#5 (6)



Minutes of a Special Meeting of Council held on Friday, September 1st, 2023 at 5:00 p.m. in the Council Chamber via phone.

1. Opening of Meeting and call to order:

Deputy Mayor Truchon called the meeting to order at 5:00 p.m. and welcomed those in attendance.

2. Roll Call: The Mayor took a roll call

Attendance:	Present	Absent
Mayor Stephen McLean		\square
Councillor Bonita Culhane	\checkmark	
Councillor Francine Plante	\checkmark	
Councillor Jean (John) Truchon	\checkmark	
Councillor Wendy Weller		

Clerk-Treasurer - Karine Pelletier

Mayor Stephen McLean was not in attendance due to his resignation.

Members of the audience present: 0

Moved by Francine Plante Seconded by Bonita Culhane 220/2023

Waive Notice Period

THAT Council waive the notice period and agree to meet for the purpose of the resignation of Mayor Stephen McLean / Head of Council.

Carried

3. Adoption of the Agenda and Addendum.

Moved by Bonita Culhane Seconded by Wendy Weller

221/2023

Adoption of Agenda

THAT the agenda for the Special Meeting of Council of September 1, 2023 be adopted.

Carried

- 4. Disclosure of Pecuniary of Interest: None
- 5. Deputations, Delegations, and Petitions: None

6. Correspondence, Information: None

7. New Business: None

8. Passing of By-Laws: None

9. Closed Meeting:

Moved by Bonita Culhane Seconded by Francine Plante 222/2023 Closed Meeting

THAT Council goes into closed session at 5:03 p.m. under the Municipal Act 2001. C25; s 239, Section (2) (b) personal matters about an identifiable individual, including municipal or local board employees (f) advice that is subject to solicitor-client privilege, including communications necessary for that purpose.

Carried

Council met to discuss and accept the resignation of Mayor McLean. It was decided to appoint a new Mayor and a new Councillor by Council appointment.

Moved by Francine Plante Seconded by Bonita Culhane 223/2023 Out of Closed

THAT Council come out of closed session at 7:36 p.m.

Carried

Moved by Bonita Culhane Seconded by Francine Plante 224/2023

Resignation of Mayor McLean

THAT Council accepts the resignation of Mayor Stephen McLean (Head of Council) effective immediately.

Carried

Moved by Francine Plante Seconded by Bonita Culhane 225/2023

Vacant Seat of Mayor

THAT Council declare the seat of Head of Council – Mayor vacant immediately.

Carried

Moved by Francine Plante Seconded by Wendy Weller

226/2023

Fill Vacant Seat of Mayor

THAT Council direct the Clerk to fill the vacant seat of Head of Council /Mayor by appointment by Council.

Carried

Moved by Francine Plante Seconded by Wendy Weller 227/2023

Appoint Vacant Seat of Mayor

THAT Council hereby appoint Councillor Bonita Culhane to fill the vacant seat of Head of Council / Mayor effective immediately.

Recorded Vote Requested by Councillor Plante

Reco	Recorded vote Requested by Councillor Plante		
Councillor Bonita Culhane Councillor Francine Plante Councillor Jean (John) Truchon	YES	NO	
Councillor Wendy Weller	·		
	Carried		
Moved by Wendy Weller Seconded by Francine Plante		228/2023 Vacant Seat of Council	
THAT Council hereby declares the counc	il seat of Councillor Co	ulhane vacant immediately.	
	Carried		
Moved by Francine Plante Seconded by Wendy Weller		229/2023 Fill Vacant Seat of Council	
THAT Council direct the Clerk to fill the Council.	vacant seat of Council	lor Culhane by appointment by	
	Carried		
Moved by Wendy Weller Seconded by Francine Plante		230/2023 Appoint Vacant Seat of Council	
THAT Council hereby appoints Louanne immediately.	Caza to fill the vacant	seat of Council effective	
Reco	rded Vote Requested	by Councillor Weller	
	YES	NO	
Councillor Bonita Culhane Councillor Francine Plante	g— √ _		
Councillor Jean (John) Truchon Councillor Wendy Weller			

Carried

10. Confirmation By-Law:

Moved by Fracine Plante Seconded by Wendy Weller 231/2023 By-Law 2023-41

THAT a By-Law to confirm the proceedings of Council be read three times and passed this 1st day of September 2023 and numbered By-Law 2023-41.

Carried

11. Adjournment:

Moved by Wendy Weller Seconded by Bonita Culhane

232/2023 Adjournment

THAT this meeting be adjourned at 7:44 p.m.

Carried

CLERK-TREASURER