



The Corporation of the Township of Perry

MINUTES

REGULAR MEETING

Wednesday, March 17th, 2021

7:00 p.m.

**Council Chambers and Electronic Attendance
(1695 Emsdale Road, Emsdale, ON)**

Any and all Minutes are to be considered Draft until approved by Council at a Regular Meeting of Council

In Attendance:

Council Chambers:

Mayor Norm Hofstetter
Beth Morton, Clerk-Administrator
Kim Seguin, Treasurer-Tax Collector

Electronic Attendance:

Councillors: Jim Cushman, Joe Lumley,
Margaret Ann MacPhail (*arrived at 8:03 p.m.*) and
Paul Sowrey

Staff: Mike Wilmon, Chief Building Official
Randy McLaren, Working Roads Supervisor

Members of the Public:

Yasmin Rosh, Elvy Moro, Tom Vinkovic

Declaration of Pecuniary Interest

None

Resolution No. 2021-97

Moved by: Joe Lumley

Seconded by: Paul Sowrey

Be it resolved that the Council of the Township of Perry approves the Minutes of the following Meeting(s) as presented:

- 3.1 Regular Meeting of Council on Wednesday, March 3rd, 2021
- 3.2 Public Zoning By-law Amendment Meeting on Wednesday, March 3rd, 2021 – Part of Lot 19, Concession 9, Township of Perry, designated as Parts 4 and 5 on Plan 42R-21563 located on Super Sign Road (Warren /Davey)

Carried

Item 4.1 Delegation – Recreational Vehicle Use (ATVs and Snowmobiles) on portion of OFSC D-Trail in Kearney (Fisher Lake Road and Woodland Lane)

Yasmin Rosh, Elvy Moro, Tom Vinkovic, Town of Kearney

Ms. Rosh, along with Mr. Moro and Mr. Vinkovic, presented the following information to Council:

- Residents, approximately 36, in the area of Fisher Lake Road, Patton Road, and Woodland Lane are concerned regarding the safety of pedestrians, animals, seniors, and users of ATV's and Snowmobilers along the portion of the OFSC D-Trail located on Patton Road/Woodland Lane/ Fisher Lake Road;
- Over the years, the risk of serious injuries, accidents, and property has escalated. Residents have tried to curb the risk by posting safety, volume, and speed signs, as well as requesting increased O.P.P. enforcement along this stretch of D-Trail with no avail;
- Speed and volume of ATVs and Snowmobiles the highest concern. Would require O.P.P. presence 24/7 to control this portion of the D-Trail;
- Must acknowledge the risk and collaborate with partners immediately to re-route this portion of the D-Trail;
- Residents are seeking to engage the Township of Perry and Town of Kearney to re-route this portion of the D-Trail in 2021;
- Ms. Rosh will be presenting to the Council of the Town of Kearney on April 1, 2021 regarding the same matter.

Mayor Hofstetter thanked the delegates for their delegation.

Mayor Hofstetter noted that as the former President of Muskoka Snowmobile Region he would gladly facilitate a meeting between Ms. Rosh and the OFSC organization to discuss this matter further. In addition, the Township of Perry will continue to communicate with the Town of Kearney on this matter.

Resolution No. 2021-98

Moved by: Jim Cushman

Seconded by: Paul Sowrey

Be it resolved that By-law No. 2021-21 "Being a By-law to amend By-law No. 2014-21, as amended, the Zoning By-law for the Township of Perry with respect to lands legally described as Part of Lot 19, Concession 9, in the Township of Perry, designated as Parts 4 and 5 on Plan 42R-21563" be given first and second reading.

Carried

Resolution No. 2021-99

Moved by: Paul Sowrey

Seconded by: Joe Lumley

Be it resolved that By-law No. 2021-21 "Being a By-law to amend By-law No. 2014-21, as amended, the Zoning By-law for the Township of Perry with respect to lands legally described as Part of Lot 19, Concession 9, in the Township of Perry, designated as Parts 4 and 5 on Plan 42R-21563" be given third and final reading and enacted in open Council.

Carried

Resolution No. 2021-100

Moved by: Joe Lumley

Seconded by: Jim Cushman

Be it resolved that By-law No. 2021-22 "Being a By-law to authorize the Corporation of the Township of Perry to enter into a Site Plan Agreement with Tadeusz Kostanecki and Christine Kostanecki on lands legally described as Part of

Lot 1, Concession 14, in the Township of Perry” be given first and second reading.
Carried

Resolution No. 2021-101

Moved by: Joe Lumley

Seconded by: Jim Cushman

Be it resolved that By-law No. 2021-22 “Being a By-law to authorize the Corporation of the Township of Perry to enter into a Site Plan Agreement with Tadeusz Kostanecki and Christine Kostanecki on lands legally described as Part of Lot 1, Concession 14, in the Township of Perry” be given third and final reading and enacted in open Council.

Carried

Resolution No. 2021-102

Moved by: Paul Sowrey

Seconded by: Jim Cushman

Be it resolved that By-law No. 2021-23 “Being a By-law to appoint a Treasurer-Tax Collector / Deputy Clerk” be given first and second reading.

Carried

Resolution No. 2021-103

Moved by: Paul Sowrey

Seconded by: Joe Lumley

Be it resolved that By-law No. 2021-23 “Being a By-law to appoint a Treasurer-Tax Collector / Deputy Clerk” be given third and final reading and enacted in open Council.

Carried

Resolution No. 2021-104

Moved by: Jim Cushman

Seconded by: Paul Sowrey

Be it resolved that By-law No. 2021-24 “Being a By-law for the Appointment of a Community Emergency Management Coordinator, and for the Appointment of an Alternate and Secondary Alternate Community Emergency Management Coordinators” be given first and second reading.

Carried

Resolution No. 2021-105

Moved by: Jim Cushman

Seconded by: Joe Lumley

Be it resolved that By-law No. 2021-24 “Being a By-law for the Appointment of a Community Emergency Management Coordinator, and for the Appointment of an Alternate and Secondary Alternate Community Emergency Management Coordinator” be given third and final reading and enacted in open Council.

Carried

Resolution No. 2021-106

Moved by: Joe Lumley

Seconded by: Paul Sowrey

Be it resolved that the Council of the Township of Perry hereby receive the March 17th, 2021 Health and Safety report from the Clerk-Administrator.

Carried

Resolution No. 2021-107

Moved by: Jim Cushman

Seconded by: Joe Lumley

Be it resolved that the Council of the Township of Perry hereby appoint the

following to be members on the Emergency Management Program Committee: Beth Morton, Kim Seguin, Mike Wilmon, Randy McLaren, Dan Marshall, Graham Stetler and Erica Cole;
And that Resolution No. 2019-485 is hereby rescinded.

Carried

Resolution No. 2021-108

Moved by: Paul Sowrey

Seconded by: Joe Lumley

Be it resolved that the Council of the Township of Perry hereby appoint the following to be members on the Emergency Management Control Group: Norm Hofstetter, Beth Morton, Kim Seguin, Erica Cole, Mike Wilmon, Randy McLaren, Dan Marshall and Graham Stetler;

And that Resolution No. 2019-486 is hereby rescinded.

Carried

Resolution No. 2021-109

Moved by: Paul Sowrey

Seconded by: Jim Cushman

Be it resolved that the Council of the Township of Perry hereby designates Erica Cole as its Emergency Information Officer, who will act as the primary media and public contact for the municipality in an emergency;

And that Resolution No. 2019-488 is hereby rescinded.

Carried

Resolution No. 2021-110

Moved by: Jim Cushman

Seconded by: Joe Lumley

Be it resolved that the Council of the Township of Perry approves the Angry Johnny's Scary Fast 200 Gravel Race Event to be held within the Gazebo area at the Almaguin Highlands Information Centre on August 14 & 15, 2021, following all COVID-19 protocols, and provided there are no disruptions for the local food vendor or to the public parking area.

Carried

Item 7.3 Project D.A.R.E. Briefing Note and Call to Action

Council discussed the Call to Action and directed the Clerk-Administrator to send a letter of support to MPP Norm Miller and all municipalities within the District of Parry Sound regarding Project D.A.R.E.

Item 7.4 AMO Policy Update – Municipal Councillor Code of Conduct Consultations

Council discussed the AMO Policy Update. No direction was made.

Item 7.5 Driftscape APP

Council discussed the Driftscape APP. Council directed that this item be deferred and be reconsidered in 2022 due to the pandemic.

Resolution No. 2021-111

Moved by: Paul Sowrey

Seconded by: Margaret Ann MacPhail

Be it resolved that the Council of the Township of Perry authorize the Fire Chief to negotiate the configuration of the Mini Pumper with Dependable Emergency Vehicles.

Carried

Resolution No. 2021-112

Moved by: Margaret Ann MacPhail

Seconded by: Joe Lumley

Be it resolved that the Council direct the Clerk-Administrator to draft a letter to MP Aitchison, Minister Qualtrough and Minister Freeland urging them to have funding restored to support the Centre for Equitable Library Access's development and distribution of accessible books.

Carried

Resolution No. 2021-113

Moved by: Jim Cushman

Seconded by: Paul Sowrey

Be it resolved that the Council of the Township of Perry hereby receives Correspondence Items 8.1 to 8.11 as outlined in the Agenda of March 17th, 2021.

Carried

The Meeting adjourned at approximately 8:23 p.m.

Dated this 7th day of April, 2021.

Originally Signed by Norm Hofstetter

Norm Hofstetter, *Mayor*

Originally Signed by Beth Morton

Beth Morton, *Clerk-Administrator*