TOWNSHIP OF CASEY MINUTES OF THE REGULAR MEETING OF COUNCIL

of MAY 10TH, 2023

Held at the Casey Council Chambers

Present:

Reeve:

Guy Labonté

Councillors: Jessie Denommé

Janet Little

Bruno Trudel

Staff:

Krystle Seymour, Clerk-Treasurer

Nicolas Coté, Road Superintendent

Regrets:

Suzanne Boucher

1. Call Meeting to Order & Adoption of Agenda

2023-063

Moved: Janet Little

Jessie Denommé Seconded:

That we, the Council of the Township of Casey do hereby, open the Regular

Meeting of Council of May 10th, 2023 at 7:30 p.m.

"CARRIED"

2023-064

Moved: Bruno Trudel

Seconded: Janet Little

That we, the Council of the Township of Casey do hereby, accept the agenda

as amended:

ADD: 6. c. iii. Canada Post

iv. Camping Complaint

"CARRIED"

2. Adoption of Minutes

a. Regular Meeting of April 12th, 2023

2023-065

Moved: Jessie Denommé

Seconded: Janet Little

That we, the Council of the Township of Casey do hereby, adopt the

following minutes:

Minutes of the Regular Council Meeting of April 12th, 2023 as

presented.

"CARRIED"

3. Disclosure of Pecuniary Interest

a. None

4. Delegations:

a. None

5. Payments of Accounts - Voucher No. 2023-04 **Bruno Trudel** 2023-066 Moved:

Jessie Denommé Seconded:

That we, the Council of the Township of Casey, do hereby, approve the

payment of accounts as presented:

\$14,884.43 Roads Fire \$8,392.43 \$3,124.55 Sewer \$269.17 Dump \$632.71 Recreation \$0.00 Drain \$30,258.92 Admin \$57,562.21 Total Voucher 2023-04

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6. Reports from Staff & Others

a. Road's Department Report

The Road's Superintendent reports that he has been performing regular summer maintenance such as grading and equipment maintenance. OGRA went well and met with Holly Transportation regarding the PTO Tax rebate. He has received quotes for SST and DST for Belle Vallée Road and the village roads for budgeting. Calcium is scheduled for June 15th and a summer student has started. The Superintendent has also removed several beaver dams and cable locates have been requested. The flow meter has continued to work well at the lagoon.

b. Fire's Department Report

The Fire Chief reports that there were no calls this past month. The SCBA's valves were received and three members have received recognition for their 5 years of service with the Fire Department.

c. Others

- i. Earlton-Timiskaming Airport February 2023
- ii. Recreation Report

Casey Clean up day is scheduled for May 17th and the Mini Olympics will take place June 23rd-25th this summer.

iii. Canada Post Office

Council discussed various options for trying to keep Canada Post in the village. Municipal staff inquired with insurance, and the municipality would be able to rent space to the individual who holds the contract with Canada Post, provided they also held the appropriate liability insurance.

iv. Camping Complaint

Municipal staff received a complaint regarding campers on the bank of the river and forwarded to By-Law officer Gilboe.

2023-067 Moved: Janet Little Seconded: Bruno Trudel

That we, the Council of the Township of Casey do hereby, acknowledge receipt and accept the following reports/minutes, and that it be filed along with the minutes of the regular meeting:

- a. Road's Department Report
- b. Fire's Department Report
- c. Others
 - i. Earlton-Timiskaming Airport February 2023
 - ii. Recreation Report
 - iii. Canada Post
 - iv. Camping Complaint

"CARRIED"

7. Correspondence for Council's Consideration:

a. Town of Essex – Retaining Surplus Proceeds from Tax Sales Legislation Reinstatement

2023-068 Moved: Jessie Denommé Seconded: Bruno Trudel

That we, the Council of the Township of Casey do hereby, support the Town of Essex's resolution regarding re-instating previous legislation that permitted a Municipality to apply for and retain the surplus proceeds from a tax sale in their jurisdiction; and

Direct municipal staff to issue a copy of this resolution to the Town of Essex. "CARRIED"

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b. 2023 Paramedic Services Week Proclamation

2023-069 Moved: Janet Little Seconded: Bruno Trudel

That we, the Council of the Township of Casey do hereby, acknowledge receipt of the District of Timiskaming Social Services Administration Board's letter regarding proclaiming May $21^{st} - 27^{th}$, Paramedic Services Week; and

Whereas the third week in May of each year is recognized across North America as Paramedic Services Week by municipalities, Paramedic organizations and associations, as well as other levels of government; and

Whereas the 2023 Paramedic Services Week is May 21-27, 2023; and

Whereas the District of Timiskaming Social Services Administration Board Emergency Medical Services serve the people of the district every day, we take the opportunity to recognize the exceptional service they provide, from their prompt and compassionate response to our citizens in urgent need to the supportive role of Community Paramedics; and

Whereas Paramedics dedicate their lives to public service, and their skills often make the difference when community members are at their most vulnerable; and

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

Whereas the services, dedication and commitment of our highly trained Paramedics deserves to be recognized and honoured; and

Whereas Harley Township wishes to recognize the important contribution of the 63 full-time and part-time paramedics who work out of three bases across the district, as well as recognize the Paramedics across Canada; and

Now Therefore Be It Resolved That the Township of Casey does hereby proclaim May 21-27, 2023, as 'Paramedic Services Week' in Casey Township and urge our fellow community members to recognize the vital contributions provided by all Paramedics in the district of Timiskaming." "CARRIED"

- c. Town of Grimsby Changes to the Municipal Heritage Register
 No Action
- d. Municipality of Trent Lakes Oath of Office No Action
- e. Township of Puslinch Road Side Litter on Highway 401 No Action
- 8. Correspondence for Council's Information:
 - a. Ministry of Municipal Affaires and Housing New Provincial Planning Statement
 - b. MNFR Inspection of Approved Insect Pest Management Program

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9. Other Business:

a. MEMO – 23-011 – Municipal Budget 2023

2023-070 Moved: Janet Little

Seconded: Bruno Trudel

That we, the Council of the Township of Casey do hereby, acknowledge receipt of three proposed levy options with corresponding budget for the fiscal year 2023 as prepared by the Clerk-Treasurer; and

That council direct the Clerk-Treasurer to prepare a by-law given Levy Option # 2 to be presented for Council's consideration at the Regular Meeting of May 10th, 2023. "CARRIED"

- b. District of Timiskaming Social Services Administration Board 2023 Budget
- c. MEMO 23-012 Lots for Sale Belle Vallée Village

2023-071 Moved: Jessie Denommé Seconded: Janet Little
That we, the Council of the Township of Casey do hereby, acknowledge receipt of staff MEMO 23-012 regarding lots for sale in the Village of Belle Vallee and:

Agree to update the listing price for the following properties as outlined below:

LOTS FOR SALE	LEGAL DESCRIPTION	LISTING PRICE
#2 (North-West lot on Genier St)	PCL 20446 SEC SST; LT 11 PL M305TIM CASEY; CASEY; DISTRICT OF TIMISKAMING-called #7 as per CGIS	\$ 11,000.00
#3 (North-East lot on Genier St)	PCL 20446 SEC SST; LT 9 PL M305TIM CASEY; CASEY; DISTRICT OF TIMISKAMING- called #11 as per CGIS	\$ 11,000.00
#4 (Double lot south of Genier St.) * 4A	PCL 20446 SEC SST; LT 5 PL M305TIM CASEY; LT 6 PL M170TIM CASEY; CASEY; DISTRICT OF TIMISKAMING WEST LOT – called #8 as per CGIS	\$ 11,000.00
4B	EAST LOT – called #10 as per CGIS	\$ 11,000.00

*Note: The double lot can be sold as 2 separate lots

And:

Direct municipal staff to direct all those interested in purchasing one of the lots to Dan Goudreault, Realtor at Century 21. "CARRIED"

10. By-Laws

Being a by-law to provide for the adoption of tax rates and to further provide for penalty and interest in default of payment thereof for 2023

[three readings]

Moved: Bruno Trudel Seconded: Jessie Denommé
That By-Law No. 2023-08, being a by-law to provide for the adoption of tax rates and to further provide for penalty and interest in default of payment thereof for 2023, be received and read a first and second time.

"CARRIED"

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- Moved: Janet Little Seconded: Jessie Denommé
 That By-Law No. 2023-08, being a by-law to provide for the adoption of tax rates and to further provide for penalty and interest in default of payment thereof for 2023 be received and read a third time and hereby engrossed in the By-Law book.

 "CARRIED"
 - b. By-Law 2023-09 Being a by-law to repeal By-Law No. 2022-989 with respect to sewage service fees [three readings]
- Moved: Janet Little Seconded: Bruno Trudel
 That By-Law No. 2023-09, being a by-law to repeal By-Law No. 2022-989
 with respect to sewage service fees to be received and read a first and second time.
 "CARRIED"
- 2023-075 Moved: Bruno Trudel Seconded: Jessie Denommé
 That By-Law No. 2023-09, being a by-law to repeal By-Law No. 2022-989
 with respect to sewage service fees be read a third time and that the same engrossed in the by-law book.
 "CARRIED"
 - 11. Resolution to Move to Closed Session:
 - a. None
 - 12. Adjournment:
- 2023-076 **Moved:** Bruno Trudel Seconded: Janet Little
 That we, the Council of the Township of Casey do hereby, adjourn the
 Regular Meeting at 9:50 pm and will meet again on June 14th, 2023 or at the
 call of the Reeve.
 "CARRIED"

Guy Labonté, Reeve

Krystle Seymour, Clerk-Treasurer