

CORPORATION OF THE TOWNSHIP OF PRINCE REGULAR MEETING Minutes April 13, 2021 Zoom

Present: Council: K. Lamming, D. Amadio, I. Chambers, M. Matthews, E. Palumbo

Staff: P. Greco, K. Wreggitt, S. Hemsworth, J. Boissineau

Public: J. Greco, M. Mick, Danielle

Media: M. LaHaye

1. Call to Order - 6:55 p.m. (due to technical issues)

2. Approve Agenda Resolution 2021-74

Moved by: I. Chambers

Seconded by: E. Palumbo

Be it resolved that this council hereby approves the open and closed agendas of April 13, 2021 and any addendum, as presented. (cd)

3. Disclosure of interest

4. Minutes of Previous meeting

a) Minutes from March 9, 2021

Resolution 2021-75

Moved by: Councillor E. Palumbo

Seconded by: Councillor M. Matthews

Be it resolved that this Council hereby adopts the minutes of the open and closed meetings of March 9, 2021, as presented. (cd)

- 5. Questions and information arising out of the minutes.
- 6. Petition and delegations
- 7. Staff Reports
 - a) i. Fire Chief report
 - ii. Fire Safety Grant

Resolution 2021-76

Moved by: Councillor D. Amadio

Seconded by: Councillor I. Chambers

Be it resolved that this Council hereby accepts the Fire Chief's reports, i. through ii, as information. (cd)

- b) Road Report (None)
- c) Clerk's Revenue and Expenditure Reports for March 2021

Resolution 2021-77

Moved by: Councillor M. Matthews

Seconded by: Councillor E. Palumbo

Be it resolved that this Council hereby accepts the Clerk's March 2021 revenue report in the amount of \$132,050.45 and the March 2021 expenditure report in the amount of \$306,202.48, as presented. (cd)

d) Prince Statement of financial position and PCR profit and loss - 1st quarter

Resolution 2021-78

Moved by: Councillor E. Palumbo

Seconded by: Councillor D. Amadio

Be it resolved that this council hereby receives the first quarter reports for Prince Township and EarlyON as presented. (cd)

e) set up for call with Fisheries and Oceans

Resolution 2021-79

Moved by: Councillor I. Chambers

Seconded by: Councillor E. Palumbo

Be it resolved that this council hereby agrees to have the Mayor and E. Palumbo attend the virtual meeting with the CAO and Fisheries and Oceans next week.

f) set date for budget meeting (May 18) – Date to be determined and called by Mayor

8. Planning

- a) i. M3-2021 2 North Gros Cap Road notice
 - ii. M3-2021 2 North Gros Cap Road planning report
 - iii. M3-2021 2 North Gros Cap Road updated decision

Resolution 2021-80

Moved by: Councillor I. Chambers

Seconded by: Councillor D. Amadio

Be it resolved that this Council hereby accepts the report regarding Minor Variance Application for Roll 5766 000 000 32000 0000 - M3-2021 from the provisions of Zoning By-law 2019-15, and

Further that the variance to locate the cottage closer to the high-water mark of 30m (98.43 ft) to 15 m (49.21 ft) be allowed conditional upon the following:

- That the structure be used for the property owners own personal use only
- That the structure be used as a summer cottage only and not as a permanent residence (cd)
 - b) i. M4-2021 25 Hill Road notice
 - ii. M4-2021 25 Hill Road planning report

M4-2021 - 25 Hill Road - updated decision Resolution 2021-

Resolution 2021-81

Moved by: Councillor M. Matthews

Seconded by: Councillor I. Chambers

Be it resolved that this Council hereby accepts the report regarding Minor Variance Application M4-2021 for Roll 5766 000 000 11300 0000 from the provisions of Zoning By-law 2019-15, and

Further that the variance to increase the maximum coverage of an accessory building from 84 sq. m (904,1685 sq. ft.) to 100,34 sq. m. (1080,0500 sq. ft.); and

To increase the maximum height of an accessory building from 5.5 m (18.0446 ft) to 7.3152 m (24 ft) be allowed conditional upon the following:

- That the structure be used for the property owners own personal use only
- That the property be used as a summer cottage only and not as a permanent residence (cd)
- 9. By-laws

a) 2021-12 - stop up and close section of Pinder Drive

Resolution 2021-82

Moved by: Councillor D. Amadio

Seconded by: Councillor E. Palumbo

Be it resolved that this Council hereby adopt By-Law 2021-12, being a by-law to stop up and close part of Pinder Drive being part of PIN Number 31618-0687, and being Part 30 of Plan 1R-2403. (cd)

b) 2021-13 - Fire Safety Grant

Resolution 2021-83

Moved by: Councillor M. Matthews

Seconded by: Councillor E. Palumbo

Be it resolved that this Council hereby adopts By-Law 2021-13, being a by-law authorizing the Mayor and the Clerk to enter an agreement between Her Majesty the Queen in right of Ontario as represented by the Office of the Fire Marshal and the Corporation of the Township of Prince, being the Fire Safety Grant Transfer Payment Agreement. (cd)

10. Motions and notice of motions

a) Administrative report on motions

Resolution 2021-84

Moved by: Councillor M. Matthews

Seconded by: Councillor I. Chambers

Be it resolved that this Council hereby agrees to continue to move and second motions at the meetings for the time being.(cd)

Mm carry on for a few more meetings

11. Correspondence

- a) MPP Michael Mantha Fire College closure
- b) Roger Lord EMCPA compliance (DA recognize the work and effort put in to do this.)
- c) Ontario Cannabis Legalization Implementation Fund \$5,000
- d) Ontario Recreation Facilities Assoc. open letter
- e) Municipal Finance Officers' Assoc. Provincial budget highlights
- f) Conservation Authority Application for Minister Exceptions Chair and Vice-Chair
- g) SAH newsletter

Resolution 2021-85

Moved by: Councillor E. Palumbo

Seconded by: Councillor I. Chambers

Be it resolved that this Council hereby receives items 11 a-g as information. (cd)

12. Minutes of Boards and Committees

a) Conservation Authority - February 16, 2021

Resolution 2021-86

Moved by: Councillor E. Palumbo

Seconded by: Councillor M. Matthews

Be it resolved that this Council hereby receives the minutes of the SSM Conservation Authority of February 16, 2021 as information. (cd)

b) DSSAB - Dec 10, 2020, Jan 28, 2021, Feb 18, 2021

Resolution 2021-87

Moved by: Mayor K. Lamming Seconded by: Councillor D. Amadio

Be it resolved that this Council hereby receives the minutes of the SSM DSSAB of December 20, 2020, January 28, 2021 and February 18, 2021 as information. (cd)

13. New Business

a) Grocery Express - Moore - Algoma Insurance

Resolution 2021-88

Moved by: Councillor E. Palumbo

Whereas Grocery Express is offering a new service for some grocery items and supplies to be delivered closer to our residents:

Be it resolved that this Council hereby allows Richard Moore, Grocery Express to use the parking lot at the Municipal office as a local pick-up location for our area, provided there is an insurance certificate provided naming Prince Township as an added insured. (defeated)

b) Brock - Federal licenses and registration - Cannabis

Resolution 2021-89

Moved by: Councillor D. Amadio Seconded by: Councillor I. Chambers

Be it resolved that this Council hereby supports the resolution from the Township of Brock, requesting that Health Canada:

- 1. Require Federal Licenses and Registrations for Designated Growers of Cannabis to conform with local zoning and control by-laws;
- 2. Ensure local authorities are provided with notification of any license issuance, amendment, suspension, reinstatement or revocation within their region;
- 3. Provide dedicated communication with local governments and Police services;
- 4. Provide lawful authority to Police agencies to lay charges when registered or licenced operations grow in excess of their registration or licence through Health Canada;
- 5. Provide enforcement support and guidance to local municipalities for dealing with land use complaints relating to Cannabis.

Further, that a copy of this resolution be forwarded to the Township of Brock, Premier Ford, MP Terry Sheehan (cd)

c) Pickle Lake / Conmee – amendment to Municipal Act and Municipal Elections Act re: criminal records Resolution 2021-90

Moved by: Councillor E. Palumbo

Seconded by: Councillor D. Amadio

Seconded by: Councillor D. Amadio

Be it resolved that this Council hereby supports the resolution from the Township of Pickle Lake and the Township of Conmee as they lobby the Provincial Government to amend the Municipal Act and the Municipal Elections Act, as may be, so that people with a criminal record who have not had their record cleared from the RCMP Data Base by order of the Governor General of Canada, be prohibited from becoming a candidate in municipal elections; and

Further, that an elected local government official be disqualified from office upon conviction of a serious criminal offence and must resign; and

Further, that a copy of this resolution be forwarded to Premier Doug Ford, FONOM, Attorney General Doug Downey, Solicitor General Sylvia Jones, Minister of Municipal Affairs and Housing Steve Clark, AMO, ROMA and MPP Michael Mantha. (cd)

d) Niagara region - homelessness and mental health

Resolution 2021-91

Moved by: Councillor D. Amadio

Seconded by: Councillor E. Palumbo

Be it resolved that this Council hereby recognizes that the issues respecting homelessness, mental health and addiction is not limited to the Niagara Region; and

Further, that a copy of Niagara's motion and this motion be forwarded to Premier Doug Ford, AMO, and MPP Michael Mantha, stating that initiatives and funding to address these issues be allocated to agencies across Ontario to combat these issues. (defeated)

e) Caledon – support for 988 3-digit suicide and crisis prevention hotline

Resolution 2021-92

Moved by: Councillor D. Amadio

Seconded by: Councillor I. Chambers

Be it resolved that this Council hereby supports the resolution of the Town of Caledon endorsing the 988, 3-digit Suicide and Crises Prevention Hotline initiative. (cd)

14. Closed Session

- a) Minutes March 9, 2021
- b) personal matters about an identifiable individual, including municipal or local board employees; heating conversion
- c) labour relations or employee negotiations; DSSAB / PCR education notes

Minutes April 13, 2021

Resolution 2021-93

Moved by: Councillor M. Matthews Seconded by: Councillor D. Amadio

Be it resolved that the Council of the Township of Prince hereby goes into closed session at

8:34 p.m. to discuss matters pertaining to:

- a) Minutes March 9, 2021
- b) personal matters about an identifiable individual, including municipal or local board employees; heating conversion
- c) labour relations or employee negotiations; DSSAB / PCR education notes

Further be it resolved that should the closed session be adjourned Council may reconvene in closed session to continue to discuss the same matter without the need for a further authorizing resolution. (cd)

15. Confirmatory By-law

2021-14 - April 13, 2021

Resolution 2021-94

Moved by: Councillor Matthews Seconded by: Councillor E. Palumbo

Be it resolved that this Council hereby adopts By-Law 2021-14, being a by-law to adopt, ratify, and confirm the action of Council for April 13, 2021. (cd)

16. Adjournment

Resolution 2021-95

Moved by: Councillor D. Amadio Seconded by: Councillor I. Chambers

Be it resolved that this Council hereby adjourns at 9:09 p.m. until May 11, 2021, or the call of the chair.(cd)

Mayor K. Lamming	Clerk P. Greco



COUNCIL REPORT

Date : May 6, 2021	Date Presented: May 11, 2021
Prepared By: Steve Hemsworth	Rank: Fire Chief

Operations

Responses for April	2021 Tota
Medical – 0	4
Fires – 0	0
MVA - 0	0
Other- 0	1

Personnel

No change, staffing includes 17 firefighters and 2 medical first responders.

Training

During the month of April, training concentrated on portable pump testing and pumper operations. The four firefighters that will be attending the Firefighter 1 course have begun their approximately 80 hours of online training.

Equipment

All wild land firefighting equipment has been tested and has been placed into service.

Fire Prevention

Fire safety and prevention messaging is continuing to be distributed on the departments Facebook and Instagram social media accounts.

Prince Township Expenditure Report April 2021

Agenda Item 7c) May.11. 2021

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Chq#	Date	Vendor	Description	Amount
13595- 13609	April	Payroll	April Payroll	\$ 13,038.52
9548	2021-04-01	Receiver General	March 2021 Remittence for Employee Deductions	\$6,275.95
9549	2021-04-01	Peggy Greco	Mileage & phone for first quarter 2021	\$298.39
9550	2021-04-14	City of Sault Ste Marie	April 2021 Police Service & 2021-911 emergency phone system Hydro for Community center, pavilion, museum, fire	\$16,929.92
9551	2021-04-14	Public Utilities Corporation	station, & quonset hut, March LED Gateway & streetlighting, management of water system, & monthly hydrant charge	\$2,761.05
9552	2021-04-14	Workplace Safety and Insurance Board	1st quarter 2021 WSIB	\$4,614.84
9553	2021-04-14	Airways General Store	Chevy Fuel	\$106.00
9554	2021-04-14	Sault Ste. Marie & District SPCA	2021 Annual user fee	\$750.00
9555	2021-04-14	Wayne Lion	Audit preparation for PCR accounts & audit preparation	\$3,457.80
9556	2021-04-14	Vulcan Fire & Safety Systems Ltd.	Hydro Static Testing of SCBA Cylinders	\$586.47
9557	2021-04-14	Bruce Gregoire	Emergence Management Supplies	\$132.53
9558	2021-04-14	Stephen Turco, RPP	March 2021 Planning Service	\$680.00
9559	2021-04-14	Steve Hemsworth	Mar to April 2021 mileage	\$19.89
9560	2021-04-14	GAL Power Northern Ltd.	Annual inspection of generator	\$744.17
9561	2021-04-14	GFL Infrastructure Group Inc.	March - Recycling & Waste Collection	\$7,903.50
9562	2021-04-15	Spectrum Group	monthy tower rental-Prince Lake	\$367.25
		WirelessCom Ca Inc.	March High speed internet & phone service	\$331.09
9564	2021-04-15	Algoma Business Computers	Acer computer and repairs to old computer & Computer laptop	\$1,852.07
9565	2021-04-15	Levitt Safety Limited	Annual bench testing for 11 SCBA	\$1,844.31
9566	2021-04-15	TMS Truck Centre Ltd.	Pump 3 repairs - shift pads, etc.	\$4,085.87
9567	2021-04-15	Xerox Canada Inc.	March Photo Copies	\$54.01
9568	2021-04-15	ZOLL Medical Canada Inc.	CPR-D-Pads one piece Electrode Pads	\$225.44
9569	2021-04-15	AGO Industries Inc.	5- Wildland Coveralls	\$2,283.98
9570	2021-04-22	Avery Construction	supply and delivery on load of gravel-Marshall Dr.	\$415.03

Prince Township Expenditure Report April 2021

Agenda Item 7c) May.11. 2021

Chq#	Date	Vendor	Description	Amount
9571	2021-04-22	City of Sault Ste Marie	March 2021- Snowplowing	\$3,938.52
9572	2021-04-22	ATS - Alarm and Telecom Services	Repair to ATS system	\$115.77
		ENBRIDGE GAS INC.	March 2021 natural gas	\$748.49
9574	2021-04-22	A. J. Stone Company Ltd.	1-Viking fire boots	\$193.55
9575	2021-04-27	Bell Canada	Mar 2021 Phone & Advertising Annual membership-Ontario Association of Fire Chiefs, 5	\$155.89
9576	2021-04-27	Collabria Visa	mixed flower baskets from ARCH, & AVG internet security	\$448.24
		Total		\$75,358.54

Prince Township Revenue Report April 2021

7 c) 11-May-20

Decription	Amount	Totals
Accounts Receivable	\$ 297.66	
Canada Summer Jobs	3,822.00	
Cannabis Funding	5,000.00	
Dog Tags	441.50	
Fire Permit	2,077.50	
Municipal /Provincial Grant OMPF	47,225.00	
Opening & Closing	300.00	
Sale of roll 30700-jackson island block A	17,249.54	
Parent/Child March OMERS	3,969.00	
Parent/Child April OMERS	5,353.20	
Parent/Child WSIB	2,072.15	
Parent/Child Rent	4,595.00	
Perpetual Care fees	750.00	
Planning - Consent	375.00	
Service Charge	50.00	
Tax Certificate	90.00	
Sub	total	\$ 93,667.5
Property Tax		54,006.80
7	Γotal	\$ 147,674.3



TOWNSHIP OF PRINCE NOTICE OF PUBLIC MEETING CONSENT APPLICATION

CONSENT APPLICATION C3-2021

Name of applicant: James and Nicole Dorothy Kerr

TAKE NOTICE that the Council of the Corporation of the Township of PRINCE will hold a public meeting in order to consider a Consent Application C3-2021 to the Comprehensive Zoning Bylaw 2015-19. The public meeting will be held on **Tuesday, May 11, 2021 at 6:45 p.m.** via zoom. A link will be provided to you at your request by contacting Katrina at <a href="mailto:specific by-specific by

File No. C3-2021

The purpose for the Consent is to sever approximately 1.573 Ha (3.887 Ac) from the subject property. (See attached sketch)

This property is designated as *Rural Area* in the Official Plan. Roll 57 66 000 000 53505 0000

The property is described as SEC 33 NE ¼ PT RP 1R4487, 785 Walls Road, Prince Township, ON P6A 6K4.

TAKE NOTICE that if you wish to be notified of the decision of the Township of PRINCE on the proposed consent application, you must make a written request to the Clerk of the Township of PRINCE.

If a person or public body would otherwise have an ability to appeal the decision of the Council of the Township of PRINCE to the Local Planning Appeal Tribunal but the person or public body does not make oral submissions at the public meeting or make written submissions to the Township of PRINCE before the bylaw is passed, the person or public body is not entitled to appeal the decision.

If a person or public body does not make oral submissions at the public meeting or make written submissions to the Township of PRINCE before the bylaw is passed, the person or public body will not be added as a party to the hearing of an appeal before the Tribunal, unless in filed opinion of the Tribunal, there are reasonable grounds to do so.

ADDITIONAL INFORMATION regarding this application is available at the municipal office at 3042 Second Line West, Prince Township, ON. P6A 6K4, during regular office hours.

Dated this 20 April 2021

Lorraine Mousseau, Deputy Clerk-Treasurer

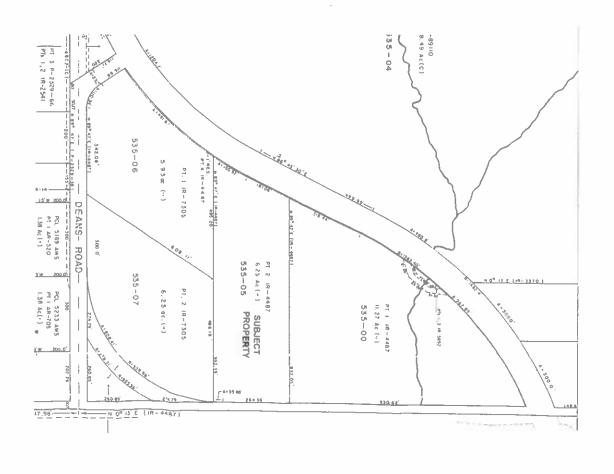
Township of PRINCE 3042 Second Line West, Prince Township, ON P6A 6K4 Tel.705-779-2992 Ext.1 lorraine@twp.prince.on.ca

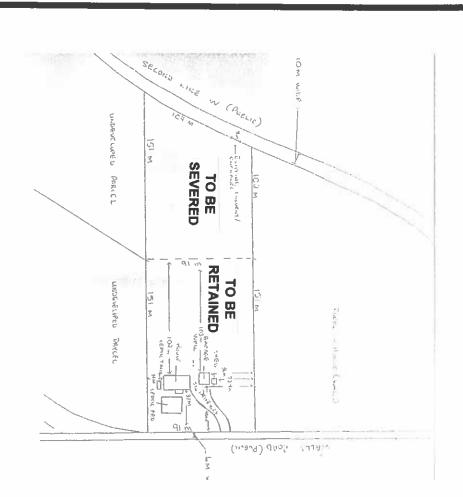
<u>Please Note:</u> you are receiving this notice as you are a property owner within a 121 metre radius of the subject property. Planning Act Ont. Reg, 545/06

Consent Application: C3-2021

Subject Property
SEC 33 NE ¼ PT RP 1R4487
785 Walls Road
Township of Prince







Council Date: May 11, 2021

Attention: Mayor Lamming, Prince Township Council

RE: Consent Application C3-2021

Address: 785 Walls Side Road

Author: Stephen Turco, RPP, Borealis Planning Services

Purpose: The purpose of this report is to recommend the severance of the subject property, creating one additional Rural Area lot.

Analysis: The subject property is located at 785 Walls Side Road, located on the west side of the road, and is situated approximately 290 meters south of Second Line West. The property is a through-lot, with the front portion of the property fronting on Walls Side Road, and the rear abutting Second Line West. The property is approximately 2.48 hectares (6.14 acres) in size. The proposal, if approved, will create an additional lot, approximately 1.5 hectares (3.71 acres), fronting onto Second Line West.

Conformity with the Official Plan: The subject property is designated Rural Area in the Prince Township Official Plan. The Official Plan indicates that the creation of lots for non-agricultural purposes shall be restricted to those lands where the agricultural potential is limited, due to limited lot sizes, poor soils, infilling between existing non-agricultural lots of record or any other limitation that would preclude the parcel from future agricultural uses.

It is the planner's opinion that the ability for the lot to be used for agricultural purposes is quite limited, as the existing lot is not used for agricultural purposes, and there appears to be a lack of agricultural activity on the abutting properties on either side of the subject property.

Conformity with Zoning By-law 2015-19: The subject property is zoned Rural Area - Residential. The proposed severed and retained lots conform to the lot regulations outlined in the By-law.

Conformity with Provincial Policy: Policy 1.1.4.1 Healthy, integrated and viable rural areas should be supported by: a) building upon rural character, and leveraging rural amenities and assets. The proposed severed and retained lots will be consistent with the Rural Area land use policies and Zoning By-law standards, and as such, will maintain the rural character of the area and Township.

Summary: It is the opinion of the planner, that the requested severance meets the intent of the Official Plan, meets the intent of the Zoning By-law, and is an appropriate subdivision of land, consistent with overall character and form of the surrounding area and the Township.

Recommendation: "RESOLVED THAT the report dated May 11, 2021 - regarding Applications C3-2021 - be accepted, AND - that provisional consent is AUTHORIZED for the severance and conveyance for the parcel of land described as the westerly 104 metres (341') by 150 meters (492'), (approximately 1.50 ha (3.71 acres) parcel of 785 Walls Side Road, subject to the following conditions which must be, in the opinion of the Clerk-Treasurer, substantially complied with or waived by the party requesting the condition

within a one-year period from the date of this Decision failing which consent shall be deemed to be refused in accordance with Subsection 41, of Section 53 of the Planning Act, R.S.O., 1990, as amended;

- 1. TRANSFER/DEED OF LAND: That the Clerk-Treasurer is provided with two (2) copies of the "electronic registration in preparation documents", prior to registration on title. The Certificate of Official must be registered with the "electronic registration transfer. NOTE: Any alterations to the legal description after the Clerk-Treasurer has issued the Certificate will deem the document(s) invalid and must be returned to the Clerk-Treasurer. A new Certificate containing the Registrar approved legal description will have to be endorsed by the Clerk-Treasurer prior to registration of the document(s). An issuance fee will apply.
- 3. REFERENCE PLAN/SURVEY PLAN/LEGAL DESCRIPTION: That the applicant provides Clerk-Treasurer with ten (10) white prints of a deposited plan of reference prepared by an Ontario Land surveyor registered in the Province of Ontario and bearing the seal of the Land Registrar depicting the entire land which conforms substantially with the application as submitted. At least one copy of a plan of reference must Borealis Planning Services 3 illustrate the locations and dimensions of all buildings and structures on the subject property and their distance to property lines.
- 4. PIN ABSTRACT: That a copy of the latest pin abstract accompanies the "electronic registration in preparation documents".
- SEPTIC SYSTEM: A letter from Algoma Public Health must be submitted to the Clerk-Treasurer indicating that an on-site septic system can be supported on the severed, if new development is proposed.
- 6. ON-SITE PROVEN WELL: Confirmation of an established on-site proven well must be submitted to the Clerk Treasurer prior to final consent, if new development is proposed.
- 7. DISCHARGE OF CHARGE/MORTGAGE: That any Charge/Mortgage affecting the subject property is discharged and a copy of the Discharge of Charge/Mortgage be provided to the Clerk-Treasurer or written acknowledgement that the holder of the Charge/Mortgage is satisfied with the Consent being finalized.
- 8. PARTIAL DISCHARGE OF CHARGE/MORTGAGE: That the Clerk-Treasurer is provided with two (2) copies of the Discharge of Charge/Mortgage documents for the parcel for which the Consent relates to and the Discharge refers to for certification. Certificate of Official must be registered with the Discharge of Charge/Mortgage documents. A Solicitor's undertaking must be provided to the Clerk-Treasurer undertaking to register the Discharge and to provide the Clerk Treasurer with a copy of the registered documents.
- 9. PAYMENT OF MUNICIPAL TAXES: Prior to final approval, the owner provides the Clerk-Treasurer confirmation of payment of all outstanding taxes, including penalties and interest, (and any local improvement charges, if applicable).
- 10. SOLICITOR'S UNDERTAKING: An undertaking must be provided to the Clerk-Treasurer undertaking to register this consent within one-year from the date of the Certificate and

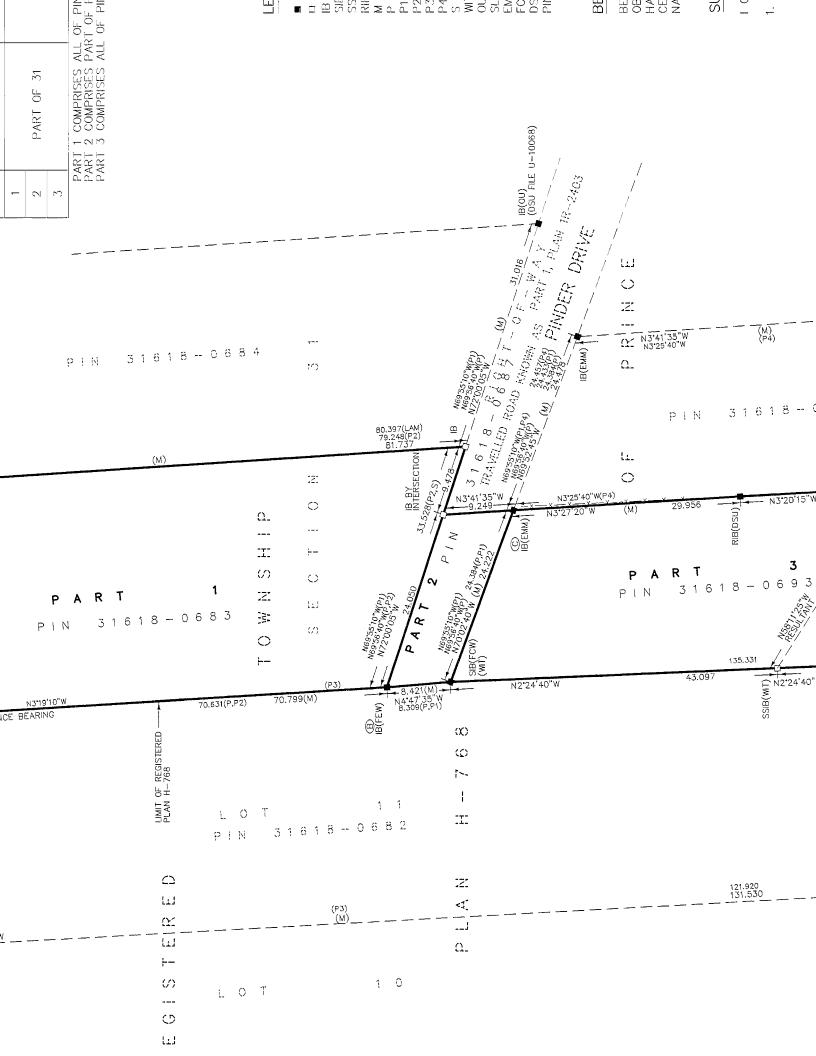
acknowledging that if the transaction in respect of which the consent was given is not registered within a one year period that the consent will lapse.

- 11. RECEIPTED ELECTRONIC TRANSFER The applicant must provide the Clerk-Treasurer with a copy of the Receipted Electronic Transfer upon registration of the Transfer and prior to the issuance of any Building Permits.
- 12. THIS provisional approval does not become effective until the above conditions have been satisfied. ALL conditions must be fulfilled within one year of the date of the giving of the Notice of Decision, failing which this application shall thereupon be deemed to be refused. Section 53(4), The Planning Act R.S.O., 1990.

THE CORPORATION OF THE TOWNSHIP OF PRINCE BY-LAW NUMBER 2021-1

Being a by-law to stop up and close that part of Pinder Drive,

WHEREAS Council deems it desirable to stop up and close that part of Pinder Drive, Pa	ırl
NOW THEREFORE the Council of the Corporation of the Township of Prince ENACTS AS FOLLOWS:	
1. THAT	
2. THAT this by-law shall come into force and effect upon the final passing thereof, and upon registration in the Land Registry Office in the District Algoma.	
Read a first and second time this 13 th day of April 2021.	
Read a third time and finally passed this day of 2021.	
MAYOR SEAL	
CLERK	



THE CORPORATION OF THE TOWNSHIP OF PRINCE

BY-LAW No. 2021-1

A by-law to adopt the amended Prince Township Accessibility Plan 2019-2024

WHEREAS the Accessibility for Ontarians with Disabilities Act, 2005 (AODA) requires every municipality to adopt an Accessibility Plan and review it annually;

NOW THEREFORE the Council of the Corporation of the Township of Prince enacts as follows:

- 1. The amended Prince Township Accessibility Plan 2019-2024 attached hereto as Schedule "A" is hereby adopted.
- 2. Accessibility policy dated December 8, 2015 is hereby repealed.

Read a first, second and third time and passed in open Council this 11th day of May 2021.

Mayor Ken Lamming	Mayor Ken Lamming
k Lorraine Mousseau	Deputy Clerk Lorraine Mousseau

By-Law 2021-1 Schedule 'A' The Corporation of the Township of Prince Accessibility Policy

Statement of organizational commitment

The Corporation of the Township of Prince is committed to ensuring equal access and participation for people with disabilities. We are committed to treating people with disabilities in a way that allows them to maintain their dignity and independence. We believe in integration and we are committed to meeting the needs of people with disabilities in a timely manner. We will do so by removing and preventing barriers to accessibility and meeting our accessibility requirements under the Accessibility for Ontarians with Disabilities Act and Ontario's accessibility laws.

Training

We are committed to training staff and volunteers in Ontario's accessibility laws and aspects of the Ontario Human Rights Code that relate to persons with disabilities. We will train our employees and volunteers on accessibility as it relates to their specific roles.

Procurement

We will incorporate accessibility criteria and features when procuring or acquiring goods, services or facilities, including self-serve kiosks. If it is not possible and practical to do so, we will provide an explanation upon request.

Self-service kiosks

We will incorporate accessibility features/consider accessibility for people with disabilities when designing, procuring or acquiring self-service kiosks.

Information and communications

We will communicate with people with disabilities in ways that take into account their disability. When asked, we will provide information about our organization and its services, including public safety information, in accessible formats or with communication supports.

We will also meet internationally-recognized Web Content Accessibility Guidelines (WCAG) 2.0 Level AA website requirements in accordance with Ontario's accessibility laws.

Employment

We will notify employees, potential hires and the public that accommodations can be made during recruitment and hiring.

We will notify staff that supports are available for those with disabilities. We will put in place a process to develop individual accommodation plans for employees.

Where needed, we will also provide customized emergency information to help an employee with a disability during an emergency.

Our performance management, career development and redeployment processes will take into account the accessibility needs of all employees.

Design of Public Spaces

We will meet accessibility laws when building or making major changes to public spaces. Public spaces include:

- Recreational trails/beach access routes
- Outdoor public eating areas like rest stops or picnic areas
- Outdoor play spaces, like playgrounds in provincial parks and local communities
- Outdoor paths of travel, like sidewalks, ramps, stairs, curb ramps, rest areas and accessible pedestrian signals
- Accessible off-street parking
- Accessible on-street parking
- Service-related elements like service counters, fixed queuing lines and waiting areas

We will put procedures in place to prevent service disruptions to our accessible parts of our public spaces.

Changes to existing policies

We will modify or remove an existing policy that does not respect and promote the dignity and independence of people with disabilities.





A TRAIN BETWEEN SSM & HEARST IS MORE (4) REAL NOW

Coalition for Algoma Passenger Trains <info@captrains.ca> Reply-To: Coalition for Algoma Passenger Trains <info@captrains.ca> To: pgreco@twp.prince.on.ca

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hree groups – Missanabie Cree First Nation, SIS Group and N1 Strategy Inc. - announced the signing of a Memorandum of Understanding (MOU) virtually Tuesday, designed to maximize the possibilities presented by development of the Mask-wa Oo-ta-ban passenger train between Sault Ste. Marie and Hearst and the Agawa Canyon Tour Train.

Missanabie Cree First Nation has long been interested in getting the Mask-wa Oo-ta-ban passenger train service (Bear Train) up and running, and, as reported earlier, has received funding for a market survey and marketing plan for the project.

$\frac{CORPORATION\ OF\ THE\ MUNICIPALITY\ OF\ CALVIN}{\textbf{Resolution}}$

DATE: _____April 13, 2021 _____ NO.__2021-097____

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February 23, 2021

The Honourable Jonathan Wilkinson Minister of Environment and Climate Change House of Commons Ottawa, ON K1A 0A6

The Honourable Marie-Claude Bibeau Minister of Agriculture and Agri-Food House of Commons Ottawa, ON K1A 0A6

Dear Ministers,

I am writing to advise that Norfolk County Council supports the attached Norfolk County Agricultural Advisory Board's letter regarding the application of the carbon tax on primary agriculture producers. It is the recommendation of Norfolk County Council that the Federal Government consider the concerns of the agricultural community and move to exempt all primary agriculture producers from current and future carbon taxes. Please find attached the full recommendation.

Thank you for your attention,

Yours truly,

Kristal Chopp Mayor, Norfolk County

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P.c. Norfolk County Council
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Dec 7, 2020

The Honourable Marie-Claude Bibeau, MP Minister of Agriculture and Agri-Food House of Commons Ottawa, Ontario K1A 0A6

Dear Minister Bibeau

Our agricultural advisory board (AAB) who represents the agricultural sector in Norfolk County, Ontario is very concerned about the federal government's current carbon pricing policies. It is our hope that you consider our concerns and move to exempt all primary agriculture producers from current and future carbon taxes.

Carbon tax remains as a major cost of production for producers in Norfolk County. Although some farm fuel purchases are exempt, it is selective and does not meet the needs of the entire agriculture industry. Currently crop drying, heating/cooling of livestock barns and cooling of perishable commodities are still subject to full carbon taxes.

Currently there are no replacements for fossil fuels in agricultural production. As a result, carbon tax policies are notappropriate for the agricultural sector and only decrease farm margins.

Norfolk County which is known as Ontario's garden is home to one of the country's largest diversity of crop production. In addition to the extensive vegetable, fruit and grain production it boasts some of the highest ecological diverse natural habitats, plants and animals in Canada. There is approximately 25% tree cover in the county which is the highest percentage of forested land in Southwestern Ontario. Norfolk County It is also home to over 10,000 acres of woodlots and wetlands protected under Long Point Conservation Authority. In addition to the natural woodlots and wetlands there is also extensive fruit production with 2000 acres of apples and 1000 acres of sour cherries. A mature orchard can fix upwards of 18 mt of C02 annually.

The adoption of production practices to protect the soil and environment are advanced in Norfolk County. There has been a wide implementation of cover cropping, planting green and reduced tillage practices all of which sequester carbon. Additional farming practices of 4R nutrient management coupled with precision technology ensure that appropriate nutrients are applied at the right time, place and rate. In many cases sensitive water sources around ponds and wetlands are planted with buffer strips and soil erosion control measures of grassed waterways and windbreaks are also common practices. ALUS (alternative land use) programs have been embraced across the county, taking unproductive land out of production, and returning it to natural native grass plantings, trees and constructed wetlands. Currently there are 1148 active projects with 189 producers covering 1573 acres in Norfolk County managed under the ALUS program.

The agriculture industry has made great strides to protect the environment and will continue to improve production practices that reduces the carbon footprint in food production.

The AAB board believes that all on farm fuels used in agricultural production should be exempt from carbon tax. This should include natural gas, propane, gas, and diesel. We strongly urge the government to be consistent with a sector wide exemption to current carbon tax policies.

Sincerely,

Dustin Zamecnik Chair of Norfolk County Agriculture Advisory Board



Community Services

Legislative Services

April 27, 2021 File #120203

Sent via email: premier@ontario.ca

The Honourable Doug Ford, Premier of Ontario Legislative Building Queen's Park Toronto, ON M7A 1A1

Honourable and Dear Sir:

Re: Province Investigating and Updating Source Water Protection Legislation

Please be advised the Municipal Council of the Town of Fort Erie at its meeting of April 26, 2021 passed the following resolution:

Whereas the Municipal Council of the Town of Fort Erie passed a resolution on October 21st, 2019 identifying that 1,100 private water wells were in operation in the Town of Fort Erie, of which 75% were used for domestic purposes including human and livestock consumption, and

Whereas the Municipal Council of the Town of Fort Erie further identified in that resolution that Council requires the protection of water in the aquifer supplying water to those wells from contamination as the result of any remediation of Pit One owned by the Port Colborne Quarries in the City of Port Colborne, and further

Whereas Report No. PDS-23-2021, approved by Council on March 22, 2021, identified that while the Niagara Peninsula Conservation Authority, The Regional Municipality of Niagara and Local Area Municipalities work together to protect source water, these plans do not generally apply to private servicing, and

Whereas Report No. PDS-23-2021 further identified efforts undertaken by the Town of Fort Erie through available provincial planning policy, regulation and legislation to protect source water within the Town of Fort Erie without any explicit ability to designate source water protection for private services, and

Whereas on July 28, 2010, through Resolution 64/292, the United Nations General Assembly explicitly recognized the human right to water and sanitation and acknowledged that clean drinking water and sanitation are essential to the realization of all human rights, and

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Whereas it would be desirable to ensure that those in our community who rely on wells and other private servicing for clean drinking water are afforded the same source water protection as municipal drinking water systems;

Now therefore it be resolved,

That: The Municipal Council of the Town of Fort Erie recognizes and acknowledges that clean drinking water and sanitation are basic human rights and essential to the realization of all human rights, and further

That: The Municipal Council of the Town of Fort Erie requests that the Ministry of Environment, Conservation and Parks consider legislative changes that would permit the expansion of source water protection to aquifers and private services, and further

That: This resolution be circulated to The Honourable Doug Ford, Premier of Ontario, the Honourable Jeff Yurek, Minister of the Environment, Conservation and Parks, Wayne Gates, MPP Niagara Falls, Jeff Burch, MPP Niagara Centre, Jennifer Stevens, MPP St. Catharines and Sam Oosterhoff, MPP Niagara West, and further

That: This resolution be circulated to all Conservation Authorities and Municipalities in Ontario for their endorsement and support.

Thank you for your attention to this matter.

Yours very truly,

Carol Schofield, Dipl.M.A.

Manager, Legislative Services/Clerk

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April 27, 2021 File #120203

Sent via email: caroline.mulroney@pc.ola.org

The Honourable Caroline Mulroney, Minister of Transportation 5th Floor, 777 Bay Street Toronto, ON M7A 1Z8

Honourable and Dear Madam:

Re: Township of The Archipelago - Road Management Action on Invasive Phragmites

Please be advised the Municipal Council of the Town of Fort Erie at its meeting of April 26, 2021 received and supported correspondence from the Township of The Archipelago dated April 9, 2021 requesting the Ontario Ministry of Transportation (MTO) to communicate the strategy on mapping (detecting sites) and controlling invasive Phragmites on provincial highways, the specific highway management plans and results by each MTO region and each highway in the region and work in coordination with the Township of The Archipelago and requests all levels of government to consider funding support to aid the Township of The Archipelago in managing invasive phragmites.

Attached please find a copy of the Township of The Archipelago's correspondence dated April 9, 2021.

Thank you for your attention to this matter.

Yours very truly,

Carol Schofield, Dipl.M.A.

Manager, Legislative Services/Clerk

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The Honourable Jonathan Wilkinson, Minister of Environment and Climate Change Canada ec.ministre-minister.ec@canada.ca

Christopher Balasa, Manager, Maintenance Management Office Christopher.balasa@ontario.ca

Wayne Gates, MPP, Niagara Falls wgates-co@ndp.on.ca

MPP Norman Miller. Norm.miller@pc.olg.org

Maryann Weaver, Municipal Clerk, Township of The Archipelago mweaver@thearchipelago.on.ca

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Township of The Archipelago

April 9, 2021

21-073

Moved by Councillor Barton Seconded by Councillor Manner

RE: Road Management Action On Invasive Phragmites

WHEREAS Phragmites australis (Phragmites) is an invasive perennial grass that continues to cause severe damage to wetlands and beaches in areas around the Great Lakes including Georgian Bay; and

WHEREAS Phragmites australis grows and spreads rapidly, allowing the plant to invade new areas and grow into large monoculture stands in a short amount of time, and is an allelopathic plant that secretes toxins from its roots into the soil which impede the growth of neighboring plant species; and

WHEREAS Phragmites australis results in loss of biodiversity and species richness, loss of habitat, changes in hydrology due to its high metabolic rate, changes in nutrient cycling as it is slow to decompose, an increased fire hazard due to the combustibility of its dead stalks, and can have an adverse impact on agriculture, particularly in drainage ditches; and

WHEREAS invasive Phragmites has been identified as Canada's worst invasive plant species by Agriculture and Agrifood Canada; and

WHEREAS the Ontario government has made it illegal to import, deposit, release, breed/grow, buy, sell, lease or trade invasive Phragmites under the Invasive Species Act; and

WHEREAS Phragmites occupy over 4,800 hectares of land around Lake St. Clair alone, while 212 hectares of Phragmites occupy land along the St. Lawrence River. The Georgian Bay Area is particularly affected by Phragmites australis, with more than 700 stands along the shorelines and multiple visible stands on the highways and roads that threaten valuable infrastructure and wetland areas; and

WHEREAS volunteers, non-governmental organizations, and various municipalities have invested tens of thousands of dollars in investments and labour annually for more than eight years in executing managements plans to control invasive Phragmites on roads, coasts, shorelines and in wetlands; and

WHEREAS roads and highways where Phragmites that are left untreated become spread vectors that continually risk new and treated wetlands and coastal shoreline areas; and

WHEREAS according to "Smart Practices for the Control of Invasive Phragmites along Ontario's Roads" by the Ontario Phragmites Working Group, best road management practices for Phragmites australis include early detection, herbicide application, and cutting; and

WHEREAS these best management practices are most effective when used in a multi-pronged approach as opposed to when used as stand-alone control measures; and

WHEREAS mother nature does not recognize political boundaries. Therefore, it is imperative that Municipalities, Districts, the Province, and the Federal government work together in collaboration to eradicate Canada's worst invasive plant species Phragmites australis;

NOW THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED that Council for the Corporation of the Township of The Archipelago directs its staff to implement best management practices to promote early detection of invasive Phragmites, and to implement best management practices for invasive Phragmites, and to join the Ontario Phragmites Working Group to collaborate on the eradication of Phragmites in Ontario.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that Council for the Corporation of the Township of The Archipelago directs staff to insert clean equipment protocols into tenders and that there is oversight that the protocols are followed; and

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that Council for the Corporation of the Township of The Archipelago requests the Ontario Ministry of Transportation to map and treat invasive Phragmites annually on all its highways; and

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that the Ontario Ministry of Transportation (MTO) communicates the strategy on mapping (detecting sites) and controlling invasive Phragmites on provincial highways, the specific highway management plans and results by each MTO region and each highway in the region and work in coordination with the Township of The Archipelago; and

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that Council for the Corporation of the Township of The Archipelago directs its staff to send this resolution to all municipalities that are part of the Georgian Bay watershed, to all municipalities in the Great Lakes watershed, to the Minister of Transportation, Christopher Balasa the Manager, Maintenance Management Office, and MPP Norman Miller.

BE IT FINALLY RESOLVED that Council for the Corporation of the Township of The Archipelago requests all levels of government to consider funding support to aid the Township of The Archipelago in managing invasive phragmites; and directs staff to send a copy of this resolution to the Ontario Minister of Environment, Conservation and Parks and the Minister of Environment and Climate Change Canada.

Carried.



April 30, 2021

Hon. Doug Ford, Premier Room 281 Legislative Building, Queen's Park Toronto, ON M7A 1A1

Sent via email: premier@ontario.ca

Dear Premier Ford.

Please be advised that at the Brantford City Council Meeting held April 27, 2021, the following resolution was adopted:

Request - Province of Ontario withdraws its prohibition on golfing and any other outdoor recreational activities

WHEREAS COVID-19 restrictions have had significant impacts; and

WHEREAS many forms of socializing, recreation and sport have been curtailed; and

WHEREAS the game of golf can be enjoyed while maintaining proper social distancing;

THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED THAT The Corporation of The City of Brantford recommends:

- A. THAT The Province of Ontario withdraws its prohibition on golfing and any other outdoor recreational activities which can be enjoyed while maintaining proper social distancing; and
- B. THAT the City Clerk BE DIRECTED to forward a copy of this resolution to the Premier of Ontario; Will Bouma, MPP, Brantford-Brant, the Association of Municipalities of Ontario, Ontario Big City Mayors; and the list of other Municipalities in Ontario.

Yours truly,

Tanya Daniels City Clerk

tdaniels@brantford.ca

MPP Will Bouma, Brantford-Brant CC Association of Municipalities of Ontario (AMO) Ontario Big City Mayors All Ontario Municipalities

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$\frac{\text{CORPORATION OF THE MUNICIPALITY OF CALVIN}}{\text{Resolution}}$

DATE: <u>April 27, 2021</u> NO. <u>2021-110</u>
MOVED BY Dan Maxwell
SECONDED BY Heather Olmstead
"WHEREAS the role of Ontario's 441 fire departments and their approximate 30,000 full, part-time, and volunteer firefighters is to protect Ontarians and their property; and
WHEREAS according to the Ontario Fire Marshal and Emergency Management's latest data, in Ontario there was over 11,000 number of loss fires, 9,500 no loss fires, 784 injuries, 91 fatalities, and over \$820 million dollars of estimated loss in 2018; and
WHEREAS fire emergencies only make up a portion of the total calls for help received by fire and emergency service departments as they respond to nearly every public emergency, disaster, or 9-1-1 call; and
WHEREAS Ontario's fire department infrastructure deficit continues to grow annually and is almost entirely borne by the municipality and local taxpayers with the majority having populations under 25,000; and
WHEREAS due to antiquated structures and equipment that do not meet current industry standards the safety of the Ontario public and Ontario firefighters is being jeopardized;
NOW THEREFORE the Council of the Corporation of the Municipality of Calvin resolves as follows:
1. THAT the Federal and Provincial Government includes apparatuses, training, equipment and structures for fire departments as eligible categories to any further infrastructure programs which will not only provide immediate stimulus to the local, provincial and federal economies given current economic uncertainty but also ensure the safety of Canadians and dedicated firefighters; and
2. THAT this resolution be forwarded to the Honourable Doug Ford Premier of Ontario, the Honourable Steve Clark, Minister of Municipal Affairs and Housing, the Honourable Laurie Scott, Minister of Infrastructure, local MPP, local MP, the Ontario Fire Marshal, Jon Pegg, the Ontario Association of Fire Chiefs, and all Ontario Municipalities."
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NAME OF MEMBER OF COUNCIL YEA NAY
<u>Coun Cross</u> X
Coun Olmstead X X

Mayor Pennell