

**MINUTES OF A REGULAR MEETING OF
THE COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF CORNER BROOK
COUNCIL CHAMBERS, CITY HALL
MONDAY, 9 SEPTEMBER 2024 AT 7:00 PM**

PRESENT:

Mayor	J. Parsons	D. Charters, City Manager and Director of Community
Deputy Mayor	L. Chaisson	Engineering Development and Planning
		T. Flynn, Director of Protective Services
Councillors:	P. Gill	S. Maistry, Director of Finance and Administration
	V. Granter	<i>D. Burden, Director of Public Works Water and</i>
	B. Griffin	<i>Wastewater</i>
	P. Keeping	<i>P. Robinson, Director of Recreation Services</i>
		<i>J. Smith, City Clerk</i>
		<i>R. Teliz, Sergeant-At-Arms</i>

Absent with regrets: Councillor P. Pender

24-123 Land Acknowledgement

Deputy Mayor L. Chaisson read the land acknowledgment

24-124 Approval of Agenda

On motion by Councillor V. Granter, seconded by Councillor B, Griffin, it is **RESOLVED** to approve the agenda as circulated with the following additions:

- Councillor V. Granter requested an update on asphalt patching and water cuts;
- Councillor B. Griffin requested an update on the Curling Street Retaining Wall project.

MOTION CARRIED.

Councillor P. Gill entered at 7:02 P.M

24-125 Approval of Minutes- Regular Meeting August 19, 2024

On motion by Councillor V. Granter, seconded by Deputy Mayor L. Chaisson, it is **RESOLVED** to approve the Minutes of the Regular Council Meeting of August 19, 2024. **MOTION CARRIED.**

24-126 Business Arising From Minutes

No items were brought forward.

24-127 Asphalt Patching and Water Cut Update

The Director of Public Works, Water & Wastewater provided an update regarding the Asphalt Patching Contract that stated that there are still approximately 25 areas to be completed and the contractor is scheduled to reconvene work on September 17, 2024.

24-128 Curling Street Retaining Wall Replacement Update

The City Manager provided an update on the Curling Street Retaining Wall Replacement Contract. He advised that there was an initial delay in this project due to issues with rock material that was discovered once the area was excavated. Further delay has been due to with Bell Aliant Services infrastructure in the area. He advised that Bell Aliant has scheduled a switch over on Tuesday evening and the contractor is expected to reconvene work on this project the following day.

24-129 Proclamations and Events

The Mayor declared the following proclamations were made:

- September was declared Childhood Cancer Awareness Month
- September 17th was declared Schizophrenia Education and Awareness Day

24-130 Council Travel Report - July - December 2023

Councillor P. Gill presented the Council Travel Report of a total of \$12,286.11 from January to July 2024.

24-131 Rescind Stop Work Order 2024-01 - 68 Pratt Street

On motion by Councillor B. Griffin, seconded by Councillor P. Gill, it is **RESOLVED** that the Council of the City of Corner Brook rescind Stop Work Order #2024-01 in accordance with Section 102(3) of the Urban and Rural Planning Act. **MOTION CARRIED.**

24-132 Recreational Vehicles Regulation, 2022 - Revised Schedule "A"

At the previous meeting, the following motion was postponed and is now being brought forward for decision:

On motion by Councillor C. Pender, seconded by Councillor P. Keeping, it is RESOLVED that Pursuant to the powers vested in it by virtue of Section 201 and 202 of the City of Corner Brook Act, 1990 and section 15 of the of the Offroad Vehicles Act, 2021 and all other enabling powers, the Council of the City of Corner Brook hereby amends the Recreational Vehicles Regulation 2019, by adding a revised Schedule A which will permit operation on more streets as follows:

- **West Valley Road to connect Confederation Drive to West Street,**
- **Sunnyslope Drive, Country Road, Poplar Road, and Caribou Road, to connect**
Lundrigan Drive to Broadway,
- **For the 2025 ATV season, starting May 01st, 2025, Corporal Pinksen Drive, University**

Avenue, and Mt. Bernard Avenue connecting Elizabeth Street area to Main Street"

MOTION CARRIED. [Councillor P. Gill voted against the motion.]

24-133 Taxi Regulations 2018 - Repeal and Enact Revised Regulation

On motion by Councillor V. Granter, seconded by Deputy Mayor L. Chaisson, it is **RESOLVED** that Pursuant to the powers vested in it by virtue of Section 229 of the City of Corner Brook Act, 1990 and all other enabling powers, the Council of the City of Corner Brook hereby adopts and enacts the Taxi Regulations 2024, and thereby repeals the City of Corner Brook Taxi Regulations 2018. **MOTION CARRIED.**

24-134 Council Remuneration Review

On motion by Councillor P. Keeping, seconded by Councillor P. Gill, it is **RESOLVED** that pursuant to the powers vested in it by virtue of section 18 of the City of Corner Brook Act, 1991, and all other enabling powers, the Council of the City of Corner Brook, hereby amends the Council Remuneration and Reimbursement Regulations, Appendix "A" as proposed. **MOTION DEFEATED.**

[Deputy Mayor L. Chaisson and Councillor V. Granter voted against the motion.]

24-135 National Day for Truth and Reconciliation, September 30, 2024

On motion by Deputy Mayor L. Chaisson, seconded by Councillor V. Granter, it is **RESOLVED** that the City of Corner Brook approve the request for September 30, 2024, The National Day for Truth and Reconciliation, to be a holiday for City employees and grant City of Corner Brook staff the day of Monday, September 30, 2024, to reflect and commemorate the tragic history of residential schools in Canada. **MOTION CARRIED.**

ADJOURNMENT

The meeting adjourned at 7:39 p.m.

[Redacted Signature]

City Clerk

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Mayor