

COMMITTEE OF THE WHOLE MEETING

JANUARY 13, 2020

Location: Council Chambers, Municipal Office

Present: Councillor Gilbert Boucher, Warden Brian Marchand,
Councillor James Goyetche, Councillor Jason MacLean,
Deputy Warden Alvin Martell CAO, Don Marchand

Call to Order

Warden Marchand called the meeting to order at 7:06 p.m.

Items Added to the Agenda

There were no items added to the agenda.

Moved by Councillor Boucher, seconded by Deputy Warden Martell that the agenda be approved as presented. Motion carried.

Review of Minutes: November 12, 2019

Moved by Councillor Boucher, seconded by Councillor MacLean that the minutes of November 12, 2019 be approved with corrections. Motion carried.

Presentations

a) Joshua Nicholas/Chief Wilbert Marshall re: Nova Scotia Mikmaw Summer Games

Warden Marchand welcomed Josh Nicholas, Chief Wilbert Marshall and Councillor Blaine Murray to the meeting.

Mr. Nicholas, Chief Marshall and Councillor Murray gave a power point presentation.

A question and answer period followed.

It was noted that the funding request was \$20,000 and that Mr. Nicholas would forward the budget for the Mikmaw Summer Games to Council for review during budget deliberations.

Warden Marchand thanked them for the presentation.

b) Mayor Brenda Chisholm Beaton re: Allan J MacEachen Airport

Warden Marchand welcomed Mayor Brenda Chisholm Beaton to the meeting.

Mayor Chisholm Beaton gave a power point presentation.

A question and answer period followed.

Warden Marchand thanked Mayor Chisholm Beaton for the presentation.

Moved by Deputy Warden Martell, seconded by Councillor Boucher that the Committee recommend to Council that the Municipality of Richmond County join with the One Cape Breton Leadership, the Cape Breton Partnership and other stakeholders to create a broader project to transition and revitalize the Strait of Canso Causeway Gateway. Motion carried.

Correspondence re:

a) Lennox Passage Yacht Club re: Project Extension Request

Moved by Deputy Warden Martell, seconded by Councillor MacLean that the Committee recommend to Council that a one year extension, ending March 31, 2021, be granted pertaining to the \$20,000 infrastructure grant awarded to the Lennox Passage Yacht Club thereby allowing the project to be successfully completed. Motion carried.

Review of Cheques Issued: November/December 2019

For information purposes.

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There were no items added to the agenda.

Adjournment

Moved by Councillor Boucher, seconded by Councillor MacLean that the meeting be adjourned. Motion carried.

There being no further business, the meeting was adjourned at 8:01 p.m.

CHAIRPERSON:

CLERK: