TOWNSHIP OF CENTRAL MANITOULIN

COUNCIL MINUTES-FEBRUARY 9, 2006

Attending: Reeve Stephens, Councillors Bowerman, McCutcheon, McDougall, Orford, Unsworth and Witty along with the Clerk Treasurer Ruth Frawley.

The Reeve called the meeting to order at 7:30 p.m.

Councillor Bowerman declare pecuniary interest on item 5 b) Chamber of Commerce membership.

038-06 MOTION: BOWERMAN AND WITTY

That the agenda be approved for use at this meeting...carried.

039-06 MOTION: McDOUGALL AND WITTY

That the minutes of the last regular meeting of January 26, 2006 be approved as presented...carried.

There were no delegations or petitions to Council.

040-06 MOTION: ORFORD and McDOUGALL

That we approve the 2006 municipal budget with an increase in the municipal tax rate of 1.227% from the previous year...carried.

041-06 MOTION: BOWERMAN AND McCUTCHEON

That we approve the January cheque register in the amount of \$ 216,136.88...carried.

042-06 MOTION: McCUTCHEON AND WITTY

That we approve payment of \$ 150.00 for a membership in the Manitoulin Chamber of Commerce for 2006...carried.

043-06 MOTION: McCUTCHEON AND UNSWORTH

That By-law 2006-01, being a by -law to authorize borrowing up to two million (\$2,000,000.00) from the Bank of Montreal, be given its several readings and be duly passed...carried.

044-06 MOTION: McDOUGALL AND BOWERMAN

That by-law 2006-05, being a BY-LAW TO AUTHORIZE CERTAIN CAPITAL WORKS OF THE CORPORATION OF TOWNSHIP OF CENTRAL MANITOULIN (THE "MUNICIPALITY"); TO AUTHORIZE THE SUBMISSION OF AN APPLICATION TO THE ONTARIO STRATEGIC INFRASTRUCTURE FINANCING AUTHORITY ("OSIFA") FOR FINANCING SUCH CAPITAL WORKS; TO AUTHORIZE TEMPORARY BORROWING FROM OSIFA TO MEET EXPENDITURES IN CONNECTION WITH SUCH WORKS; AND TO AUTHORIZE LONG TERM BORROWING FROM OSIFA FOR SUCH WORKS THROUGH THE ISSUE OF DEBENTURES, BE GIVEN ITS SEVERAL READINGS AND BE DULY PASSED...CARRIED.

045-06 MOTION: UNSWORTH AND McDOUGAL

That the cost for the Fire Department attending the January 16, 2006 truck roll over be calculated and that we attempt to recover our costs...carried

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046-06 MOTION: ORFORD AND UNSWORTH

That the municipality approves the appointment of Wayne Middaugh to the Central Manitoulin Fire Fighter roster...carried.

047-06 MOTION: ORFORD AND WITTY

That we approve the Township of Central Manitoulin Fire Fighter roster as presented on January 19, 2006 by the Fire Chief...carried.

048-06 MOTION: ORFORD AND BOWERMAN

That we authorize the Clerk-Treasurer Ruth Frawley, Deputy Clerk-Treasurer Denise Deforge and Assistant Clerk Rossanne Nevills, in combination of any two of the three, to be the signing authorities on all municipal transactions at the Bank of Montreal...carried.

049-06 MOTION: UNSWORTH AND WITTY

That any action taken at tonight's meeting which may require a by-law be so authorized by Council...carried.

The meeting was adjourned on a motion made by Councillor McCutcheon at 7:47 p.m.

REEVE-RICHARD STEPHENS	CLERK-RUTH FRAWLEY
I, Central Manitoulin do hereby certify minutes of a meeting of Council held	, Clerk of the Township of that the foregoing is a true copy of the d on Thursday, February 9, 2006.
CLERK	