

TOWN OF FORT FRANCES

AGENDA - October 9, 2012

MEETING - Council Chambers , Civic Centre

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COUNCIL MEETING

(Session No. 55) 6:25 p.m. to 6:45 p.m.

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*** Previously distributed to Council**

**** Can be viewed by contacting the Clerk**

Friends of the Fort Frances Museum
259 Scott Street
Fort Frances, ON
P9A 1G8



September 28, 2012

Dear mayor and council,

The Friends of the Fort Frances Museum would appreciate your attendance at a fall soirée and fundraiser gala on Thursday, Nov. 1 at the Fort Frances Museum.

The gala, which will take place from 6:30-9:30 that evening, will be a fun event featuring a silent auction with art donated by talented local artists, live music by the Borderland Ensemble, some games, and socializing with wine, cheese, and hors d'oeuvres.

The evening will include the unveiling of two new pieces at the museum. The first is an original painting by late prominent Aboriginal Canadian artist Norval Morrisseau, who is known as the "Picasso of the North." This noteworthy addition to the museum's collection was generously donated to the museum by a local resident and great care and expense has been taken to prepare it for permanent display at our local museum.

The second highlight of the evening will be a first public look at the completed Community Arts and Heritage Project, "What Hooks You Here"? First conceived by community members nearly three years ago, this rug hooking project has been worked on by many hands since then, including mayor and council. Now that it is complete, it will be on display at the museum for all to see—an inspiring example of what a community can do when its members come together to work on an arts project.

The event also coincides with two exhibits by two local artists, Lindsay Joy Hamilton and Jean Richards, and will be the perfect opportunity for yourselves and the rest of the public to see just a fraction of the wealth of talent we have in our community in a wonderful venue.

Friends of the Museum is a new non-profit group of volunteers who for the past

year have been raising funds to help pay for "extras" at the museum which go beyond its annual operating budget.

Our aim is to help the museum provide more programming for residents, especially children, as well as make capital purchases, such as a digital message board for the museum exterior, all of which will help draw more people to the museum and utilize it to its greatest potential as a valuable community resource.

So far, our fundraising has consisted of bake sales and rummage sales, but we are planning on the fall soirée being a major boost for Friends of the Museum, both as a fundraiser and to let people know who we are and what we're about. Who knows—it might become an annual event to mark on your calendars?

As part of the fundraising, we are selling tickets to attend this soirée. Tickets cost \$35 each. The food will be fantastic, the wine carefully selected, and the evening entertainment and activities will be lots of fun.

Friends of the Museum encourages mayor and council to buy tickets, grab their spouses, put on their glad rags, and attend this fundraiser.

This event is open to the public and everyone is encouraged to buy tickets and attend.

Tickets are available at the Fort Frances Museum and the Fort Frances Times. You also can reserve them by calling Sherry George at 274-7891. Only a limited number of tickets are available.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in dark ink, appearing to read 'Duane Hicks', written in a cursive style.

Duane Hicks

President,

Fort Frances Friends of the Museum

REPORT TO: Mayor and Council
FROM: G. Treftlin
SUBJECT: Town of Fort Frances
Council Meeting - Monday, October 9, 2010
Consent Agenda Items

1. Items referred from Committee of the Whole:
See individual reports.
2. Break Open Ticket Licence Application from LaVerendrye General Hospital Auxiliary at Sunset Schmiddy's for the period November 2, 2012 to April 30, 2013.
 - licence will be processed in conformance to provincial regulations and rules.
2. Request dated September 27, 2012 from Resident of Green Manor re: Reserved Parking Spaces.
 - will be referred to Planning and Development Executive Committee for recommendation.
3. Budget request dated October 1, 2012 from M. Ahrens re: Need for Tree Replacement.
 - will be referred to the 2013 Budget Process.
4. Budget request dated September 24, 2012 from J. Steinke re: Assessment of Conditions of the Sewer Catch Basins.
 - will be referred to the 2013 Budget Process.
5. Request dated October 1, 2012 from Royal Canadian Legion, Fort Frances Branch 29 re: Proclaiming November 5th to 11th, 2012 as "Poppy Week" in the Town of Fort Frances.
 - requester will be advised of Council's proclamation.



GT/kl

October 4, 2012





La Verendrye General Hospital Auxiliary
c/o Jim McQuarrie
204-611 Nelson Street
Fort Frances ON P9A 1B6

September 21, 2012

Mr. Glenn Treftlin, Clerk
Town of Fort Frances
320 Portage Avenue
Fort Frances ON P9A 3P9

Dear Sir:

Re: Lottery Licence Application

Enclosed please find La Verendrye General Hospital Auxiliary's application to re-new the Break Open Ticket Licence at Sunset Schmiddy's for the period November 2, 2012 to April 30, 2013.

Also enclosed is a sample ticket, a budget for the period, and a cheque for \$1404.90 to cover the licence fee.

Yours truly


J.D. McQuarrie

(274-4585)



**Alcohol and Gaming
Commission of Ontario**
Gaming Registration & Lotteries
90 Sheppard Ave. East, Suite 200
Toronto ON M2N 0A4
(416) 326-8700 or/ou 1-800-522-2876 toll free in Ontario/sans frais en Ontario

**Commission des alcools
et des jeux de l'Ontario**
Inscription pour les jeux et loteries
90, avenue Sheppard Est, bureau 200
Toronto ON M2N 0A4

Break Open Ticket Licence Application Demande de licence de billets à fenêtres

Please print or type / Dactylographier ou écrire l'information en lettres moulées

1. Previous Lottery Licence / Licence antérieure d'activité de jeu à des fins de bienfaisance Has your organization ever applied for a charitable lottery licence? / Votre organisme a-t-il déjà fait une demande de licence de loterie à des fins de bienfaisance?				FOR OFFICE USE ONLY / RÉSERVÉ À L'USAGE INTERNE :	
<input type="checkbox"/> No / Non		If Yes / Si oui : What is the most recent licence number issued by: / Quel est le numéro de licence le plus récent qui a été émis en votre nom, et par qui :		AGCO/CAJO : 538394 Municipality / Municipalité :	
Have you had lottery licences cancelled or suspended in any jurisdiction in the last 2 years? / Est-ce que des licences de loterie émises en votre nom ont été annulées ou suspendues au cours des deux dernières années et ce, dans n'importe quel territoire de compétence?					
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> No / Non		<input type="checkbox"/> Yes / Oui If Yes, provide details on a separate sheet. / Dans l'affirmative, donnez les détails sur une feuille jointe.			
2. Information on organization/ Renseignements sur l'organisme a) Incorporated or legal name / Dénomination sociale LA VERENDRYE GENERAL HOSPITAL AUXILIARY				Group Identification Number (if applicable) / Numéro d'identification de l'organisme (le cas échéant).	
Street Number / Numéro 110	Street Name / Rue VICTORIA		Street Type / Type de rue AVENUE		Street direction / Direction de la rue
Suite, Floor / Bureau, étage	Lot, Concession, Rural Route / Lot, concession, route rurale		City / Ville FORT FRANCES		
Province, state / Province, État ONTARIO			Country / Pays CANADA		Postal Code, Zip Code / Code postal P 9 A 2 B 7
Telephone No. / N° de téléphone (807) 274-4585		Extension / Poste	Fax no. / Télécopieur (807) 274-2898		Email / Courriel jam-mar@shaw.ca

Mailing Address (if different) / Adresse postale (si différente)

Street Number / Numéro 611	Street Name / Rue NELSON		Street Type / Type de rue STREET		Street direction / Direction de la rue
Suite, Floor / Bureau, étage 204	Lot, Concession, Rural Route / Lot, concession, route rurale		City / Ville FORT FRANCES		
Province, state / Province, État ONTARIO			Country / Pays CANADA		Postal Code, Zip Code / Code postal P 9 A 1 B 6
b) Is your organization incorporated? / Votre organisme est-il constitué en société? <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> No / Non <input type="checkbox"/> If Yes / Si oui : Incorporation number / Numéro de corporation : Jurisdiction of incorporation / Compétence de constitution :					
c) Is your organization registered as a Charitable Organization with the Canada Revenue Agency? / Votre organisme est-il inscrit en tant qu'organisme de bienfaisance auprès de l'Agence du revenu du Canada? <input type="checkbox"/> No / Non <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> If Yes / Si oui : Canada Revenue Agency Number / Numéro d'inscription de l'Agence du revenu du Canada ▶ 0 0 3 6 9 5 2 0 1 9					
d) How long has your organization existed? / Depuis combien de temps votre organisme existe-t-il? 60 Years / Années					
What is the financial year end of your organization? / Quelle est la date de clôture de votre exercice?				MM/MM DD/JJ 0 3 3 1	

3. Affiliates/Affiliations

a) Is your organization a Hall Charities Association conducting lottery events in a bingo centre **not** operating under the bingo revenue model? / Votre organisme est-il une association d'organismes de bienfaisance organisant des loteries dans un centre de bingo n'exerçant pas ses activités selon le modèle de recettes de bingo?

☐ Yes / Oui ☒ No / Non

b) Is your organization affiliated with any corporations or organizations that hold lottery licences? / Votre organisme est-il affilié à d'autres sociétés ou organismes qui détiennent des licences de loterie?

☐ Yes / Oui ☒ No / Non

If Yes: List the legal names: / Si oui: Donnez-en la dénomination sociale:

i)

ii)

4. Use of net proceeds/ Utilisation des produits nets

(Attach separate sheet if necessary / Utilisez au besoin une feuille distincte.)

What will the money raised from this event be used for? (List specific programs or services for which funds will be used.)

À quoi serviront les fonds générés par cette activité de loterie? (Nommez des programmes ou services précis pour lesquels les fonds seront utilisés)

a) PURCHASE DIGITAL MAMMOGRAPHY EQUIPMENT

d)

b)

e)

c)

f)

5. Ticket Sales / Vente de billets

For what period of time are you requesting a licence / Pour quelle période de temps demandez-vous une licence?

(please note that the maximum length of a licence period cannot exceed 5 years)

(Veuillez noter que la durée maximum d'une licence est de cinq ans)

From: / De: YY/AA MM/MM DD/JJ To: / Au: YY/AA MM/MM DD/JJ
1 2 1 1 0 2 1 3 0 4 3 0

6. Location of Ticket Sales — Answer one of the following Sections /

Endroit où les billets seront vendus — Veuillez remplir l'une des sections suivantes :

a) Will Break Open Tickets be sold at a third party retail location? / Les billets à fenêtres seront-ils vendus à un emplacement de vente au détail?

☒ If Yes / Si Oui

Name of Retail Location / Location / Nom de l'empl.:

Street Address / Adresse municipale:

☐ No/Non

SUNSET SCHMIDDY'S

256 SCOTT STREET

City / Ville

FORT FRANCES

Province

ONTARIO

Postal Code / Code postal

P 9 A 1 G 7 (807) 274-3761

Telephone number / Numéro de téléphone

Gaming Control Act Registration number / Numéro d'inscription en vertu de la Loi sur la réglementation des jeux:

0 0 1 7 3 3 2 3

Expiry Date / Date d'expiration

YY/AA MM/MM DD/JJ

1 3 0 4 1 2

Provide reason if location is not registered / Indiquer la raison pour laquelle l'endroit n'est pas inscrit

b) Will Break Open Tickets be sold at a bingo hall? / Les billets à fenêtres seront-ils vendus dans une salle de bingo?

☐ If Yes / Si Oui

Name of Bingo Hall / Nom de la salle:

Street Address / Adresse municipale:

☒ No/Non

City / Ville

Province

Postal Code / Code postal

Telephone number / Numéro de téléphone

Gaming Control Act Registration number / Numéro d'inscription en vertu de la Loi sur la réglementation des jeux:

Expiry Date /

Date

d'expiration:

YY/AA

MM/MM

DD/JJ

Provide reason if location is not registered / Indiquer la raison pour laquelle l'endroit n'est pas inscrit

c) Will Break Open Tickets be sold at a location exempt from registration under the Gaming Control Act 1992? / Les billets à fenêtres seront-ils vendus au locale dispenser de l'inscription aux termes de la Loi 1992 sur la réglementation des jeux?

☐ If Yes/ Si Oui ☒ No/Non

Name of location / Nom de l'endroit : _____ Street Address/ Adresse municipale : _____

City / Ville _____ Province _____ Postal Code / Code postal _____ Telephone number / Numéro de téléphone _____ ()

Provide reason why location is not registered / Indiquer la raison pour laquelle l'endroit n'est pas inscrit

d) Will Break Open Tickets be sold at a Fair or Exhibition? / Les billets à fenêtres seront-ils vendus lors d'une foire ou d'une exposition?

☐ If Yes/ Si Oui ☒ No/Non

Name of Fair or Exhibition / Foire ou expos. : _____ Street Address/ Adresse municipale : _____

City / Ville _____ Province _____ Postal Code / Code postal _____ Telephone number / Numéro de téléphone _____ ()

Start date: / YY/AA MM/MM DD/JJ End date: / YY/AA MM/MM DD/JJ
Date du début : → Date de la fin : →

e) Will Break Open Tickets be sold at another Gaming Event (e.g. Social Gaming Event)? / Les billets à fenêtres seront-ils vendus lors d'une autre activité de jeu (p. ex., activité de jeu sociale)?

☐ If Yes/ Si Oui ☒ No/Non

Name of Gaming Event / Nom de l'activité : _____ Street Address/ Adresse municipale : _____

City / Ville _____ Province _____ Postal Code / Code postal _____ Telephone number / Numéro de téléphone _____ ()

Start date: / YY/AA MM/MM DD/JJ End date: / YY/AA MM/MM DD/JJ
Date du début : → Date de la fin : →

7. Details of Event & Licence Fee / Détails sur l'activité et les droits de licence			Do not complete sections f & g if licence fee is determined at time that report is submitted and based on # of tickets sold. / Ne remplissez pas les sections f et g si les droits de licence sont calculés au moment de la soumission du rapport et en fonction du nombre de billets vendus.			
(a) Ticket Type/ Genre de billets	(b) Total Ticket Sale Value/Deal (gross wager) Valeur totale de la vente de billets/tranche (mises brutes)	(c) Sales Currency / Devise de la vente	(d) Total Prizes/ Deal \$ / Prix totaux/tranche \$	(e) Total Number of Deals / Nombre total de tranches	(f) Licence Fee % (if applicable) Droits de licence % (if applicable/s'il y a lieu)	(g) Licence Fee \$ / Droits de licence \$ *
BN1	\$1,680.00	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Can <input type="checkbox"/> US	\$1,115.00	42	3%	\$1,404.90
		<input type="checkbox"/> Can <input type="checkbox"/> US				
		<input type="checkbox"/> Can <input type="checkbox"/> US				
		<input type="checkbox"/> Can <input type="checkbox"/> US				
		<input type="checkbox"/> Can <input type="checkbox"/> US				
Total Amount Due / Montant total exigible :						\$1,404.90

*** Licence Fee Calculation:** Multiply total prizes/deal by total number of deals. Multiply that number by the percentage licence fee. If licence fee is a set dollar amount provide the dollar amount of the licence fee, but do not perform the calculation.

*** Calcul des droits de licence :** Multiplier les prix totaux/tranche par le nombre total de tranches. Multiplier ce nombre par le pourcentage des droits de licence. Si les droits de licence sont un montant fixe en dollars, indiquer le montant en dollars des droits de licence, mais ne faites pas le calcul.

8. Gaming Supplier information / Renseignements sur les fournisseurs

Name of Break Open Ticket Manufacturer / Nom du fabricant des billets à fenêtres

ARROW GAMES CORPORATION

Name of Break Open Ticket Manufacturer / Nom du fabricant des billets à fenêtres

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b) Will Break Open Tickets be supplied by a Gaming Equipment Supplier? / Obtiendrez-vous vos billets à fenêtres d'un fournisseur de matériel relatif de jeu?☒ If Yes/ Si Oui ►

Name of Gaming Equipment Supplier / Nom du fournisseur :

GCA Registration Number / Numéro d'inscription en vertu de la Loi

☐ No / Non

ARROW GAMES CORPORATION

0 0 1 2 6 7 6 4

(Please provide information for all Services Suppliers) / (Veuillez fournir les renseignements pour tous les fournisseurs de services relatifs au jeu)

Name of Gaming Equipment Supplier / Nom du fournisseur

GCA Registration Number / Numéro d'inscription en vertu de la Loi

c) Will you be using bingo hall services and employees to assist with the sale of Break Open Tickets? /**Aurez-vous recours aux services et aux employés de la salle de bingo pour la vente des billets à fenêtres?**☐ Yes /
Oui☒ No /
Non**d) Will you be using the services of a Gaming Services Supplier to assist with the sale of break open tickets? / Aurez-vous recours aux services d'un fournisseur de services relatifs au jeu pour la vente de billets à fenêtres?**☐ If Yes/ Si Oui ►

Name of Gaming Services Supplier / Nom du fournisseur

GCA Registration Number / Numéro d'inscription en vertu de la Loi

☒ No / Non

(Please provide information for all Services Suppliers) / (Veuillez fournir les renseignements pour tous les fournisseurs de services relatifs au jeu)

Name of Gaming Services Supplier / Nom du fournisseur :

GCA Registration Number / Numéro d'inscription en vertu de la Loi

9. Break Open Ticket Dispenser / Distributeur de billets à fenêtres

Will you be selling Break Open Tickets from a transparent container/Break Open Ticket Dispenser or compartment of a transparent container or Break Open Ticket Dispenser that is electrical or mechanical? / Vendrez-vous des billets à fenêtres à partir d'un contenant transparent/distributeur de billets à fenêtres ou d'un compartiment d'un contenant transparent/distributeur de billets à fenêtres qui est électrique ou mécanique?

☒ Yes /
Oui☐ No /
Non

Name of Gaming Equipment Supplier / Nom du fabricant de matériel de jeu :

GCA Registration Number / Numéro d'inscription en vertu de la Loi

ARROW GAMES CORPORATION

0 0 1 2 6 7 6 4

10. Lottery trust account / Compte de loterie en fiducie désigné

Name of Financial Institution where lottery funds are held / Nom de l'établissement financier où se trouve l'argent

Account number / Numéro de compte

CANADIAN IMPERIAL BANK OF COMMERCE

5410614

Address / Adresse

SCOTT AND MOWAT BRANCH

City / Ville

FORT FRANCES, ONTARIO

11. Declaration / Déclaration

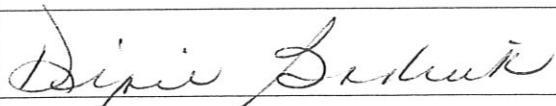

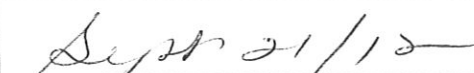
We, the undersigned, declare that:

- We are Bona Fide Members of this organization;
- We have no conflict of interest with the gaming event and are **NOT** receiving remuneration directly or indirectly from the event;
- We have been authorized to make this licence application on behalf of the organization;
- We have read, understand and agree to comply with all **Break Open Ticket Licence Terms and Conditions**;
- We agree to be responsible for the conduct and management of the Break Open Ticket Lottery including services provided by Gaming Suppliers;
- All answers provided in this **Licence Application**, as well as all the information contained in the documents and materials submitted with it, are true and complete;
- We agree to be responsible for ensuring that there are no contraventions of the law, including the **Criminal Code of Canada**, the **Gaming Control Act, 1992** and **Regulations** and **Ontario Order In Council 1413/2008**;
- We understand that failure to fulfill these responsibilities is cause for denial of applications, cancellation or suspension of licences and may result in civil liability for and criminal prosecution of the Principal Officer, Designated Member In Charge and organization.

Nous soussignés, déclarons ce qui suit :

- Nous sommes des membres véritables de cet organisme.
- Nous ne sommes pas en situation de conflit d'intérêt en rapport à cette activité et nous **NE SOMMES PAS** rémunérés de façon directe ou indirecte pour cette activité.
- Nous avons obtenu l'autorisation de présenter cette demande de licence au nom de l'organisme.
- Nous avons lu et comprenons bien les **Modalités régissant la licence de billets à fenêtres** et nous acceptons de les respecter.
- Nous convenons d'assumer la responsabilité de la mise en œuvre et de l'administration de la loterie de billets à fenêtres, y compris les services dispensés par les fournisseurs.
- Toutes les réponses données dans cette demande de licence, ainsi que les renseignements indiqués dans les documents et le matériel ci-joints sont exacts et complets.
- Nous convenons de veiller à ce qu'il n'y ait pas d'infraction à la loi, y compris le **Code criminel du Canada**, la **Loi de 1992 sur la réglementation des jeux** et ses règlements ainsi que le **décret de l'Ontario 1413/2008**.
- Nous comprenons qu'un manquement à ces responsabilités risque d'entraîner le refus des demandes, l'annulation ou la suspension des licences et peut donner lieu à des poursuites en responsabilité civile et des poursuites criminelles envers la dirigeante ou le dirigeant principal, le membre désigné responsable et l'organisme.

We have read and understand the entire Declaration above /
Nous avons lu et comprenons bien toute cette déclaration.

Principal Officer / Dirigeant(e) principal		Designated Member In Charge / Membre désigné responsable
	Signature	
DIXIE BADIUK	Print name in full Nom au complet en caractères d'imprimerie	JAMES D MCQUARRIE
DIRECTOR	Title / Titre	CHAIRMAN
(807) 2 7 4 9 7 4 0	Individual's telephone number N° de téléphone	(807) 2 7 4 4 5 8 5
	Date of signing Date de signature	Sept 21, 2012

To The Mayor & Council
members



Sept. 27, 2012
AGENDA ITEM #3.4

Dear Folks

I'm writing this letter on behalf of us tenants
at Green Manor.

This is in regards to the road in front of
Green Manor, Sherlin Ave.

Would it be possible to have a couple of signs put
up for us to reserve space just for us.

This would enable the Medi Van, Ambulance
or vehicles to pick us up or drop us off
in front of the sidewalk that leads out to
road. With ample space to pull up without
any interference with other vehicles parking there.

Now with winter approaching us its harder
yet with snow banks.

There is a lot of traffic on this road
(Avenue) and no sidewalks so going straight
out from the front door to the Reserved parking
space would be much safer and harder.

Thank you

yours truly

Ruth Vivian Olson

you can contact me by phone 274-4380

or Freda Quill - 274-6554

or write me Vivian Olson

Apt 207 - 901 Sherlin Ave

Fort Frances Ont. P9A 3P2.



Kathy Lawson/Frances

01/10/2012 04:26 PM

To

cc

bcc

Subject Fw: Need for Tree Replacement



Merv Ahrens

<mlahrens@sympatico.ca>

01/10/2012 02:14 PM

To <gtreftlin@fort-frances.com>

cc

Subject Need for Tree Replacement

Hello Glen,

Unfortunately I was out of town when the public had a chance for input into the 2013 town budget. That night I was in Minnedosa, MB hearing about the "Communities in Bloom" program that works to beautify towns and cities across Canada.

I believe the town needs to establish a budget that will ensure that our streets, parks and cemeteries are able to plant quality trees to replace those that have been removed because of numerous reasons. (Eg. In the last 8 years since moving to FF, I have witnessed the removal and non-replacement of at least a half dozen, large significant shade trees in the FF Cemetery, Legion Park, & adjacent West End Sports Field.) I have subsequently had a long chat with Doug Brown about the same.

Please advise how the above concern might become part of the 2013 budgeting process.

Thank you for considering this request.

Sincerely

Merv Ahrens

To: Mayor
& Councillors

Town of Port Frances



John Steinke
1121 Nelson St.
Port Frances
Sept 24 2012

Re: Budget Considerations

Please include an amount for assessment of conditions of the storm sewer catch basins, their ineffective condition to drain the water off the streets of Minnie Avenue, 1000 block of Nelson Street and 900 block of Front Street. At present your staff has erected danger barricades on Minnie Ave. on the holes and dips resulting in or on the road damage. It is almost a year and the situation will only get worse if it remains unattended.

Thank you

John Steinke



FORT FRANCES BRANCH 29, MANITOBA AND NORTHWESTERN
ONTARIO COMMAND

The Royal Canadian Legion

Box 819, 250 Church Street
Fort Frances, ON
P9A 3N1

Office Phone 807-274-0129 Lounge Phone 807-274-5462
Kitchen Phone 807-274-3772 Fax # 807-274-6740

AGENDA ITEM #3.7

Comrade Norris Piccinato
PRESIDENT



Jennifer Soderholm
OFFICE MANAGER

October 1, 2012

Town of Fort Frances
320 Portage Ave.
Fort Frances, ON
P9A 3P9

RE: PROCLAMATION REQUEST

Dear Mr. Treftlin:

I am writing on behalf of the Fort Frances Royal Canadian Legion in regard to Poppy Week. As November 11th approaches, we at the Legion begin our preparation of poppy selling and cenotaph activities.

In honour of our Legion, the week of November 5th – 11th has been designated "Poppy Week" and we were hoping the Town would make a proclamation in the paper as well as a photo shoot to make it public.

We are also asking permission from the Town to sell poppies on the corners of Scott Street with the permission of the businesses to do so.

Please feel free to contact me if you have any questions. I can be reached at 274 0129 or at rcl29@bellnet.ca. We thank you in advance for your consideration of this matter.

Sincerely,

Jennifer Soderholm
Office Manager

TOWN OF FORT FRANCES

BY-LAW No. 48/11-A

(Being a by-law to approve a renewal agreement as amended with Stewardship Ontario for shared responsibility for Municipal Hazardous or Special Waste Management– the Waste Diversion Act, 2002, S.O. 2002, c.6 and the Municipal Act, 2001, S.O. 2001, c.25, s. 8 and s. 11.)

WHEREAS on July 11th, 2011, Council enacted By-Law No. 48/11 to approve an agreement with Stewardship Ontario with respect to Municipal Hazardous or Special Waste Management,

AND WHEREAS on October 9th, 2012, Council approved a recommendation from the Operations and Facilities Executive Committee to enter into a renewal agreement as amended with Stewardship Ontario with respect to Municipal Hazardous or Special Waste Management.

NOW THEREFORE Council for the Corporation of the Town of Fort Frances
HEREBY ENACTS as follows:

1. That the amending agreement in the form attached hereto as Schedule “A” with Stewardship Ontario be approved for the Mayor and Clerk to sign and affix the Corporate Seal thereto.

This by-law shall come into force and take effect on the final passing thereof.

READ THREE TIMES and finally passed in open Council this 9th day of October 2012.

TOWN OF FORT FRANCES

BY-LAW NO. 41/12

(Being a by-law to approve an agreement with Mark Nagant for operation of concessions in the Memorial Sports Centre - the *Municipal Act, 2001*, S.O. 2001, c. 25, section 8.)

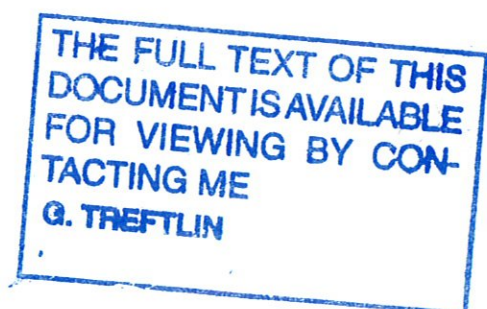
WHEREAS on June 25th, 2012, Council approved a recommendation from the Community Services Executive Committee to enter into an agreement for the operation of concessions in the Memorial Sports Centre.

NOW THEREFORE Council for the Corporation of the Town of Fort Frances HEREBY ENACTS as follows:

1. That the agreement dated September 1st, 2012 with Mark Nagant in the form of Schedule "A" attached hereto and forming part of this by-law be approved for the Mayor and Clerk to sign and affix the Corporate Seal thereto.

This by-law shall come into force and take effect on the final passing thereof.

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Kathy Lawson/Frances
02/10/2012 04:39 PM

To
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Subject AMO breaking news re arbitration reform

Hi Kathy:

Let's place this on the Council agenda under new items.

Glenn

TO THE IMMEDIATE ATTENTION OF THE CLERK AND COUNCIL

October 2, 2012

Municipalities are Counting on the Legislature to Get Arbitration Reform Right

For many years, AMO and its members have sought changes to interest arbitration that would improve accountability and transparency for municipal taxpayers, employees and employers alike. A long track record of evidence backs up AMO's view that Ontario's current system is unbalanced and unresponsive to legitimate taxpayer concerns.

Better processes, such as timely and written reasons for decisions, and more clearly defined criteria for the arbitrator's consideration, are needed to ensure that arbitrated settlements are fair, balanced, transparent and accountable. It is particularly important that settlements are affordable and appropriate for individual communities.

There is broad recognition across the Ontario Legislature that arbitration reform is needed. The government and the Official Opposition have both proposed changes to our current arbitration system. Municipalities finally have an opportunity to get the changes that we need, provided that we are consulted with. In particular, municipalities have an interest in making sure that appropriate criteria will guide an arbitrator's review of a municipality's ability to pay a given settlement.

On September 28, AMO's Board directed staff to work with external legal counsel, Hicks Morley, and the Emergency Services Steering Committee (ESSC) develop any necessary changes to advance municipal interests and report back soon to the AMO Executive and Board with recommendations.

In the meantime, AMO would encourage municipal councils to consider the Township of Scugog's recent resolution on this matter. Local councils are encouraged to either support it, or to use it as a basis for its own resolution.

It is essential that broad support for arbitration reform is translated into prudent legislation. Through consultation with AMO, Ontario's municipalities will have an opportunity to make sure

the legislation achieves its intended outcomes. We have important expertise to share, particularly around ability to pay criteria, and it is essential that the Ontario Legislature get this legislation right. Ontario communities cannot afford the consequences of getting it wrong.

If your council does pass a similar resolution, please forward it to AMO so that we can share with all political parties at the Ontario Legislature.

"Whereas, the _____ is pleased that both the Liberal government and the PC party have kept the issue of interest arbitration reform at the forefront of major policy discussions;

And Whereas, the _____ supports the overall intention of interest arbitration reform;

And Whereas, a preliminary review indicates that there appears to be room for improvement in both pieces of draft legislation before the legislature;

And Whereas, the _____ trusts that through further consultation these issues can be resolved;

And Whereas, the _____ is aware that AMO and the Emergency Services Steering Committee are reviewing these issues and look forward to further discussion and input;

Now Therefore, the _____ requests that the legislature will work collectively in the best interest of Ontario municipalities and Ontario taxpayers on this important issue of interest arbitration reform."

AMO Contact: Monika Turner, Director of Policy, MTurner@amo.on.ca or [416-971-9856 Ext. 318](tel:416-971-9856).

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Subject AMO breaking news re Ontario Government Announces
Compensation Related Freeze

TO THE IMMEDIATE ATTENTION OF THE CLERK AND COUNCIL

September 20, 2012

Ontario Government Announces Compensation Related Freeze

Issue: AMO has confirmed that today's announcement exempts municipal government and local boards.

Background:

Today, Ministry of Finance announced a proposed cap on compensation for its executives and to put in place a two-year pay freeze for managers who are eligible for performance pay. Managers across the Ontario Public Service (OPS) would see a three-year freeze.

These measures apply to the Ontario Public Service, government agencies and the broader public sector. Municipalities and local boards are excluded from the scope of the announced measures.

For more information, please see the [announcement](#). Municipal and local board exclusion is noted under 'Quick Facts'.

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Capping Executive Compensation and Freezing Pay for Public Sector Managers

September 20, 2012 2:00 PM

McGuinty Government Taking Strong Action to Control Spending, Eliminate Deficit

Ontario is proposing to cap compensation for its executives and put in place a two-year pay freeze for managers who are eligible for performance pay. Managers across the Ontario Public Service (OPS) would see a three-year freeze.

These measures are being introduced because the government believes everyone has to do their share to help eliminate the deficit. Ontario has already asked some of its partners, like teachers and doctors, to take a two-year pay freeze.

Under the plan, executive pay would be permanently capped at no more than double the Premier's salary -- \$418,000 per year. Public sector managers would not earn any more money for the next two years than they did last year. The amounts shown on T4 slips would not be able to increase, except under special circumstances such as a mother returning from maternity leave. The freeze would also decrease future pension expenses.

The McGuinty government is taking strong action to achieve its fiscal targets by reducing costs while protecting front-line services. This announcement builds on the restraint initiatives that the government has implemented since 2008.

QUICK FACTS

- Compensation costs account for the majority of Ontario-funded program spending, either paid directly through the OPS or as part of the government's transfer payments to universities, hospitals and other public-sector partners.

- The proposed freeze on compensation for managers in the OPS would save the government approximately \$12 million this year.
- To eliminate the deficit while protecting the health and education services families most rely on, the McGuinty government's plan requires strong management of current and future compensation costs, including wages, benefits and pensions.
- These measures apply to the Ontario Public Service, government agencies and the broader public sector. Municipalities and local boards would be excluded from the scope of the announced measures.
- The 2011-12 Public Accounts revealed that the province's results for the 2011-12 fiscal year were \$3.3 billion ahead of the plan projected in the 2011 Budget. This marks the third consecutive year in which the province has improved on its fiscal projections.

LEARN MORE

- Read a Long Term Plan for Public Sector Compensation
- Read how the McGuinty government remains on track to eliminate the deficit by 2017-18.
- Read the 2012 Ontario Budget.
- Read the Addendum to the 2012 Ontario Budget: Report on Expense Management Measures

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"The McGuinty government respects the hard work of our public sector employees. These measures are necessary to help us meet our fiscal targets and we are asking everyone to do their share. More than half of government costs go to wages and benefits — this pay freeze would help us protect public services and jobs."

– Dwight Duncan
Minster of Finance

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September 27, 2012

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- Ontario West Municipal Conference registration now available.
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- Save on your personal home/auto insurance with LAS.
- OMKN features new municipal management practices.
- 2011 Financial Information Returns now available on MIDAS.
- Career opportunities with the City of Brantford and the Ontario Public Service.

AMO Matters

AMO is looking for practical ideas on how to improve provincial program delivery and create savings for municipalities. We think that There's got to be a Better Way.

Provincial Matters

The Minister of Infrastructure, Bob Chiarelli, announced the first phase of the Municipal Infrastructure Strategy, including \$8.25 million for asset management by small, rural and Northern municipalities. To access this funding, municipalities must apply by October 22nd, 2012.

Eye on AMO/LAS Events

How will Ontario seniors affect the cost of health care and infrastructure now and into the future? Discover the implications and how your municipality can prepare for the 4.1 million Ontarians that will be over 65 by 2036 at the 2012 Counties, Regions and Single Tier Symposium - Oct 25 & 26, Blue Mountain.

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What we do today impacts tomorrow. Sessions at the 2012 Connections Energy Symposium look to Spark Change. With topics ranging from energy policy and programs; to how we think, learn and communicate; to customer connections, this is an event you can't afford to miss.

LAS

Leverage the buying power of all Ontario municipal staff and elected officials to achieve sizeable group insurance discounts. Contact the Cowan Insurance Group for a no-obligation quote.



Ontario Municipal Knowledge Network (OMKN)

Visit [OMKN](#) to learn about practical strategies to develop municipal leadership capacity and practices on water/wastewater certification and training, succession planning and retention.

Municipal Wire *

The 2011 Financial Information Returns are now available to [Municipal Information & Data Analysis System](#) (MIDAS) users. MIDAS is a web-based tool that provides access to the FIRs and Municipal Performance Measure Program (MPMP) schedule data for all Ontario municipalities.

Career Opportunities

[Supervisor of Operations, Wayne Gretzky Sports Centre - City of Brantford](#). Please send a detailed resume and cover letter by 4:30 p.m., Friday, October 12, 2012, HR Services Coordinator, Human Resources Department, Corporation of the City of Brantford, Fax: (519) 752-5719, email: resumes@brantford.ca.

[Director, Municipal Programs & Education - Ontario Public Service](#) (Ministry of Municipal Affairs & Housing). Location: Toronto. Please apply online by October 9, 2012, by visiting [Ontario/careers](#) and entering Job ID 47204 in the Job ID search field.

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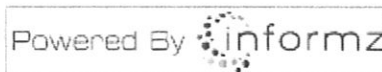
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- Last chance to obtain CBC television equipment for community use.
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Provincial Matters

Funding collected from environmental penalties is available to support watershed projects. For 2012, the OCEF has over \$400,000 for local community projects in the watershed where the environmental violation occurred. Municipalities based in the identified watersheds are eligible to apply.

Ontario received the final report from Ontario's Expert Roundtable on Immigration, which outlines 32 recommendations that will inform Ontario's first immigration strategy. AMO's representative at this table was Warden Steve Arnold from Lambton County, who will be also speaking on this topic at the Counties, Regions and Single Tiers Symposium in Blue Mountain October 25-26.

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Federal Matters

Since 2005, over \$2.1 billion from Canada's Gas Tax Fund has been invested in Ontario's municipalities. Details are in AMO's 2011 Gas Tax Annual Expenditure Report. To map gas tax investments in your community, visit Gas Tax at Work.

The Invest in Canada – Community Initiative funding program will help communities across Canada attract, retain and expand foreign direct investment.

Eye on AMO/LAS Events

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A unique opportunity to learn and discuss with Ontario's energy leaders and thinkers. Join LAS at the 2012 Connections Energy Symposium as speakers engage on topics related to one of three concurrent tracks: People; Places; and Assets & Resources. Last year was a record sell out - don't miss out get your registration in today.

Municipal Wire *

The Municipal Finance Officers' Association of Ontario (MFOA) have teamed up with the Ministry of Municipal Affairs and Housing (MMAH) to offer a practical seminar on how you can optimise your financial information reporting data and unlock the analytical power of Financial Information Returns (FIR) and Municipal Performance Measurement Program (MPMP) data.

Until October 9 communities have the opportunity to bid on CBC analog transmitters and towers. This equipment can be used to distribute television, radio services or wireless high speed internet within communities. Contact Catherine Edwards at the Canadian Association of Community Television Users and Stations at (819) 772-2862 for more information.

Career Opportunities

Labourers, Machine Operators, Lead Hands - Town of Peace River, Alberta. Please submit resumes to: Leanne Cottrell, Human Resources Coordinator, Town of Peace River, Box 6600 Peace River, Alberta T8S 1S4. Fax: (780) 624-4664, Email: lcottrell@peacriver.net.

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Subject



The Council of the Corporation of the City of Mississauga at its meeting on September 26, 2012 adopted the enclosed Resolution 0218-2012 with respect to forwarding Recommendation GC 0477-2012 banning the sale of cats and dogs from licensed pet shops that was adopted at Council on July 4, 2012.

Diana Haas
Council Support Services Assistant
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Letter to all Municipalities (Banning Cats and Dogs in Pet Stores).pdf

Memorandum



TO: All Municipalities in Ontario

FROM: Crystal Greer, Director of Legislative Services and City Clerk

DATE: September 28, 2012

SUBJECT: **Banning the Sale of Cats and Dogs in Pet Stores**

The Council of the Corporation of the City of Mississauga at its meeting on September 26, 2012, adopted the enclosed Resolution 0218-2012 with respect to forwarding Recommendation GC-0477-2012 banning the sale of cats and dogs from licensed pet shops that was adopted at Council on July 4, 2012.

GC-0477-2012

1. That a by-law be enacted to amend Schedule 20 of the Business Licensing By-law 1-06, as amended, to require pet shops to provide every purchaser of a cat or dog with a health assessment from a licensed veterinarian for all cats and dogs kept in the shop that receive veterinary care; and, that all pet shops that sell more than 10 cats or dogs per year, obtain these animals from one of the following sources only: municipal animal shelters; registered humane societies; registered shelters or rescue groups.
2. That staff conduct quarterly proactive inspections of licensed pet shops that sell cats and/or dogs.
3. That staff work with the Ontario Society for the Prevention of Cruelty to Animals Investigation Unit on a continual basis to determine if any information exists related to the existence of kitten and puppy mills in Mississauga; and, that staff take appropriate enforcement action with local pet shops in Mississauga if these issues are uncovered.
4. That pet shops be permitted to sell their existing inventory of cats and/or dogs up to and including December 31, 2012 and that all future cat and/or dog acquisitions by pet shops who sell more than 10 cats or dogs per year be from one of the following sources only: municipal animal shelters; registered humane societies; registered shelters or rescue groups and that staff work with pet shop owners on a program for animal licensing, in accordance with the amendments to Schedule 20 of the Animal Licensing By-law 1-06, as amended.
5. That the Minister of Community Safety and Correctional Services be requested to provide additional support to the Ontario Society for the Prevention of Cruelty to Animals (OSPCA) so that they can take further action against puppy mills in the Province of Ontario.

Sincerely,

Crystal Greer
City of Mississauga
Corporate Services Department
Director of Legislative Services and City Clerk
905-615-3200, Ext. 5419

Enc.



RESOLUTION 0218-2012
adopted by the Council of
The Corporation of the City of Mississauga
at its meeting on September 26, 2012

0218-2012 Moved by: Pat Saito

Seconded by: Sue McFadden

That the Clerk forward Recommendation GC-0477-2012 adopted by Council on July 4, 2012 approving the passing of the By-law to ban the sale of cats and dogs in pet stores to major municipalities in Ontario.



THE CORPORATION OF THE CITY OF MISSISSAUGA

BY-LAW NUMBER 0152-2012

A by-law to amend By-law 1-06,
as amended, being a Business Licensing By-Law to regulate
the sale of dogs and cats in pet shops

WHEREAS subsection 150(1) of the *Municipal Act, 2001* S.O. 2001, c25, as amended, provides that a local municipality may license, regulate and govern any business wholly or partly carried on within the municipality, even if the business is being carried on from a location outside the municipality;

AND WHEREAS The Council of The Corporation of the City of Mississauga has enacted Bylaw 1-06, as amended, being the Business Licensing Bylaw;

AND WHEREAS Schedule 20 of By-law 1-06, as amended outlines certain terms and conditions of licensing owners of pet shops, including the entry onto a register details of where and from whom their animals were acquired;

AND WHEREAS in order to halt the proliferation of kitten and puppy mills, it is necessary to ensure that all animals offered for sale or otherwise in licensed pet shops are acquired only from certain reputable sources;

NOW THEREFORE The Council of The Corporation of the City of Mississauga hereby **ENACTS** as follows:

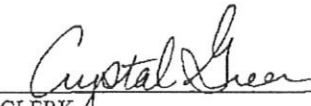
1. That Schedule 20 of By-law 1-06, as amended, is hereby amended by adding the following subsections to Section 3:
 - (14) provide to every purchaser of a cat or dog a health assessment from a licensed veterinarian for all cats and dogs kept in the shop that receive veterinary care.
 - (15) if such person sells more than 10 cats or dogs per year, obtain these animals from one of the following sources only: municipal animal shelters; registered humane societies; registered shelters; or rescue groups.
 - (16) notwithstanding section 3(15) of this Schedule 20, if such person sells more than 10 cats or dogs per year, be permitted to sell their existing inventory of cats and/or dogs that are obtained from sources other than those as provided in section 3(15) of this Schedule 20, up to and including December 31, 2012.

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ENACTED and PASSED this 4 day of July, 2012.

APPROVED AS TO FORM City Solicitor MISSISSAUGA		
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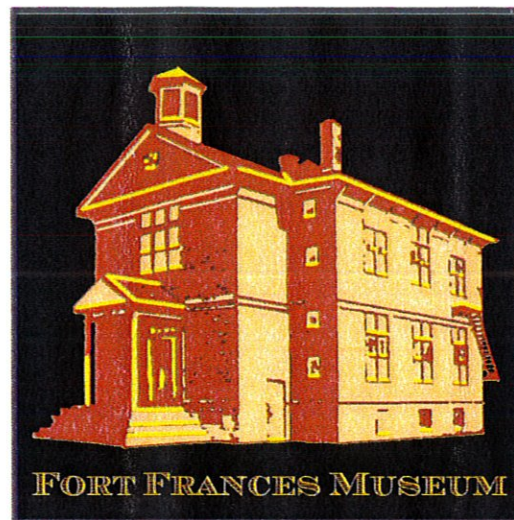

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October 2012



Friends of the Fort Frances Museum invite you to our...

Fall Fundraising Gala!

This is an especially important event as we will be unveiling two long-awaited projects.

Our Community Arts & Heritage Education Project *What Hooks You Here* is complete, thanks to the efforts of the many individuals who spent time pulling loops. Some hooking enthusiasts returned again and again, so that thread by thread, our beautiful, handcrafted mural took shape. *And it's awesome!* A truly magnificent piece that will be treasured for years – something we can all be very proud of!

On the same evening, we unveil our Norval Morrisseau. Mr. Morrisseau was a local Anishinaabeg artist who achieved worldwide recognition for his work. The piece was donated years ago by local art teacher, Margaret Lichtenstein, and hung without fanfare in a non-descript frame in the Museum office. With the assistance of a grant through the Canadian Museums Association, *Preserving Canadian Treasures*, the painting has been professionally cleaned by a conservator and beautifully framed to draw proper attention to the genius of this renowned artist.

We invite you to attend our little gala. In addition to the unveiling, the evening's line-up will include a number of fun events that will test your knowledge of local history and early artefacts. There will be a silent auction — items donated by our arts community — and, of course, refreshment... including our favourite fruits of the vine and specially selected cheeses!

Tickets will go on sale early in October. Get yours at the Museum or the Fort Frances Times. There will be a limited number — our museum is relatively small — so be sure to get yours early!

Funds raised by Friends of the Museum go towards those extras not covered by the normal museum budget. This could include additional programming for children, evening workshops or visiting speakers, a more costly exhibit or a special item to enhance the museum experience. *We hope you will support our fundraising efforts by purchasing a ticket: \$35 per person.*

*So mark your calendar! Thursday, November 1st, 6:30 - 9:30 p.m. at the Museum.
Put on your glad rags and come prepared to have some fun!*



Here until November 3rd, are art exhibitions by two well-known area artists.



In the
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Jean Richards
presents...

***Laundry:
Here,
There &
Everywhere***

a simple
theme
expressed
creatively
in acrylics.

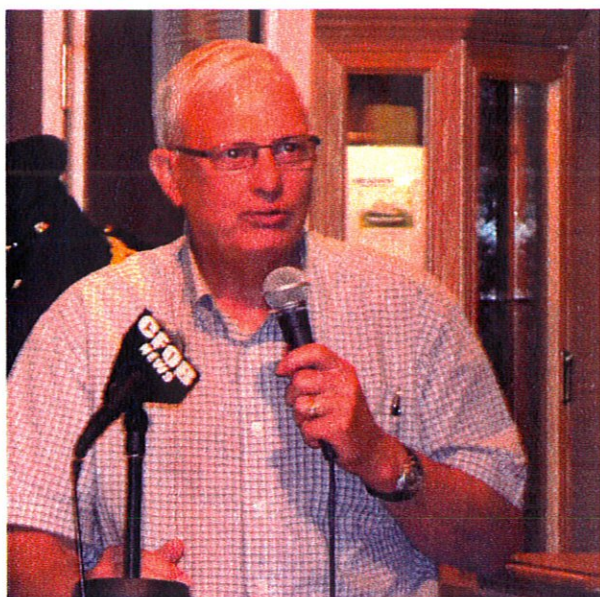
The main floor gallery features the contemporary art of **Lindsay Joy Hamilton** in **A Part**.

Working
with
various
techniques
and diverse
materials,
Lindsay
explores
ideas
through
painting and
sculpture.



I hope you will take this opportunity to support our local talent.

Both exhibits were made possible with funding through the Ontario Arts Council.



Summer was busy. Our Anniversaries exhibit was popular with tourists and residents alike as it covered both local and international events. There are very few of us that can say we witnessed history as it unfolded, and yet, we still thrill to hear the stories... the winning of the Allan Cup, the Queen's Jubilee, sinking of Titanic or the War of 1812. In spite of ourselves, our ears perk up and we listen.

Our 100th birthday bash held August 1st to celebrate the centennial of the international bridge and local customs was very successful. Town council and customs officials from both sides of the border joined residents to toast the event and take in the display of photographs and memorabilia.

Similarly, the presentation by Bob Hilke relating the details of the historic canoe journey north by International Falls resident, Ernest Oberholtzer, and local First Nation elder, Billy Magee, was well received. This exhibit was made available to us by the Oberholtzer Foundation and the Koochiching Museum.

More recently, Lindsay Joy Hamilton opened her contemporary art show with a reception that saw approximately 75 interested participants come out to offer their support and well wishes. *A Part*, by Lindsay Hamilton, and *Laundry: Here, There & Everywhere*, by Jean Richards, will be at the museum until November 3rd.

I wish to thank everyone who has been generous with their time and support over this past summer. The turnout at all these events has been excellent. I especially want to thank the folks at the Town Hall — Mayor Avis and council, as well as town administration — who have been very supportive of museum initiatives. It is greatly appreciated.



Calendar of Events

- Now until November 3rd: Exhibitions by local artists: Lindsay Hamilton & Jean Richards.
- Off Season begins October 9th: Museum open 11 a.m. - 4 p.m. Tuesday through Saturday.
- November 1st: Friends of the Museum *Fall Fundraising Gala* to coincide with unveiling of Community project: *What Hooks You Here*, and newly refurbished and framed: Norval Morrisseau painting.
- November 6th until mid-December: *Yes, We Remember*, a tribute to those who fought in wartime.
- In the new year: *Our Local Metis, What happened then & who we are now*.

Coming up... Opening Tuesday, November 6th will be *Yes, We Remember*, a tribute to our veterans. The Museum is partnering with the Fort Frances Legion on an exhibit that will run through until Christmas. We will be featuring photos of our local veterans, while focusing on some of the stories that have been shared. If you have memorabilia that would help flesh out our exhibit, please call me at 274-7891.

In the new year, the Museum will repeat last year's Our Founding Families exhibit, with the focus this time on the Metis, who make up a large portion of our community. We are working with the Sunset Country Metis, which includes a number of educators with local schools. This will be an exciting and educational exhibit that we believe will be every bit of interesting as the very popular Ukrainian exhibit that we featured early this year.

The story of our Metis is truly the story of our area. Their origins were with the fur trade that opened up this region to settlers. We learned in school how European explorers came west from New France and south from the Hudson Bay area to reap the benefits of a rich new world. Our First Nations people will probably tell a slightly different version of the tale. There were few real explorers, just adventurers on a guided tour of a land already inhabited by others. Adventurers, who without the help of their guides, may not have survived the hardships they encountered.

For certain, it quickly became apparent to those interested in the vast wealth the fur trade had to offer, that they couldn't succeed without the partnerships they forged with the First Nations peoples. To be successful would mean being able to live off the land and knowing the best routes inland. Besides the need for canoes, moccasins, it also meant forging relationships so that the valued beaver pelts were traded with you and not the other guy (that *other* company!).

For many men whose livelihood depended on First Nations partnerships, it often meant taking a "country wife". It was she who became the go-between, an interpreter, a provider, the maker of moccasins and snowshoes, the means to survive this new world and achieve success in the fur trade. The result of that alliance was the Metis. Only then they were called half-breeds or mixed bloods, and no, it was not a racial slur, but simply the way things were.

The mixed bloods were highly valued. They had the best of both parents — the ability to live off the land that came from their mothers and the entrepreneurial spirit that had brought their fathers to the new land. Best of all, they spoke two languages and understood two worlds. All was well... for a time.



With Governor Simpson, things changed. He abandoned his country wife and took a new bride, the young lady whose name our community bears. Lady Frances Simpson, an innocent, would have no idea the changes that would come about on account of her arrival in the fur trade world. But think about it. When compared to this cultured young thing, how did the country wife measure up? These women could do anything — put meat on the table, skin an animal, cure a pelt, build a shelter, carry a canoe, the list goes on. Even so, men wanted more. And here you thought that the trophy wife was a solely modern affliction.

It was the beginning of monumental change... not only to the fur trade, but to perceptions and attitudes. And it is just part of the Metis story. For the rest of story, please join us in the new year for *Our Local Metis, What happened then & who we are now*.



TOWN OF FORT FRANCES
Community Services Executive Committee
Minutes of Meeting

Date: Monday, September 17, 2012 **Session No.** 31

A meeting of the Community Services Executive Committee was held in the '52 Canadians meeting room from 10:35 a.m. to 11:09 a.m.

Committee Members present: A. Hallikas – Chair; P. Ryan; J. Albanese; M. McCaig – CAO, J. Kabel – Manager of Community Services

CALL TO ORDER:

A. Hallikas called the meeting to order at 10:35 am. J. Kabel recorded the minutes of this meeting.

ADOPTION OF MINUTES:

Minutes of August 23, 2012 Community Services Executive Committee – approved.

DISCLOSURES OF PECUNIARY INTEREST:

None.

NEW BUSINESS:

- a) Enabling Accessibility Fund – There was a good discussion of two opportunities identified as possibilities for the funding; East End Community Hall Project that was declined in 2011 and the Children's Complex washrooms. It was decided to recommend that both projects be applied for.
- b) Fun in the Sun Steering Committee – The executive committee reviewed the terms of reference as presented for the steering committee and a few changes will be made before recommending to Council.
- c) Correspondence from M. Fontana re: Skate Sharpening in Boys Muskie Dressing Room – The executive committee had strong sentiment that there can be absolutely no financial gain from a skate sharpening machine on the premises of Memorial Sports Centre. Another concern surrounded the health and safety issue of proper ventilation from such portable skate sharpening machines. Direction was given to J. Kabel to send a letter to all major ice user groups expressing the two concerns and adherence to the policy.

ITEMS REFERRED FROM COUNCIL:

- a) Amendment to Joint Use Agreement – St. Francis Sports Fields – The executive reviewed the proposed addendum from Chris Howarth – Northwest Catholic District School Board to the existing agreement and felt that it was a reasonable indemnification addition to eliminate

the need to exchange insurance certificates with the two school boards (Catholic & Public).
It was recommended to Council to approve the addendum as presented.

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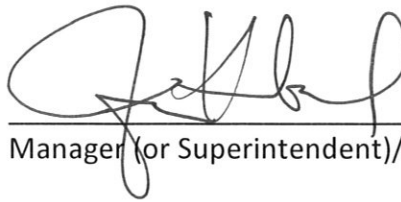
- a) Next Meeting Date – Monday, October 1, 2012 10:30 am.

CLOSING

There being no further matters before the Committee at this time, the meeting was closed by
A. Hallikas at 11:09 am.



Chair



Manager (or Superintendent)/Secretary

**PLANNING & DEVELOPMENT EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE
MINUTES OF MEETING**



Place: Civic Centre Committee Room

Date: 2012 September 17th

Time: 0830 hours

Meeting Session No. 24

Present:

PDEC; J. Albanese, R. Wiedenhoeft, S. Tibbs, R. Hallam

Delegations; B. Shine, P. Dorie, N. Flatt, C. DuCharme, K. Nielsen, V. Callaghan,
B. James, K. Perry, E. Martin, L. Brown, L. Eldridge


Others; R. Avis, K. Perry, M. McCaig, F. Flatt

Disclosure of pecuniary interest;

- No disclosure of pecuniary interest expressed.

Items discussed & disposition thereof;

- Moved & Seconded (Wiedenhoeft/Tibbs) that the minutes of the meeting held 2012 July 16th be accepted as circulated.
- Fort Frances Community Garden re; erection of fencing and filling of water tanks.
 - Members of the FFCG group and several adjacent property owners were present to discuss the issue of the erection of more permanent style fencing.
 - There was some mild opposition to the erection of the fence for reasons of unsightly appearance and safety of other s using the property such as persons transiting the area on snow mobiles at night.
 - A suggestion to make the fence visible at all times with such things as the use of night time reflective tape was proposed.
 - PDEC deferred the issue to a future meeting and directed staff to consult with the Towns insurance provider and legal counsel regarding liabilities.
- Offer to sell privately owned property to the Town.
 - Matter discussed "in camera". Resolution # 2012-005 (Tibbs/Wiedenhoeft)
 - Recommendation to Council to direct staff to negotiate a reasonable and mutually acceptable purchase price for the property.
- Strategic Plan Initiative #32 re; Property Standards Oversight Committee
 - Report forwarded to Council to advise that this initiative has now been completed.


Chairperson


Committee Administrator

Operations & Facilities Executive Committee

Minutes of Meeting

Date: September 19, 2012 Session No. 41



A meeting of the Operations & Facilities Executive Committee was held in the Committee Room on Wednesday, September 19th, 2012 from 7:30 a.m. to 8:35 a.m.

Committee Members Present: Rick Wiedenhoeft, Chair; Paul Ryan, Ken Perry, Mark McCaig and Doug Brown

Also Present: Roy Avis


1. Call to Order: 7:30 a.m.
2. Disclosure of pecuniary interest as required under the *Municipal Conflict of Interest Act* by Committee Members on agenda items – none.
3. Agenda items considered at this meeting:
 - 1) Approve the minutes of the meeting of this Committee on September 5th, 2012 – approved as circulated.
 - 2) Fort Frances Airport – Request from Ontario Region North Lands & Economic Development Aboriginal Affairs & North Development Canada for a Letter Outlining the Existing Wildlife Situation at the Airport Property. The report was reviewed and will be forwarded to Council for approval.
 - 3) Solar Panel Micro-FIT Generation Performance – the information report was reviewed and will be forwarded to Council as information only. No action required.
 - 4) August 2012 Drinking Water Systems Monthly Summary Report – the monthly water system report was reviewed and will be forwarded to Council for approval.
 - 5) Wastewater Treatment Facility Monthly Report – August 2012 – the OCWA monthly report was reviewed and will be forwarded to Council as information only. No action required.

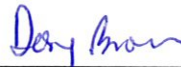
- 6) 2012 Operations & Facilities Division Capital Program – update as of August 31st – the capital spreadsheet was reviewed and will be forwarded to Council as information only.
- 7) Waste Disposal Site Monthly Inspection – August 2012 – the monthly inspection report was reviewed and will be forwarded to Council as information only.
- 8) 2012 Tonnage at Landfill Site – as of August 31st – the Landfill Site spreadsheet was reviewed and will be forwarded to Council as information only.
- 9) Sewer & Water Data for 2012 – as of August 31st – the water and wastewater spreadsheet was reviewed and will be forwarded to Council as information only.
- 10) Airport Monthly Statistics – August 2012 – the Airport spreadsheets were reviewed and will be forwarded to Council as information only.
- 11) Ad Hoc Off-Leash Dog Park Advisory Committee Meeting Minutes – September 13th, 2012 – the minutes were reviewed and will be forwarded to Council as information only.
- 12) Operations & Facilities Division – Environmental Area – Operations Statistics – August 2012 – the statistics were reviewed and will be forwarded to Council as information only.
- 13) Operations & Facilities Division – Public Works Area – Operations Statistics – July 2012 – the statistics were reviewed and will be forwarded to Council as information only.
- 14) Operations & Facilities Division – Public Works Area – Operations Statistics – August 2012 – the statistics were reviewed and will be forwarded to Council as information only.

4. Non-Agenda Items: - none.

5. Resolutions: - none.

There being no further matters before this Committee at this time this meeting was closed.


Chair


Manager

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