



Highlights from the Council Chamber

Council Meeting – June 6, 2022

Below are highlights of what Council adopted at its meeting on Monday, June 6, 2022.

The following includes changes or recorded votes to recommendations from the May 30, 2022 Council Committee meeting. The wording below does not represent the exact wording of the motion and is meant as highlights of what was adopted.

- The correspondence from the Town of Gravenhurst regarding sanctions on Russia were received. The City of Orillia supports the sanctions related to Russia that have been enacted under the *Special Economic Measures Act* in order to respond to the gravity of Russia's violation of the sovereignty and territorial integrity of Ukraine, and grave human rights violations that have been committed in Russia. The City supports the sanctions related to Belarus that have been enacted under the *Special Economic Measures Act* in response to the gross and systematic human rights violations that have been committed in Belarus, as well as Belarus's support of the Russian Federation's violation of the sovereignty and territorial integrity of Ukraine, which constitutes a grave breach of international peace and security that has resulted in a serious international crisis. This decision will be forwarded to all other municipalities within Ontario requesting they enact similar measures so that as a united front we can make a noticeable difference.
- The supplementary memo to confidential Report DSE-22-24 regarding a status update on Centennial Drive Reconstruction Phase 1 was received as information at this time.
- Policy 4.2.1.4. - Municipal Incentives for Affordable Housing was amended by including the following additional eligibility criterion:
 - The affordable housing project shall be situated on lands that are pre-zoned to permit the use(s) contained in the proposed development;The amendment will be applied to all new applications for affordable housing incentives received by the City after May 2, 2022.
- Council adopted recommendations as set out on the Consent Agenda for the Council meeting of June 6, 2022 (the full agenda can be viewed at orillia.ca).

The following are recommendations from Council Committee on May 30, 2022 that were adopted by Council with no changes on June 6, 2022.

- The sale of Lots 3 and 4 located on Horne Business Park lands was approved. The Mayor and Clerk were authorized to execute all the documentation necessary and the net proceeds from the sale will be transferred to the Land Reserve Fund.
- The confidential report regarding the disposition of lands for Horne Business Park was received as information.
- The preferred alternative from the Ministry of Transportation for a Multi-Use Trail on both sides of Highway 12/Coldwater Road from Murphy Road to Highway 11 and a Multi-Use Trail on the south side only crossing the bridge, was endorsed in principle. Staff was directed to report back to Council following negotiations for cost sharing during detailed design.
- The Age-Friendly Orillia Community Action Plan was received, and staff were directed to consider and include age-friendly language and planning when developing or reviewing City policy and guidance documents. Chapter 110 of the City of Orillia Municipal Code - Accessibility Advisory Committee will be amended to expand the terms of reference to include age-friendly matters and amend the composition of the Committee to have one member be a representative of the Age-Friendly Orillia Advisory Committee.
- The implementation of a convenience fee of no more than 2.4% for the use of credit cards for online payments processed by the City's Merchant Services Payment Processor was approved. Staff were directed to prepare a by-law to amend the impacted Chapters of the City of Orillia Municipal Code to align with the proposed model for the recapture of credit card merchant fees as outlined in the report.
- \$15,000 was approved for the purchase of a new truck with funds appropriated from the Downtown Orillia Management Board Reserve Fund. The Downtown Orillia Management Board was authorized to proceed with completing the purchase of a 2014 Chevrolet Silverado in the amount of \$18,000 plus applicable taxes. The Downtown Orillia Management Board was given consent to sign the sales agreement with Auto Choice Sales.
- Staff was authorized to direct Northern Lights Landscape Architecture to prepare the detailed design of the Centennial Park Boat Launch Area based on Layout Concept 2 as noted in report CPBLADWG-22-01, subject to the additional design considerations as set out in the report. The Centennial Park Boat Launch Area Design Working Group was disbanded.

The full agenda for the May 30 and June 6, 2022 meetings, which include the full detailed reports, is available on the City's website at orillia.ca.