some discussion Council provided direction for Administration to be prepared to present the Applications for Council's consideration at the December 21 regular meeting.

R20-12-447

Moved By Deputy Mayor Meloche Seconded By Councillor Bjorkman

That the verbal report from Lori Chadwick, Director of Development Services entitled "Upper Canada Growers ZBA/SPC Applications", be received.

Carried

8.2 Development Services Report 2020-03

RE: Housing Affordability and Opportunity in the Town of Essex

Infill Development Presentation to Council(March 16, 2020)

Director Chadwick provided an overview of this Report to Council.

R20-12-448

Moved By Deputy Mayor Meloche Seconded By Councillor Bjorkman

That Development Services Report 2020-03, entitled "Housing Affordability and Opportunity in the Town of Essex", prepared by Lori Chadwick, Director, Development Services, dated December 7, 2020, be received; and

That Council consider the options and associated impacts to incentivize Infill Residential Development through the waiving of Development Charges in advance of 2021 Budget Deliberations; and

That Jeffrey Morrison, Director, Corporate Services/Treasurer prepare options as it relates to the deferral of Development Charges for Infill Development for a proposed period of 2 years with such options to be presented at the December 14, 2020 Special Council Meeting.

Carried

8.3 Legal and Legislative Services Report 2020-19

RE: Court of Revision for Szakacs Drain: Repair and Improvement, Geographic Township of Colchester South, Town of Essex, County of Essex

 By-Law 1968Being a by-law to provide for the Szakacs Drain: Repair and Improvement, Geographic Township of Colchester South, Project REI2016D0004

R20-12-449

Moved By Councillor Bjorkman Seconded By Councillor Bowman **That** Legal and Legislative Services Report 2020-19, entitled "Court of Revision for Szakacs Drain: Repair and Improvement, Geographic Township of Colchester South, Town of Essex, County of Essex, Project REI2016D004", dated December 7, 2020, prepared by Robert Auger, Town Solicitor, Legal and Legislative Services/Clerk, be received; and

That the following three (3) members of the Drainage Board: Kirk Carter, Percy Dufour and Felix Weigt-Bienzle be appointed to sit as members of the Court of Revision to be convened for the Szakacs Drain: Repair and Improvement, Geographic Township of Colchester South, Project REI2016D004, be scheduled for 5:00 PM on January 6, 2021, via electronic meeting; and

That By-Law 1968 being a by-law to provide for the Szakacs Drain: Repair and Improvement, Geographic Township of Colchester South, Project REI2016D004, be read a first and a second time and provisionally adopted on December 7, 2020.

Carried

8.4 Legal and Legislative Services Report 2020-20

RE: Court of Revision for Shepley Drain: Bridge Replacement for Gorski Land Holdings Inc., Geographic Township of Colchester South, Town of Essex, County of Essex

 By-Law 1969Being a by-law to provide for the Shepley Drain: Bridge Replacement for Gorski Land Holdings Inc., Geographic Township of Colchester South, Project REI2020D012

R20-12-450

Moved By Councillor Bjorkman Seconded By Deputy Mayor Meloche

That Legal and Legislative Services Report 2020-20, entitled "Court of Revision for Shepley Drain: Bridge Replacement for Gorski Land Holdings Inc., Geographic Township of Colchester South, Town of Essex, County of Essex, Project REI2020D012", dated December 7, 2020, prepared by Robert Auger, Town Solicitor, Legal and Legislative Services/Clerk, be received; and

That the following three (3) members of the Drainage Board: Kirk Carter, Percy Dufour and Felix Weigt-Bienzle be appointed to sit as members of the Court of Revision to be convened for the Shepley Drain: Bridge Replacement for Gorski Holdings Inc., Geographic Township of Colchester South, Project REI2020D012, be scheduled for 5:00 PM on January 6, 2021, via electronic meeting; and

That By-Law 1969 being a by-law to provide for the Shepley Drain: Bridge Replacement for Gorski Holdings Inc., Geographic Township of Colchester South, Project REI2020D012, be read a first and a second time and provisionally adopted on December 7, 2020.

8.5 Legal and Legislative Services Report 2020-021

RE: 2021 Town Insurance Program RFP Results

R20-12-451

Moved By Councillor Bowman Seconded By Deputy Mayor Meloche

That Legal and Legislative Services Report 2020-021, entitled "2021 Town Insurance Program RFP Results", prepared by Robert Auger, Town Solicitor/Legal and Legislative Services/Clerk, dated December 7, 2020, be received; and

That Council awards the Request for Proposal for General Insurance Services to Frank Cowan Company Limited ("Cowan") for a one year term (January 1, 2021 to January 1, 2022) with the option to renew for each subsequent year (up to a maximum of 5 years) based on satisfactory performance, quotes and service.

Carried

8.6 Community Services Report 2020-05

RE: HEIRS Lease Renewal at Harrow Arena

 By-Law 1970Being a by-law to authorize the execution of a lease agreement between the Town of Essex and the Harrow Early Immigrant Research Society for property to operate a research library inside of the Harrow and Colchester South Recreation Complex located at 243 McAffee Street, Harrow, Ontario

R20-12-452

Moved By Deputy Mayor Meloche Seconded By Councillor Bowman

That Community Services Report 2020-05, entitled "HEIRS Lease Renewal at Harrow Arena", prepared by Doug Sweet, Director, Community Services/Deputy CAO, dated December 7, 2020, be received; and

That Council approves entering into a renewal agreement with the Harrow Early Immigrant Research Society for leased space at the Harrow Arena located at 243 McAffee Street for an additional ten year period commencing on the first day of January, 2021 and concluding on December 31, 2031, subject to the general terms and conditions as outlined in By-Law 1970; and

That By-Law 1970, being a by-law to authorize the execution of a lease agreement between the Town of Essex and the Harrow Early Immigrant Research Society for property to operate a research library inside of the Harrow and Colchester South Recreation Complex located at 243 McAffee Street, Harrow, Ontario, be read a first, a second and a third time and finally adopted on December 7, 2020.

8.7 Drainage Report 2020-12

RE: Appointment of an Engineer under Section 78 of the Drainage Act to legalize a culvert installation on the Lawrence Quick Drain

R20-12-453

Moved By Councillor Vander Doelen Seconded By Councillor Bowman

That Drainage Report 2020-12, entitled "Appointment of an Engineer under Section 78 of the Drainage Act to legalize a culvert installation on the Lawrence Quick Drain", prepared by Lindsay Dean, Drainage Superintendent, dated November 2, 2020, be received; and

That Council appoint Baird AE under Section 78 of the Drainage Act to legalize a culvert installation on the Lawrence Quick Drain.

Carried

8.8 Planning Services Report 2020-27

RE: Draft Plan of Subdivision Approval, Parkland Estates (Applicant: Noah Homes, 1552843 Ontario Limited) File No 37T20004

- Parkland Estates Harrow Draft Plan (1)
- Parkland Estates Subdivision Final Approval
- Draft Parkland Agreement (Final)

R20-12-454

Moved By Councillor Bowman Seconded By Deputy Mayor Meloche

That Planning Report 2020-27, entitled "Draft Plan of Subdivision Approval, Parkland Estates (1552843 Ontario Limited) File No. 37T20004", prepared by Rita Jabbour, RPP, Manager, Planning Services, dated December 7, 2020, be received, and

That Council request that the Manager of Planning Services for the County of Essex give draft plan of subdivision approval to 1552843 Ontario Limited (Noah Homes), for the development of the "Parkland Estates" subdivision on lands comprising Part of Lot 12, Second Range of the Gore, on the East side of County Road 13, south of Pollard Drive, to permit the development of single-detached and semi-detached dwellings, in accordance with the draft plan prepared by Verhaegen Land Surveyors and dated July 16, 2020 subject to the following:

- 1. That 1552843 Ontario Limited (Noah Homes) enter into a subdivision agreement with the Town for the provision of roads and other services and facilities to the subdivision, in accordance with the draft plan attached to this resolution;
- 2. Such other conditions requested by the Manager of Planning Services for the County of Essex, as a condition of draft plan of subdivision approval; and
- 3. That Council agrees to accept cash in lieu of a parkland dedication and to permit the construction of a storm water management pond and public

parking area on Town lands, in accordance with the provisions of the subdivision agreement.

Carried

9. Reports from Youth Members

10. County Council Update

The Mayor and the Deputy Mayor advised Council and the public of: 1) the recent budget that was passed at the County level and which approved a 0.49 percent tax increase and 2) the recent change in the County's recycle contractor as a result of a new contract process which approved a new contract for the City of Windsor to provide recycling services throughout the County of Essex.

11. Correspondence

11.1 Correspondence to be received

R20-12-455

Moved By Councillor Bowman Seconded By Deputy Mayor Meloche

That all of the correspondence listed in Agenda Item 11.1 be received and, where indicated, to further share such information with the community using suitable methods of communication.

Carried

11.1.1 COVID-19 Virus Correspondence

11.1.1.1 Bereavement Authority of Ontario (BAO) Effective November 14, 2020

RE: Registrar's Directive

BAO issues colour code for regional restrictions that licensees and establishments must follow

• Colour Code Chart

11.1.1.2 Ministry of Municipal Affairs and Housing, Kate Manson-Smith, Deputy Minister MAH

RE: Enforcement of Orders under the Reopening Ontario Act, 2020

 Ministry of the Solicitor General RE: Further Changes under the Reopening Ontario Act, 2020

11.1.1.3 Association of Municipalities of Ontario (AMO)

AMO Policy Update (November 20, 2020) RE: Updated COVID-19 Measures, New LTC Projects, Emergency Orders Extended and AODA Items

11.1.1.4 Media Release - Town of Essex

RE: COVID-19 Response: Community Update (November 30, 2020)

Operations to be suspended at Essex and Harrow Arenas

11.1.1.5 Windsor Essex County Health Unit (WECHU)

RE: Public Health Memo COVID-19 (Update for the week of November 30, 2020)

11.1.2 Media Release-Town of Essex

November 18, 2020

RE: Town of Essex Seeking Youth Council Members

11.1.3 Media Release - Town of Essex

November 24, 2020

RE: Town of Essex Announces Provincial Funding for Local Streetscape Projects

11.1.4 Media Release - Town of Essex

November 30, 2020

RE: Town of Essex to Honour Frontline Workers with Christmas Tree Lighting Ceremony Livestream

11.1.5 Minister Seniors and Accessibility (MSAA)

RE: Reply to Town of Essex correspondence supporting the Town of Amherstburg's *Accessibility for Ontarians with Disability Act*, 2005 (AODA) website compliance extension request.

• Town's correspondence dated October 28, 2020

11.1.6 Office of Chris Lewis, MP Essex

RE: Reply to Town of Essex correspondence supporting the Township of Blanford-Blenheim's concerns relating to unlicensed and unmonitored cannabis grow operations.

• Town's correspondence dated November 16, 2020

11.1.7 William Dent and Stephanie Wilhelm

RE: Rural Fibre Expansion concerns

Correspondence to Council from William Dent and Stephanie Wilhelm from County Road 20 West, Harrow advising Council of their concerns that their neighbourhood is not included in the rural fibre expansion through SWIFT.

11.1.8 Ministry of Finance

RE: Property Tax and Assessment Measures in the 2020 Ontario Budget (November 5, 2020)

11.1.9 Ministry of Municipal Affairs and Housing

RE: Ontario Rebuilding and Recovery Act: Accelerating Infrastructure Initiatives Municipal Engagement

11.1.10Rural Ontario Municipal Association (ROMA) Update

RE: Funding and Resources for Improved Connectivity Reminder - Universal Broadband Fund and Improving Connectivity for Ontario

11.1.11Union Water Supply System

RE: Joint Board of Management Minutes - October 21, 2020

11.1.12Municipal Property Assessment Corporation (MPAC)

RE: 2021 Property Values and COVID-19

11.1.13Township of Howick

Resolution RE: Amending the Tile Drain Loan Program

Correspondence from the Township of Howick, dated November 19, 2020 requesting the Ontario Ministry of Agriculture, Food and Rural Affairs to consider lowering the interest rate on Tile Drain Loans to 4% and increasing the yearly loan limit to \$100,000

11.1.14Essex-Windsor Solid Waste Authority

RE: New Recycling Collection Contractor for Essex County

Announcement that effective December 1, 2020 the City of Windsor is the new Essex County recycling collection contractor.

11.1.15Essex-Windsor Solid Waste Authority

RE: Essex-Windsor Regional Landfill Quarterly Operations Report (April - June 2020)

11.1.16Town of Fort Erie

RE: City of Hamilton - Request to the Premier and Minister of Attorney General - Amending the AGCO Process to Consider Radial Separation from other Cannabis Locations

Correspondence dated November 17, 2020 requesting the Province to consider amending its licensing and application process for Cannabis Retail Stores to consider radial separation from other cannabis locations.

11.1.17 Ministry of the Environment, Conservation and Parks (MECP)

RE: Essex Drinking Water System - Harrow-Colchester South Inspection Report

11.1.18Kim Dennison

RE: Concerned Business Owner and Citizen

Correspondence dated December 1, 2020 bringing forward her concerns and frustrations as a small business owner in the Town of Essex and COVID-19 restrictions.

11.1.19Ministry of Municipal Affairs and Housing (MMAH)

RE: Staffing Changes at the Western Municipal Services (MSO-W) of the Ministry of Municipal Affairs and Housing in London

11.2 Correspondence to be considered for receipt and support

12. Committee Meeting Minutes

R20-12-456

Moved By Deputy Mayor Meloche Seconded By Councillor Vander Doelen

That the minutes listed in Agenda item 12, together with any recommendations to Council noted therein, be received, approved and adopted as circulated.

Carried

12.1 Drainage Board Minutes - November 25, 2020

RE: Court of Revision

North Rear Road Drain South Side: New Bridge for Grondin

12.2 Committee of Adjustment - October 20, 2020

12.3 Drainage Board Minutes - November 25, 2020

RE: Consideration of Reports

Shepley Drain: Bridge Replacement for Gorski Landings Inc.

Szakacs Drain: Repair and Improvement

13. Financial

13.1 October 2020 Bank Payments Report

R20-12-457

Moved By Councillor Bjorkman Seconded By Councillor Bowman

That the Bank Payments Report, including the October cheque register, cheque number 52007 to cheque number 52148 inclusive in the amount of \$3,504,786.91, the Preauthorized Payments for the month of October in the amount of \$352,614.29; and Payroll for the month of October in the amount of \$608,925.29, be ratified as submitted.

Carried

14. New Business

15. Notices of Motion

15.1 The following Notice of Motion is being presented only this evening and will be brought forward at the December 21, 2020 Regular Council Meeting for Council's consideration.

15.1.1. Councillor Bondy

RE: Bill 229 Conservation Authorities Act

WHEREAS the Province has introduced Bill 229, Protect, Support and Recover from COVID 19 Act - Schedule 6 – Conservation Authorities Act;

WHEREAS the Legislation introduces a number of changes and new sections that could remove and/or significantly hinder the conservation authorities' role

in regulating development, permit appeal process and engaging in review and appeal of planning applications;

WHEREAS the changes allow the Minister to make decisions without CA watershed data and expertise;

WHEREAS the Legislation suggests that the Minister will have the ability to establish standards and requirements for non-mandatory programs which are negotiated between the conservation authorities and municipalities to meet local watershed needs;

WHEREAS municipalities require a longer transition time to put in place agreements with conservation authorities for non-mandatory programs;

WHEREAS municipalities believe that the appointment of municipal representatives on CA Boards should be a municipal decision; and

WHEREAS changes to the legislation will create more red tape and costs for the conservation authorities, and their municipal partners, and potentially result in delays in the development approval process

THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED

THAT the Province of Ontario work with conservation authorities to address their concerns by repealing and/or amending changes to the Conservation Authorities Act and the Planning Act;

THAT the Province of Ontario delay enactment of clauses affecting municipal concerns;

THAT the Province of Ontario provide a longer transition period up to December 2022 for non-mandatory programs to enable coordination of CAmunicipal budget processes;

THAT the Province respect the current conservation authority/municipal relationships;

AND THAT the Province embrace their long-standing partnership with the conservation authorities and provide them with the tools and financial resources they need to effectively implement their watershed management role.

16. Reports and Announcements from Council Members

Each of the Council Members were provided an opportunity to discuss their latest news and activities in the municipality

17. By-Laws

17.1 By-Laws that require a third and final reading

17.1.1 By-Law 1964

Being a by-law to provide for the North Rear Road Drain South Side (New Bridge for Grondin), Geographic Township of Colchester North, Project REI2020D010, Town of Essex, County of Essex

R20-12-458

Moved By Councillor Garon Seconded By Councillor Bowman

That By-Law 1964 being a by-law to provide for the North Rear Road Drain South Side (New Bridge for Grondin), Geographic Township of Colchester North, Project REI2020D010, Town of Essex, County of Essex, be read a third time and finally passed on December 7, 2020.

Carried

17.1.2 By-Law 1967

Being a by-law to confirm the proceedings of the November 16, 2020 Regular Meeting of the Council of The Corporation of the Town of Essex

R20-12-459

Moved By Deputy Mayor Meloche Seconded By Councillor Bjorkman

That By-Law 1967 being a by-law to confirm the proceedings of the November 16, 2020 Regular Meeting of the Council of The Corporation of the Town of Essex, be read a third time and finally passed on December 7, 2020.

Carried

17.1.3 By-Law 1972

Being a by-law to enter into an Agreement between The Corporation of the Town of Essex (the "Municipality") and Her Majesty The Queen In Right of Ontario (as represented by the Minister of Community Safety and Correctional Services) (the "Ministry") and The Essex Police Services Board (the "Board")

R20-12-460

Moved By Councillor Garon Seconded By Councillor Verbeek

That By-Law 1972 being a by-law to enter into an Agreement between The Corporation of the Town of Essex (the "Municipality") and Her Majesty The Queen In Right of Ontario (as represented by the Minister of Community Safety and Correctional Services) (the "Ministry") and The Essex Police Services Board (the "Board"), be read a first, a second and a third time and finally passed December 7, 2020.

By-Laws that require a first, second, third and final reading

17.2.1 By-Law 1971

Being a by-law of The Corporation of the Town of Essex to authorize the borrowing upon amortizing debentures in the principal amount of \$83,397.76 towards the cost of Shoreline Loan Program

R20-12-461

Moved By Deputy Mayor Meloche

That By-Law 1971 being a by-law of The Corporation of the Town of Essex to authorize the borrowing upon amortizing debentures in the principal amount of \$83,397.76 towards the cost of Shoreline Loan Program, be read a first, a second and a third time and finally passed on December 7, 2020.

Carried

17.3 By-Laws that require a first and second reading

17.3.1 By-Law 1973

Being a by-law to confirm the proceedings of the December 7, 2020 Regular Meeting of the Council of The Corporation of the Town of Essex

R20-12-462

Moved By Councillor Bjorkman Seconded By Councillor Vander Doelen

That By-Law 1973 being a by-law to confirm the proceedings of the December 7, 2020 Regular Meeting of the Council of The Corporation of the Town of Essex, be read a first and a second time and provisionally adopted on December 7, 2020.

Carried

18. **Adjournment**

R20-12-463

Moved By Councillor Garon Seconded By Deputy Mayor Meloche

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at the meeting be adjourned at 8:52 PM.	
	Carried
	Mayor
	Clerk