

Municipality of Central Manitoulin

Committee of the Whole Meeting Minutes

January 26, 2016

Attending: Mayor R. Stephens, Councillor Baran, Farquhar, MacDonald, Scott, D. Stephens and Taylor, along with the CAO/Clerk Ruth Frawley, Treasurer Denise Deforge, Road Superintendent Perry Chatwell, Maintenance Supervisor George Strain and Fire Chief John Reid.

The Mayor called the meeting to order at 8:05 p.m.

There were no declarations of pecuniary interests.

The Mayor addressed the committee regarding the 2016 budget and his proposed target of reducing the 2016 municipal millrate by 8%, for a total of 25% reduction in the mill rate for the two years of 2015 and 2016. An extensive line item by line item discussion was held for both the Operation and Capital budgets.

MOTION: Scott and Taylor

That we recommend to Council that the proposed 2016 municipal budget be approved with the changes as discussed.....carried.

The meeting was adjourned at 10:10 p.m. on a motion made by Councillor Taylor.