

Minutes of a Meeting of the Council of the Regional Municipality of Wood Buffalo held in the Council Chamber at the Syncrude Athletic Park Clubhouse in Fort McMurray, Alberta, on Tuesday, March 24, 2020, commencing at 4:00 PM.

Present:

Don Scott, Mayor
Mike Allen, Councillor (via teleconference)
Krista Balsom, Councillor
Bruce Inglis, Councillor (via teleconference)
Sheila Lalonde, Councillor (via teleconference)
Keith McGrath, Councillor (via teleconference)
Phil Meagher, Councillor (via teleconference)
Verna Murphy, Councillor (via teleconference)
Jeff Peddle, Councillor (via teleconference)
Jane Stroud, Councillor (via teleconference)
Claris Voyageur, Councillor (via teleconference)

Administration:

Jamie Doyle, Interim Chief Administrative Officer
Matthew Hough, Interim Deputy Chief Administrative Officer
Jade Brown, Chief Legislative Officer
Matthew Harrison, Acting Director, Communications, Stakeholder, Indigenous and Rural Relations (via teleconference)
Deanne Bergey, Director, Community Services (via teleconference)
Chris Davis, Acting Director, Legal Services
Brad McMurdo, Director, Planning and Development (via teleconference)
Linda Ollivier, Director, Financial Services (via teleconference)
Darlene Soucy, Legislative Officer

1. Call to Order (at 3:00 p.m.)

Mayor D. Scott called the meeting to order at 3:04 p.m.

2. In-Camera Session

MOTION:

That Council close agenda items 2.1 and 2.2 to the public pursuant to sections 24(1) and 27(1) of the *Freedom of Information and Protection of Privacy Act*.

RESULT:	CARRIED [UNANIMOUS]
MOVER:	Mike Allen, Councillor
SECONDER:	Krista Balsom, Councillor
FOR:	Scott, Allen, Balsom, Inglis, Lalonde, McGrath, Meagher, Murphy, Peddle, Stroud, Voyageur

2.1 Advice from Officials / Privileged Information – Legal Matter

(in camera pursuant to sections 24(1) and 27(1) of the *Freedom of Information and Protection of Privacy Act*)

Name	Reason for Attending
Jamie Doyle	Interim Chief Administrative Officer
Matthew Hough	Interim Deputy Chief Administrative Officer
Jade Brown	Legislative Advice/Clerk
Matthew Harrison (via teleconference)	Acting Director, Communications, Stakeholder, Indigenous and Rural Relations
Chris Davis	Acting Director, Legal Services
Brad McMurdo (via teleconference)	Director, Planning and Development
Michael Ircandia (via teleconference)	Manager, Land Administration

2.2 Advice from Officials – Information Briefing

(in camera pursuant to section 24(1) of the *Freedom of Information and Protection of Privacy Act*)

Name	Reason for Attending
Jamie Doyle	Interim Chief Administrative Officer
Matthew Hough	Interim Deputy Chief Administrative Officer
Jade Brown	Legislative Advice/Clerk
Matthew Harrison (via teleconference)	Acting Director, Communications, Stakeholder, Indigenous and Rural Relations

Recess

A recess occurred between 3:55 p.m. and 4:29 p.m., at which time the meeting was reconvened in public in the Council Chamber.

MOTION:

THAT the meeting reconvene in public.

RESULT:	CARRIED [UNANIMOUS]
MOVER:	Krista Balsom, Councillor
SECONDER:	Bruce Inglis, Councillor
FOR:	Scott, Allen, Balsom, Inglis, Lalonde, McGrath, Meagher, Murphy, Peddle, Stroud, Voyageur

3. Adoption of Agenda

Notices of Motion

Councillor J. Stroud served notice of her intent to bring forward the following motion for Council's consideration at the next Council meeting, whether it be a Special meeting called pursuant to section 194 of the *Municipal Government Act* or the next regularly scheduled Council meeting, being April 14, 2020:

THAT Administration be directed to explore tax incentives to support new and existing businesses in the Rural Service Area and report back to Council by May 30, 2020

Mayor D. Scott served notice of his intent to bring forward the following motion, and requested that his colleagues waive their notice relative to the proposed motion so that debate and voting can occur on the motion at this meeting, following Item No. 5.1, Scott Davis, Director of Emergency Management, re: COVID-19 Public Briefing:

THAT Council advise and direct the Deputy of Emergency Management (DEM) and the Interim Chief Administrative Officer (Interim CAO):

1. THAT we immediately develop a shelter in place guideline limiting residents to staying in their homes unless accessing essential services; That we direct residents to shelter in place until further notice; That Administration communicate what shelter in place entails as determined by the Interim CAO and DEM;
2. THAT only essential services should remain open in the region as determined by the Interim CAO and DEM with the exception of any service that can be provided through electronic means;
3. THAT Administration work with industry to ensure only essential employees are residing in camps and that all camps are strictly adhering to AHS guidelines;
4. THAT we task Administration with continuing obtaining critical supplies including protective equipment including N95 masks for the anticipated duration of the emergency;
5. THAT we ask AHS to immediately publicly disclose the number of COVID positive cases in Wood Buffalo and how many are individuals who resided in work camps;
6. THAT we direct all essential businesses that remain open that they must comply with AHS guidelines;
7. THAT we aggressively communicate the Vulnerable Person Registry in the region and ensure it is updated to ensure those requiring assistance receive it;

8. THAT we use all possible enforcement powers available to protect the community when appropriate and impose such sanctions as are within our jurisdiction for non-compliance;
9. THAT we set up regular calls with our rural and indigenous communities to determine what is needed on a go forward basis to address the Pandemic;
10. THAT we encourage the residents of Wood Buffalo to stay connected through technology and identify individuals who are alone, in distress or may need assistance;
11. THAT Administration come forward with a recommendation specific to deferring residential property taxes;
12. THAT we encourage the provincial government to look at measures that will assist both commercial renters and residential renters;
13. THAT residential utility bills for residents be deferred until the emergency ends;
14. THAT we request the federal and provincial governments to set up an aggressive and robust program to support businesses;
15. THAT we communicate that anyone visiting the urban service area, or a rural community must self-isolate for 14 days, whether they arrive by road or air;
16. THAT we reduce transit services and waive fees for transit until further notice with such exceptions as the Interim CAO and DEM determine necessary; and
17. THAT the Interim Chief Administrative Officer and the Director of Emergency Management address those matters raised by the leadership of the indigenous and rural communities to address the pandemic in an expeditious manner;

Mayor D. Scott served notice of his intent to bring forward the following motion, and requested that his colleagues waive their notice relative to the proposed motion so that debate and voting can occur on the motion at this meeting, following Item No. 5.2 Kevin Weidlich, Wood Buffalo Economic Development Corporation re: Economic Recovery Response to COVID-19:

THAT Council adopt the following initiatives:

1. THAT the Regional Municipality of Wood Buffalo (RMWB) Administration investigate and prepare recommendations to Council on a targeted commercial property tax deferral program designed to support businesses in the RMWB during the post-emergency recovery;

2. THAT the RMWB supplement its existing capital construction program, including making all applications for Federal or Provincial "shovel ready" or other funding supports, following the lifting of the last of any provincial or local emergency orders (and compliant with continuing public health restrictions), with projects that, to the greatest extent possible, both comply with existing trade agreements and maximize local employment opportunities; and
3. THAT Council:
 - (a) direct Wood Buffalo Economic Development Corporation (WBEDC) to establish a "Post-Emergency Financial Recovery" (PEFR) task force to develop programming and specific business supports that can be implemented immediately following the lifting of the last of any provincial or local emergency orders; and
 - (b) further direct that the task force report back to Council by the end of the second (2nd) quarter with a preliminary report, including a budget recommendation sufficient to support this initiative.

MOTION:

THAT the Agenda be amended by adding the following:

- Item #5.4 - Karim Zariffa, OSCA, re: Industry Update on COVID-19
- item #6.6 - Enforcement Suspension - Single Use Shopping Bag Bylaw No. 12/007;

THAT Council waive any requirement to serve notice relative to the proposed additions; and

THAT the agenda be adopted as amended.

RESULT: CARRIED [UNANIMOUS]
MOVER: Mike Allen, Councillor
SECONDER: Sheila Lalonde, Councillor
FOR: Scott, Allen, Balsom, Inglis, Lalonde, McGrath, Meagher, Murphy, Peddle, Stroud, Voyageur

4. Consent Agenda

THAT the recommendations contained in items 4.1, 4.2, 4.3 and 4.4 be approved.

4.1. Council Meeting – March 10, 2020

THAT the Minutes of the Council Meeting held on March 10, 2020 be approved as presented.

4.2. Special In-Camera Council Meeting (No. 1) - March 13, 2020

THAT the Minutes of the Special In-Camera Council Meeting (No. 1) held on March 13, 2020 be approved as presented.

4.3. Special In-Camera Council Meeting (No.2) - March 13, 2020

THAT the Minutes of the Special In-Camera Council Meeting (No. 2) held on March 13, 2020 be approved as presented.

4.4. Special In-Camera Council Meeting - March 18, 2020

THAT the Minutes of the Special In-Camera Council Meeting held on March 18, 2020 be approved as presented.

RESULT:	CARRIED [UNANIMOUS]
MOVER:	Keith McGrath, Councillor
SECONDER:	Phil Meagher, Councillor
FOR:	Scott, Allen, Balsom, Inglis, Lalonde, McGrath, Meagher, Murphy, Peddle, Stroud, Voyageur

5. Presentations**5.1. Scott Davis, Director of Emergency Management, re: COVID-19 Public Briefing (Verbal)**

Scott Davis, Director of Emergency Management, provided a briefing on the Regional Municipality of Wood Buffalo's preparedness and response to the COVID-19 Pandemic, including the recent declaration of a State of Local Emergency, noting that by declaring this State of Local Emergency allows the Municipality to access additional resources and special powers under the *Emergency Management Act*, including the following:

- Control or prohibit travel to or from any area of the Municipality
- Procure or fix prices for food, medical supplies, equipment or other essential supplies
- Allows use of any property, services, resources or equipment within the Municipality for the duration of the state of emergency
- Authorize or require any qualified person to provide aid
- Ability to issue a mandatory evacuation notice

Vacating the Chair

Mayor D. Scott vacated the Chair at 5:14 p.m., at which time Deputy Mayor K. Balsom assumed the Chair.

Mayor D. Scott presented his motion and requested that Council waive notice so that debate and voting can occur on the motion at this meeting.

Recess

A recess occurred from 5:21 p.m. to 5:35 p.m.

Exits and Returns

Councillor B. Inglis disconnected from the meeting at 5:38 p.m. and reconnected at 5:39 p.m.

Councillor K McGrath disconnected from the meeting at 5:45 p.m. and reconnected at 5:47 p.m.

MOTION:

THAT Council waive any requirement to serve notice relative to the proposed motion regarding the COVID-19 Pandemic.

RESULT:	DEFEATED [5 TO 6]
MOVER:	Don Scott, Mayor
SECONDER:	Jane Stroud, Councillor
FOR:	Scott, Allen, Balsom, McGrath, Stroud
AGAINST:	Inglis, Lalonde, Meagher, Murphy, Peddle, Voyageur

Point of Order

Councillor P. Meagher called a Point of Order as the date for the motion to be brought back is not debatable. The Procedure Bylaw indicates the motion will automatically be brought back at the next scheduled Council Meeting. The Point of Order was upheld by Deputy Mayor K. Balsom.

Exit and Return

Councillor K. McGrath disconnected from the meeting at 5:51 p.m. and reconnected at 5:53 p.m.

Resuming of Chair

Mayor D. Scott resumed the chair at 5:53 p.m.

5.2. Kevin Weidlich, Wood Buffalo Economic Development Corporation, re: Economic Recovery Response to COVID-19 (Verbal)

Kevin Weidlich, Chief Executive Officer, Wood Buffalo Economic Development Corporation, provided an overview of a post-emergency economic recovery response proposal, which includes investigation of a targeted commercial property tax deferral program, consideration of revising the Municipality's capital construction program to maximize local employment opportunities, and implementation of a task force to investigate the development of programs and specific business supports.

Vacating the Chair

Mayor D. Scott vacated the Chair at 6:30 p.m. at which time Deputy Mayor K. Balsom assumed the Chair.

Mayor D. Scott presented his motion and requested that Council vote in favour of waiving notice so that it could be debated and voted on at this meeting.

MOTION:

THAT Council waive any requirement to serve notice relative to the proposed motion regarding the Economic Recovery Response to COVID-19 Pandemic.

RESULT:	CARRIED [8 TO 3]
MOVER:	Don Scott, Mayor
SECONDER:	Jeff Peddle, Councillor
FOR:	Scott, Allen, Balsom, Inglis, McGrath, Meagher, Peddle, Stroud
AGAINST:	Lalonde, Murphy, Voyageur

Councillor S. Lalonde requested that the motion be severed so that each point could be voting on separately.

Exit and Return

Councillor V. Murphy disconnected from the meeting at 6:54 p.m. and reconnected at 6:55 p.m.

MOTION:

THAT the Regional Municipality of Wood Buffalo (RMWB) Administration investigate and prepare recommendations to Council on a targeted commercial property tax deferral program designed to support businesses in the RMWB during the post-emergency recovery.

RESULT:	CARRIED [UNANIMOUS]
MOVER:	Don Scott, Mayor
SECONDER:	Jeff Peddle, Councillor
FOR:	Scott, Allen, Balsom, Inglis, Lalonde, McGrath, Meagher, Murphy, Peddle, Stroud, Voyageur

THAT the Regional Municipality of Wood Buffalo supplement its existing capital construction program, including making all applications for Federal or Provincial "shovel ready" or other funding supports, following the lifting of the last of any provincial or local emergency orders (and compliant with continuing public health restrictions), with projects that, to the greatest extent possible, both comply with existing trade agreements and maximize local employment opportunities.

Councillor S. Lalonde requested a friendly amendment to replace “supplement” with “revise”, which was accepted by Mayor D. Scott.

The amended motion was then voted on.

MOTION:

THAT the Regional Municipality of Wood Buffalo revise its existing capital construction program, including making all applications for Federal or Provincial "shovel ready" or other funding supports, following the lifting of the last of any provincial or local emergency orders (and compliant with continuing public health restrictions), with projects that, to the greatest extent possible, both comply with existing trade agreements and maximize local employment opportunities.

RESULT:	CARRIED [UNANIMOUS]
MOVER:	Don Scott, Mayor
SECONDER:	Jeff Peddle, Councillor
FOR:	Scott, Allen, Balsom, Inglis, Lalonde, McGrath, Meagher, Murphy, Peddle, Stroud, Voyageur

THAT Council:

- (a) direct Wood Buffalo Economic Development Corporation (WBEDC) to establish a "Post-Emergency Financial Recovery" (PEFR) task force to develop programming and specific business supports that can be implemented immediately following the lifting of the last of any provincial or local emergency orders; and
- (b) further direct that the task force report back to Council by the end of the second (2nd) quarter with a preliminary report, including a budget recommendation sufficient to support this initiative.

Councillor S. Lalonde requested the motion be severed so that voting could occur on point (a) and (b) separately.

MOTION:

THAT Council direct Wood Buffalo Economic Development Corporation (WBEDC) to establish a "Post-Emergency Financial Recovery" (PEFR) task force to develop programming and specific business supports that can be implemented immediately following the lifting of the last of any provincial or local emergency orders.

RESULT:	CARRIED [UNANIMOUS]
MOVER:	Don Scott, Mayor
SECONDER:	Jeff Peddle, Councillor
FOR:	Scott, Allen, Balsom, Inglis, Lalonde, McGrath, Meagher, Murphy, Peddle, Stroud, Voyageur

Councillor P. Meagher requested a friendly amendment to the final part of the severed motion to replace “by the end of the second (2nd) quarter” with “report back as soon as practical”, which was accepted by Mayor D. Scott.

The amended motion was then voted on.

MOTION:

THAT the task force report back to Council as soon as practical with a preliminary report, including a budget recommendation sufficient to support this initiative.

RESULT:	CARRIED [8 TO 3]
MOVER:	Don Scott, Mayor
SECONDER:	Jeff Peddle, Councillor
FOR:	Scott, Allen, Balsom, Inglis, McGrath, Meagher, Peddle, Stroud
AGAINST:	Lalonde, Murphy, Voyageur

Resuming of Chair

Mayor D. Scott resumed the chair at 7:06 p.m.

5.3. Deanne Bergey, Director, Community Services, re: Social Profit Sector Update (Verbal)

Deanne Bergey, Director, Community Services, provided an update on the status of the Social Profit Sector during the COVID-19 Public Health Emergency, noting that additional support programs for this Sector are expected to be implemented by the Government of Alberta in the coming weeks.

Exits and Returns

Mayor D. Scott exited the meeting at 7:06 p.m. and returned at 7:09 p.m.

Councillor K. Balsom exited the meeting at 7:11 p.m. and returned at 7:15 p.m.

Councillor P. Meagher disconnected from the meeting at 7:14 p.m. and reconnected at 7:15 p.m.

5.4. Karim Zariffa, Oils Sands Community Alliance (OSCA), re Industry Update on COVID-19

Karim Zariffa, Executive Director, OSCA, provided an update on the oil sands industry's measures to limit potential COVID-19 exposure at work sites, project accommodations and in their transportation networks, noting that OSCA members continue to regularly consult with Alberta Health Services and work with the Regional Municipality of Wood Buffalo's mutual aid group to ensure their collective emergency response efforts are coordinated to protect residents and workers.

Exits and Returns

Mayor D. Scott exited the meeting at 7:25 p.m. and returned at 7:26 p.m.

Councillor K. McGrath disconnected from the meeting at 7:30 p.m. and reconnected at 7:32 p.m.

6. New Business

6.1. Consideration of Municipal Utilities

Linda Ollivier, Director, Financial Services, provided a summary of the proposed deferral of payments and penalties for municipal utility charges, rates, and fees, intended to assist residents and businesses in the Municipality with current cash flow needs during the COVID-19 pandemic.

Exit

Councillor J. Peddle disconnected from the meeting at 7:46 p.m.

Recess and Return

The meeting recessed from 7:47 p.m. to 7:48 p.m. at which time Councillor J. Peddle reconnected to the meeting.

MOTION:

THAT payments for the charges, rates, and fees for the distribution, collection and treatment of solid waste, water and sanitary sewage as outlined in the Fees, Rates and Charges Bylaw 19-010 be deferred until July 2020; and

THAT penalties on outstanding amounts owing not be applied from March to August 2020.

RESULT:	CARRIED [UNANIMOUS]
MOVER:	Phil Meagher, Councillor
SECONDER:	Verna Murphy, Councillor
FOR:	Scott, Allen, Balsom, Inglis, Lalonde, McGrath, Meagher, Murphy, Peddle, Stroud, Voyageur

6.2. 2020-2021 Community Plan on Homelessness Grant Allocation

Deanne Bergey, Director, Community Services, provided an overview of the proposed 2020-2021 Community Plan on Homelessness Grant allocation, which would support homelessness initiatives in the Region.

Exit and Return

Councillor J. Peddle disconnected from the meeting at 7:58 pm. and reconnected at 7:59 p.m.

MOTION:

THAT \$3,901,653 be allocated to the 2020-2021 Community Plan on Homelessness programs as follows:

	Organization	Program	Recommendation
1.	Centre of Hope Non-Profit Society of Fort McMurray	Housing First	\$ 816,354
2.	Centre of Hope Non-Profit Society of Fort McMurray	Permanent Supportive Housing	\$ 844,459
3.	Centre of Hope Non-Profit Society of Fort McMurray	Eviction Prevention Program	\$ 64,163
4.	The Governing Council of the Salvation Army in Canada	Housing First	\$ 567,423
5.	Wood Buffalo Wellness Society	Centralized Intake Services	\$ 295,798
6.	Wood Buffalo Wellness Society	Outreach Program	\$ 139,110
7.	Wood Buffalo Wellness Society	Rapid Re-Housing Program	\$ 466,626
8.	YMCA of Northern Alberta	Housing First	\$ 707,720
TOTAL			\$ 3,901,653

RESULT:	CARRIED [UNANIMOUS]
MOVER:	Verna Murphy, Councillor
SECONDER:	Jeff Peddle, Councillor
FOR:	Scott, Allen, Balsom, Inglis, Lalonde, McGrath, Meagher, Murphy, Peddle, Stroud, Voyageur

6.3. Downtown Revitalization Incentives Pilot Project (2020)

Brad McMurdo, Director, and Amanda Haitas, Senior Manager, Planning and Development, presented an overview of the proposed Downtown Revitalization Incentives Pilot Project, which would be offered to non-residential property owners and businesses with a defined pilot area in the form of 50% matching grants within four incentive programs to encourage: facade upgrades; building interior renovations; patios; and beautification.

Councillor J. Peddle moved and Councillor J. Stroud seconded the following motion:

THAT Administration be directed to bring forward a Council Policy that outlines the Downtown Revitalization Incentive Pilot Project by April 30, 2020; and

THAT Administration be directed to bring forward a bylaw that sets out Property Tax Exemptions for New Non-Residential Development in the Downtown by May 31, 2020.

Exit and Return

Councillor K. Balsom exited the meeting at 8:14 p.m. and returned at 8:17 p.m.

MOTION:

THAT item 6.3, the Downtown Revitalization Incentives Pilot Project, be deferred to the end of the third (3rd) Quarter 2020.

RESULT:	DEFEATED [4 TO 7]
MOVER:	Sheila Lalonde, Councillor
SECONDER:	Verna Murphy, Councillor
FOR:	Lalonde, Meagher, Murphy, Voyageur
AGAINST:	Scott, Allen, Balsom, Inglis, McGrath, Peddle

Mayor D. Scott proposed a friendly amendment to replace the dates in the motion to “as soon as practically possible”, which was accepted by Councillor J. Peddle.

The amended motion was then voted on.

MOTION:

THAT Administration be directed to bring forward a Council Policy that outlines the Downtown Revitalization Incentive Pilot Project as soon as practically possible; and

THAT Administration be directed to bring forward a bylaw that sets out Property Tax Exemptions for New Non-Residential Development in the Downtown as soon as practically possible.

RESULT:	CARRIED [7 TO 4]
MOVER:	Jeff Peddle, Councillor
SECONDER:	Jane Stroud, Councillor
FOR:	Scott, Allen, Balsom, Inglis, McGrath, Peddle, Stroud
AGAINST:	Lalonde, Meagher, Murphy, Voyageur

6.4. Intermunicipal Collaboration Framework (ICF) with Lac La Biche County

Brad McMurdo, Director, Planning and Development, and Christopher Booth, Manager, Community Planning, provided an overview of the proposed Intermunicipal Collaboration Framework with Lac La Biche County.

MOTION:

THAT the Intermunicipal Collaboration Framework between the Regional Municipality of Wood Buffalo and Lac La Biche County, as outlined in Attachment 1, be approved; and

THAT Administration be directed to notify the Minister of Municipal Affairs before April 1, 2020, that the Intermunicipal Collaboration Framework with Lac La Biche County has been completed in accordance with the *Municipal Government Act*, Section 708.33 (4).

RESULT:	CARRIED [UNANIMOUS]
MOVER:	Jane Stroud, Councillor
SECONDER:	Claris Voyageur, Councillor
FOR:	Scott, Allen, Balsom, Inglis, Lalonde, McGrath, Meagher, Murphy, Peddle, Stroud, Voyageur

6.5. Bylaw No. 20/008 - Procedure Bylaw Amendment - Electronic Participation in Meetings

Jade Brown, Chief Legislative Officer, provided an overview of the proposed amendment to the Procedure Bylaw, noting that providing a means for Council members and the public to participate, watch or listen to Council meetings through electronic means such as telephone, internet enabled audio or video conferencing or other technology, has become necessary in light of COVID-19 pandemic health and safety measures such as social distancing.

MOTION:

THAT Bylaw No. 20/008, being a bylaw to amend Procedure Bylaw No. 18/020, be read a first time.

RESULT: CARRIED [UNANIMOUS]
MOVER: Claris Voyageur, Councillor
SECONDER: Mike Allen, Councillor
FOR: Scott, Allen, Balsom, Inglis, Lalonde, McGrath, Meagher, Murphy, Peddle, Stroud, Voyageur

MOTION:

THAT Bylaw No. 20/008 be read a second time.

RESULT: CARRIED [UNANIMOUS]
MOVER: Mike Allen, Councillor
SECONDER: Krista Balsom, Councillor
FOR: Scott, Allen, Balsom, Inglis, Lalonde, McGrath, Meagher, Murphy, Peddle, Stroud, Voyageur

Exit and Return

Councillor V. Murphy disconnected from the meeting at 8:46 pm and reconnected at 8:48 p.m.

MOTION:

THAT Bylaw No. 20/008 be considered for third reading.

RESULT: CARRIED [UNANIMOUS]
MOVER: Krista Balsom, Councillor
SECONDER: Bruce Inglis, Councillor
FOR: Scott, Allen, Balsom, Inglis, Lalonde, McGrath, Meagher, Murphy, Peddle, Stroud, Voyageur

Exit and Return

Councillor J. Peddle disconnected from the meeting at 8:49 pm. and reconnected at 8:51 pm.

MOTION:

THAT Bylaw No. 20/008 be read a third and final time.

RESULT: CARRIED [UNANIMOUS]
MOVER: Bruce Inglis, Councillor
SECONDER: Sheila Lalonde, Councillor
FOR: Scott, Allen, Balsom, Inglis, Lalonde, McGrath, Meagher, Murphy, Peddle, Stroud, Voyageur

6.6. Enforcement Suspension - Single Use Shopping Bag Bylaw No. 12/007

Councillor M. Allen provided an overview of his motion.

MOTION:

THAT Administration suspend enforcement of the Single Use Shopping Bag Bylaw, Bylaw No. 12/007, for the duration of the current public health emergency and pandemic related to COVID-19; and

THAT once this emergency has passed, the reinstatement of enforcement of this bylaw be brought back to Council for consideration.

RESULT:	CARRIED [UNANIMOUS]
MOVER:	Mike Allen, Councillor
SECONDER:	Keith McGrath, Councillor
FOR:	Scott, Allen, Balsom, Inglis, Lalonde, McGrath, Meagher, Murphy, Peddle, Stroud, Voyageur

Adjournment

The meeting adjourned at 9:07 p.m.

Mayor

Chief Legislative Officer