

MUNICIPALITY OF CENTRAL MANITOULIN

ROAD COMMITTEE MINUTES – NOVEMBER 3, 2020

Attending: Chairperson D. Stephens, Mayor R. Stephens, Councillors Johnston, Diebolt, Scott, Shaffer, and Tribinevicius, along with the CAO/Clerk and the By-law Enforcement Officer. Daniel Robillard and Laura/Jean-Marc Pitre as delegates.

The meeting was called to order at 7:01 p.m.

MOTION: Tribinevicius and Shaffer

That the agenda be approved with the addition of items 5.b. Daniel Robillard-delegate, 5.c. Laura/Jean-Marc Pitre-delegate, 5.d. Letter from landowners-re: Idyll Glen.....carried.

There were no declarations of pecuniary interest.

MOTION: R. Stephens and Tribinevicius

That the minutes of the last regular meeting of the Road Committee held on October 6, 2020 be approved.....carried.

Trevor Aljoe was not present as a delegate.

Daniel Robillard, owner of Idyll Glen Trailer RV Park was next introduced to the Committee.

Mr. Robillard requested the following be allowed on the shore road allowance/old highway 551 – transient campsites, waste and recycling bins, controlled access on old highway 551, also clarification of the Custodial Care Shoreline Policy of the definition of “certain control” and no parking signs along the beach in front of the RV Park and at least 50’ along Ketchankookem Trail.

Laura/Jean-Marc Pitre next spoke to the above issues as adjacent landowners. They are in no way in favour of Council permitting the above activities on the shore road allowance/old highway 551.

A letter from three other adjacent property owners in the area was presented to the Committee, outlining their opposition to proposed changes Mr. Robillard requested.

MOTION: Shaffer and Tribinevicius

That the CAO/Clerk be asked to write to Michael Mantha, MPP requesting his help in having the speed limit reduced on Highway 551 north of Mindemoya and further inquire as to why the municipalities of Ontario do not have more meaningful input on issues regarding Provincial roads within Municipal boundaries.....carried.

MOTION: R. Stephens and Johnston

That we recommend to Council that the Road Superintendent be given the authority from Council to decide, on behalf of the Municipality of Central Manitoulin, on tendering/contact awards carried out through the Manitoulin-Northshore Road Superintendents Association.....carried.

MOTION: Tribinevicius and Shaffer

That we recommend to Council that the 2021 Road Committee draft operating budget be forwarded to the Committee of the Whole budget considerations in January 2021 for further consideration.....carried.

MOTION: Shaffer and R. Stephens

That we recommend to Council the year to date financial report for the Road Committee ending October 31, 2020 be approved.....carried.

MOTION: R. Stephens and Tribinevicius

That the Road Superintendent sell the bull blade from the old Champion Grader to the Township of Burpee-Mills Road Department, and further that the 1977 Champion grader be sold for scrap and finally that the 1991 International plow truck be advertised for sale.....carried.

MOTION: Johnston and R. Stephens

That the Road Superintendent's monthly report be accepted.....carried.

The meeting was adjourned at 9:00 p.m. on a motion made by Councillor Tribinevicius.