

Township of Bastard and South Burgess Council Meeting - October 1, 1990

Our meeting was held at "Beverley Elementary School", Delta to focus on "Local Government Week". Teachers, students and local ratepayers observed a Council meeting in action.

- Minutes of September 17, 1990 were read and approved.
- Paid Road Voucher in the amount of \$28,750.42; Fire Voucher in the amount of \$995.36; and General Voucher in the amount of \$14,881.61 and Park Voucher in the amount of \$734.84.
- Purchased a membership in the James Auld Waterway forum.
- Environmental Conservation Committee proceed with the Recycling Week Programme.
- Request a meeting of the executive of the Delta Hall Board attend a meeting with Council to discuss plans for the future of the Hall.
- Authorized the Clerk-Treasurer to prepare a "Regulating By-Law for the Fire Department."
- Approved a Tile Drainage application in the amount of \$15,000.00.
- Send a communication to P.J. McManus congratulating him on the opening of the new Pat McManus Conservation Centre.
- Authorized a L.A.C.A.C. delegate to attend a Workshop in Brockville.
- Adjourned to meet again October 22, 1990.

October 2, 1990 Meeting

- Minutes of October 1, 1990 were read and approved.
- Paid General Voucher in the amount of \$12,692.88; Fire Department Voucher in the amount of \$5,745.62; and Park Department Voucher in the amount of \$1,025.18.
- Approved one severance, subject to a Minor Variance being applied for.
- Approved one severance, on condition that the area to be severed does not include any property on an Unopened Road Allowance.
- Approved three severances.
- Authorize Road Superintendent to construct signs for the Waste Disposal Sites stating "\$1,000.00 Fine for Littering" under authority of Bastard and South Burgess By-Law No. 751.
- Passed By-Law No. 773 "Establishing and Regulation By-Law for a Fire Department".
- Passed By-Law No. 774 "Authorize an Agreement with the Township of South Elmsley for fire purposes".
- Granted permission to the Delta Firefighter's Association to paint the 1937 Fire Engine at the expense of the Association, and that the Fire Engine will remain property of the Township of Bastard and South Burgess Volunteer Fire Department.

- Executed an Agreement with the Delta Town Hall as per terms of the Tenancy Agreement.
- Accepted the tender of Brockville Co-Operative Association for the supplying of Furnace Oil @ 28.9¢ per litre; Unleaded gasoline @ 54.0¢ per litre; Clear diesel fuel @ 45.3¢ per litre and lubricants @ 10% off list price.
- Approved payment for a Claim on fowl killed by dogs.
- Request Harris Computer Services to attend our next Council meeting.
- Endorsed the resolution from the City of North York regarding the G.S.T.
- Council will consider the repainting of the centre line on the streets in Portland for the 1991 Budget.
- Council proclaimed November 19 - 26, 1990 as "Recycling Week".
- Council and the Portland Community Hall Board are to meet to arrange for a temporary move of the Portland Library into the downstairs section of the Community Hall.
- Adjourned to meet on November 5, 1990 at 10:30 A.M. at the Rideau Centennial School, Portland.

YOUR COUNCIL AT WORK

Bastard and South Burgess Township
P. Tackaberry
A. Greenhorn

The Reeve of Bastard and South Burgess Township has Proclaimed the week of November 19th. to 26th. as RECYCLING WEEK in co-operation with the Recycling Council of Ontario. Let's all participate in reducing, recycling and reusing Every Day!
PRESS RELEASE: from Lois Mowat, member of the environmental conservation committee, co-ordinator for Recycling Week.

Recycling week is November 19 to 26th, 1990. Watch for posters created by school children participating in the 3 R's poster competition. Ensure you are participating in the Township's Blue Box programme and are throwing everything possible into that compost heap. "People can make a difference in their local environment by changing their throw away attitudes and practising the 3 R's at home and work every day".

While we are discussing waste management, the policies are being revised for 1991. Public input is welcomed. If you have any constructive suggestions, please send your letter to the Municipal Office, Box 500, Delta, Ontario, K0E 1G0.

Have you purchased your blue box? It's a steal at only \$2.50! The limit is three per household. Blue boxes are on display at

Rob's Corner Garage, Portland, and Stearry's Service Centre, Delta.

If you are unable to come to the Municipal office to purchase one, orders will be taken at these places and the boxes delivered to you.

To promote local government week council met at Beverley Elementary School on October 1, 1990. Fire Chief, Paul Ostrom, Park Superintendent D.J. Donald and Larry Fry, Chairman of the Environmental Committee all made presentations. Students and teachers attended as well as a few members of the public. Several pupils took the opportunity to question Council members and those making presentations. We felt it was a highly successful day. On November 5, the meeting will be held at Rideau Centennial School, Portland. Members of the public are welcome and encouraged to attend.

Some members of Council have been busy keeping abreast of the latest developments in government policies which affect the municipalities.

Councillors Tackaberry and Greenhorn and Clerk-Treasurer Shirley Bryden attended the two day session of Municipal conference 1990 held at the Holiday Inn, Kingston and Deputy Clerk-Treasurer Jane Purdie, attended the Municipal Finance Conference in London.

Council has also been busy with on site meetings, two were held on Saturday. One of these was at Portland Library. This facility is a Township responsibility. In this respect a hard decision had to be made. The Portland library is in need of extensive repairs at considerable cost.

Therefore, the only solution was to temporarily locate the library in the lower level of the Portland Community Hall. Discussions will be held with the Hall Board as to the best use of space to accommodate all users of the buildings.

All members of council attended the opening of the Patrick J. McManus Centre at the Baxter Conservation Area, Manotick. Congratulations to Pat who has been actively involved in the Rideau Valley Conservation Authority for 25 years as the representative from this Township. Among his many achievements were Chairman of Rideau Valley Conservation Authority and Councillor in Bastard and South Burgess.

Many compliments have been received from William

Street users. Happily, by the time you read this all work will be completed.

Remembrance Day Services will be held at both cenotaphs on November 11. By being present you show your gratitude for those who served believing they were creating a better future for all. Council will be represented at both services. This is one way you can honour those who made the supreme sacrifice. A good attendance by the public is always appreciated.

THE SCOTTS IN PORTLAND

Ray and Doris Scott will present a music and dance program in the Community Hall, Portland on Wednesday, November 7, at 8:00 p.m.. The Scotts are proprietors of Scott's Resort of Quaga Lake, Deposit, New York and many local people who have vacationed there will be happy to see them again. Everyone is welcome for an evening of wholesome fun and entertainment. Admission is \$1.00 to cover the cost of Hall rental.

Harmony Lodge

Annual Ham and Bean Supper

Sunday, November 18, 1990
in

The Banquet Hall at Philippsville

4.00 to 6.30 p.m.

Adults \$7.00

Children under 12 \$ 3.50

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