

TOWNSHIP OF CASEY
MINUTES OF THE REGULAR MEETING OF COUNCIL
of JUNE 10TH, 2026
Held at the Casey Council Chambers

Present: **Reeve:** Guy Labonté
 Councillors: Jessie Dénommé, Janet Little, Bruno Trudel, Jacques Fortin
 Staff: Krystle Seymour, Clerk-Treasurer
 Rick Ellsmere, Road Superintendent
Regrets: None

1. Call Meeting to Order & Adoption of Agenda:

2026-104 **Moved:** **Jacques Fortin** **Seconded:** **Bruno Trudel**
 That we, the Council of the Township of Casey do hereby, open the Regular Meeting of Council of June 10th, 2026 at 7:00 p.m.
 “CARRIED”

2026-105 **Moved:** **Jessie Dénommé** **Seconded:** **Janet Little**
 That we, the Council of the Township of Casey do hereby, accept the agenda as presented.
 “CARRIED”

2. Adoption of Minutes:

- a. Minutes of the Regular Meeting of May 13th, 2026
- b. Minutes of the Closed Session Meeting of May 13th, 2026

2026-106 **Moved:** **Janet Little** **Seconded:** **Bruno Trudel**
 That we, the Council of the Township of Casey do hereby, adopt the following minutes:
 a. Minutes of the Regular Meeting of May 13th, 2026 as presented.
 b. Minutes of the Closed Session Meeting of May 13th, 2026 as presented.
 “CARRIED”

3. Disclosure of Pecuniary Interest:

None

4. Delegations/Presentation:

None

5. Payments of Accounts – Voucher No. 2026-05

2026-107 **Moved:** **Jessie Dénommé** **Seconded:** **Jacques Fortin**
 That we, the Council of the Township of Casey, do hereby, approve the payment of accounts as presented:

Roads	\$23,768.45
Fire	\$5,943.02
Sewer	\$1,779.08
Dump	\$294.43
Recreation	\$1,702.30
Drain	\$0.00
Admin	\$34,346.84
Total Voucher 2026-05	\$67,834.12
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6. Reports from Staff & Others:

- a. Roads Department Report:

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The Roads Superintendent reports that a temporary fix was done on a driveway culvert in the village. Grader has been repaired. The Superintendent spoke with a property owner on Maybrook Rd regarding the extension of his culvert and had no issues with the installation. Work is being done at the parks to be ready for the Firefighter's baseball tournament this coming weekend. The lawnmower is currently broken down. Calcium has been applied. Some of the supplies to do the temporary support for Britton Bridge have been received. The old pressure washer needed to be replaced, and piles left by the sweeper will be removed.

b. Fire Department Report:

The Fire Department reports that they had no calls in Casey but responded to a mutual aid call with Harley. MNR called for smoke that was seen. One windrow re-kindled. A Brethour resident was burning without a permit. Casey Fire Department will be hosting their annual baseball tournament this weekend.

c. Others:

i. Landfill Report – April 2026

ii. Treasurer's Report – May 2026

iii. Recreation Report

Plans continue for the "Bad Dad" event. Rosie's Garden will be doing some landscaping at the park.

iv. Reports from Council and Staff

2026-108 **Moved: Bruno Trudel Seconded: Jessie Dénommé**
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. Roads Department Report
b. Fire Department Report
c. Others:
 i. Landfill Report – April 2026
 ii. Treasurer's Report – May 2026
 iii. Recreation Report
 iv. Reports from Council and Staff
"CARRIED"

7. Correspondence for Council's Consideration:

a. The Town of Plympton-Wyoming – Grant Funding for Fire Services in Ontario

2026-109 **Moved: Janet Little Seconded: Bruno Trudel**
That we, the Council of the Township of Casey do hereby, support the Town of Plympton-Wyoming's resolution regarding support for sustainable provincial grant funding for fire services in Ontario; and

Direct municipal staff to issue a copy of this resolution to the Town of Plympton-Wyoming.

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b. Township of Stone Mills – Opposition to FIPPA Changes
No Action

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c. United Counties of Leeds & Grenville – Harmonization of Municipal Road Construction Standards

2026-110 **Moved: Jacques Fortin** **Seconded: Jessie Dénommé**
That we, the Council of the Township of Casey do hereby, support the United Counties of Leeds and Grenville's resolution regarding the Province's proposed harmonization of municipal road construction standards; and

Direct municipal staff to issue a copy of this resolution to the United Counties of Leeds and Grenville.

"CARRIED"

d. Township of Armour – Rest Stops and Service Areas Along Hwy 11 & 17

2026-111 **Moved: Janet Little** **Seconded: Bruno Trudel**
That we, the Council of the Township of Casey do hereby, support the Township of Armour's resolution regarding new and upgraded highway rest stops and traveller infrastructure along Highways 11 and 17 across Northern Ontario; and

Direct municipal staff to issue a copy of this resolution to the Township of Armour.

"CARRIED"

8. Correspondence for Council's Information:

None

9. Other Business:

a. Memo 26-009 – Rheault Bridge – Moose Creek Rd

2026-112 **Moved: Bruno Trudel** **Seconded: Jacques Fortin**
WHEREAS a structural assessment and engineering report dated November 2025 has identified that repairs to "Rheault Bridge" located on Moose Creek Rd should be completed in 1-5 years; and

WHEREAS the necessary repairs are estimated to cost over \$148,000.00; and

WHEREAS "Rheault Bridge" has been closed since January of 2026 by the Road Superintendent due to the harsh winter and to allow time to assess the bridge decking repairs; and

WHEREAS Council has considered the financial impacts to the municipality and the limited public benefit associated with maintaining the structure;

THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED THAT the Corporation of the Township of Casey directs staff to proceed with the process to permanently close "Rheault Bridge" on Moose Creek Road;

AND FURTHER THAT staff be directed to:

1. Undertake any required public notification and consultation in accordance with applicable legislation and municipal policy;

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2. Obtain any legal and planning advice to support the permanent closure;
3. Prepare a by-law to formally stop up, close, and, if applicable, dispose of the lands associated with the bridge; and
4. Report back to the Council with a timeline and any further requirements prior to final approval.

“CARRIED”

10. By-Laws:

None

11. Resolution to Move to Closed Session:

None

12. Adjournment:

2026-113 **Moved: Janet Little** **Seconded: Jessie Dénommé**
That we, the Council of the Township of Casey do hereby, adjourn the Regular Meeting at 7:55 p.m. and will meet again on July 8th, 2026 at 7:00 p.m. or at the call of the Reeve.
“CARRIED”



Guy Labonté, Reeve



Krystle Seymour, Clerk-Treasurer