

Procès-verbal / Minutes

# Tuesday April 9, 2024

At the regular meeting of the Council of the Municipality of Otter Lake, held on the above date at 7:00PM, at 15 Palmer Avenue (Municipal Office), and which were present the Mayor TERRY LAFLEUR, Councilors ROBIN ZACHARIAS, JENNIFER QUAILE, SERGE SABOURIN, DARREN KNOX, DANIEL LAMARCHE all forming quorum under the chairmanship of the Mayor.

ABSENT: Councilor PENNY DUBEAU (motivated)

The Director General ANDREA LAFLEUR is also present.

The Mayor welcomes those present, after establishing a quorum opens the session

## Declaration of any conflict of interest with the agenda.

### <u>27-04-2024</u>

IT WAS MOVED BY COUNCILOR AND UNANIMOUSLY RESOLVED

**ROBIN ZACHARIAS** 

Adoption of the agenda with the additions to « Varia »

- 1. Mayor M Terry Lafleur: YES
- 2. Seat #1 M Darren Knox:
- 3. Seat #2: Mme Jennifer Quaile :
- 4. Seat #3: M Daniel Lamarche: YES
- 5. Seat #4 Mme Penny Dubeau:
- 6. Seat #5: M Serge Sabourin :
- 7. Seat #6 M Robin Zacharias:

Director General Andrea Lafleur :

### 28-04-2024

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IT WAS MOVED BY COUNCILOR AND UNANIMOUSLY RESOLVED

SERGE SABOURIN

**THAT** the Minutes of the regular council meeting March 12th, 2024 be accepted as written.

Carried

### 29-04-2024

IT WAS MOVED BY COUNCILOR AND UNANIMOUSLY RESOLVED

JENNIFER QUAILE

**THAT** the Municipality of Otter Lake gives the Otter Lake RA Committee a contribution of \$2500.00 towards 2024 events as per the 2024 Budget.

Carried

#### 30-04-2024

IT WAS MOVED BY COUNCILOR AND UNANIMOUSLY RESOLVED

DANIEL LAMARCHE

**THAT** the Municipality of Otter Lake makes a donation of \$20,000.00 to the Pontiac North Firemen's Association for 2024 as per the 2024 Budget.

Carried

#### <u>31-04-2024</u>

### Major road improvements – MTQ announcement

**WHEREAS** the MTQ made an announcement in 2017 promising the asphalting of Highway 301 between Highway 366 and Stephens road;

**WHEREAS** the Municipality has received several complaints from citizens about the condition of this section of Highway 301;

WHEREAS the MTQ has delayed the work for many years now;

WHEREAS the MTQ reassured us in 2022 that the work would be completed in 2023;

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WHEREAS the MTQ removed the work from their 2023-2025 program at the last minute;

WHEREAS the MTQ has reinstated the work on their new program for 2024-2026;

**CONSEQUENTLY**, it is moved by ROBIN ZACHARIAS and resolved that the Municipality send a letter thanking the MTQ for the reinstatement of the 301 road work in their 2024-2026 program. A copy of our resolution will be forwarded to the MNA for Pontiac André Fortin, the Minister of Transport Genevieve Guilbault, MP responsible for Outaouais Mathieu Lacombe and DG of the Outaouais MTQ Francois Asselin.

Adopté

Varia	
Mayor M Terry Lafleur:	Lease Project on Ellen Lake
Seat #1 M Darren Knox:	
Seat #2 Mme Jennifer Quaile:	
Seat #3: M Daniel Lamarche:	Speed sign not working properly
Seat #4 Mme Penny Dubeau:	
Seat #5 M Serge Sabourin:	
Seat #6 M Robin Zacharias:	

### Information for Council Members

Building Inspector report
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- Mayor's report  $\checkmark$
- ☑ Firechief's report
- ☑ Road Foreman's Report
- ☑ Leslie Park report
- ☑ Waste Management Committee☑ Invasive Species Committee

### **Correspondence**

- 1. Tim Ferrigan Inspections Garbage tonnage
- 2. Kari Richardson
- 3. MAMH
- 4. MRC Pontiac
- 5. Susan Desabrias
- 6. Shawn Myrick
- 7. Thierry Raimbault
- 8. Marilyn Amyotte
- 9. Tammy Narlock
- 10. Genevieve Carrier
- Month of the tree Emergency exit

EFW

Funding

EFW meetings

Stephens road

Zoning change

**Defibrillator Leslie Park** 

Departure from MRC

11. Shawn Myrick

### 32-04-2024

IT WAS MOVED BY COUNCILOR AND UNANIMOUSLY RESOLVED DARREN KNOX

That the accounts be paid

Carried

### **CERTIFICATES OF FUNDS AVAILABLE FOR ACCOUNTS:**

I, Andrea Lafleur, Director General, hereby certify that there are funds available for the purposes for which expenditures to total \$246,165.21 have been proposed.

Signed in Otter Lake, Quebec This 9th day of April 2024.

Andrea Lafleur, Director General

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Total:	427,969.07 \$
Elected and Employees Salary:	55,386.35 \$
Prepaid Invoices:	126,417.51 \$
Accounts payables :	246,165.21 \$

## **QUESTION PERIOD**

### 33-04-2024

IT WAS MOVED BY COUNCILOR AND UNANIMOUSLY RESOLVED

SERGE SABOURIN

**THAT** the meeting be adjourned at 7:27PM.

Carried

TERRY LAFLEUR, Mayor

ANDREA LAFLEUR, Director General