CORPORATION OF THE TOWN OF DESERONTO

SPECIAL MEETING - MINUTES

April 4, 2019 - 5:30 P.M. - DESERONTO TOWN HALL

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ATTENDANCE:

Mayor

D. Johnston

Deputy Mayor

S. Everhardus

Councillors

N. Clark A. Hudson

K. Smith

CAO /Clerk-Treasurer

C. Martin

Deputy Clerk

G. Maracle

- 1. CALL TO ORDER Mayor Johnston called the meeting to order at 5:35 pm.
- 2. APPROVAL OF AGENDA

Resolution 10-19-01

Moved by: S. Everhardus Seconded by: K. Smith

THAT the agenda for the April 4th, 2019 Special Council meeting be approved.

CARRIED

- 3. DISCLOSURE OF PECUNIARY INTEREST None noted
- 4. 2019 BUDGET & FINANCE DISCUSSIONS

Mayor Johnston turned the meeting over to the CAO.

- C. Martin advised that she had made reductions in the budget and brought it down to approximately a 3 percent increase. She outlined the changes that she had made. She also reviewed the Reserves and Grants & Funding with Council.
- C. Martin advised that College Street does not fit within the funding parameters now. She has worked the \$439,000. College Street project into the budget for 2019 by the Water Department covering \$130,000 in water main funding and the balance coming from OCIF (\$150,000.) and Gas Tax (\$209,000.) It was decided that Greer Galloway should make an application for funding for Dundas Street.

There was discussion that it appears there will be surplus funds from the Water Plant upgrade that could be used to build a new Roads Department office/garage. Council authorized that a request be submitted to get permission to build the garage.

Hospice Quint's request for funding was discussed. At this time it was felt that the Town could not make a commitment. Mayor Johnston will make an enquiry to see if a donation is being made at the County level.

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Resolution 10-19-02

Moved by: S. Everhardus Seconded by: K. Smith

THAT Hospice Quinte's request be received and filed; AND FURTHER THAT Hospice Quinte be notified that Deseronto can not make a commitment this year, but the matter will be revisited next year.

CARRIED

5. BY-LAW TO CONFIRM THE PROCEEDINGS OF COUNCIL

15.1 By-law to confirm proceedings

RESOLUTION 10-19-03

Moved by: S. Everhardus Seconded by: K. Smith

THAT by-law 26-19, being a bylaw to confirm the proceedings of the Council meeting held on April 4, 2019, be read a first, second and third time and finally passed this 4th day of April 2019.

CARRIED

5. MOTION TO ADJOURN

Resolution 10-19-04

Moved by: S. Everhardus

Seconded by:

THAT the April 4th, 2019 meeting of Council be adjourned

MAYOR, Dan Johnston

CAO, Christine Martin