# ANTIGONISH

## **Municipal Council Meeting- Minutes**

Tuesday, June 1, 2021 8:00 pm

Councillors Present:

Warden Owen McCarron

Deputy Warden Hugh Stewart

Councillor Mary MacLellan

Councillor Donnie MacDonald

Councillor Remi Deveau

Councillor John Dunbar

Councillor Gary Mattie

Councillor Bill MacFarlane

Councillor Harris McNamara

Councillor Shawn Brophy

Staff Present:

Glenn Horne, CAO

Beth Schumacher, Deputy Clerk

Tammy Feltmate, Director of Sustainable

Communities

Allison Duggan, Director of Finance

Marlene Melanson, Director of Recreation

Media Present:

Corev LeBlanc

Drake Lowthers, The Reporter

Greg Morrow, 101.5 The Hawk

Matt Draper, 98.9 XFM

# Call to Order- Chairman, Warden Owen McCarron

Warden McCarron called the meeting to order at 8:00 pm.

A moment of silence was held in memory of the children whose graves were found last week at the residential school in Kamloops.

## **Approval of Agenda**

Warden McCarron called for any additions or deletions to the agenda.

Min # 2021-065

Moved and Seconded

That the agenda be approved as presented.

**Motion Carried** 



#### Motions

Budget Resolution and the Striking of the Tax Rate

Mr. Horne reviewed the Resolution to Adopt the Budget and Strike the Tax Rate.

Min # 2021-066

Moved and Seconded

That Municipal Council adopt the budget and strike the tax rate as per the resolution presented and attached.

**Motion Carried** 

**Borrowing Resolution** 

Min # 2021-067

Moved and Seconded

That Municipal Council approve the borrowing resolution as presented and attached.

**Motion Carried** 

Mr. Horne thanked Council on behalf of staff for their support and diligence in their review and approval of the budget. Mr. Horne also acknowledged the work done by staff, senior staff, and the Director of Finance for all of their work on the budget, particularly during the second lockdown that has been in effect for the last four weeks. Warden McCarron also thanked staff for all of their work in preparing the budget, with this being the second budget done and passed during Covid restrictions.

#### Miscellaneous Business

Councillor Mattie noted that National AccessAbility Week is taking place from May 30th to June 5th, and asked that it be recognized.

## **Adjournment**

Min # 2021-068

Moved

That the Council meeting adjourns at 8:09pm.

**Motion Carried** 

Warden Owen McCarron

Glenn Horne, CAO