

Town of Arnprior

Regular Meeting of Council Agenda

Monday, February 10th, 2014- 6:30 PM
Council Chambers, Town Hall
105 Elgin Street West, Arnprior, ON

1. Call To Order

2. Roll Call

3. Adoption of Agenda (Additions/Deletions)

4. Disclosures of Pecuniary Interest

5. Question Period

6. Adoption of Minutes of Previous Meeting(s) (except Minutes of Closed Session(s))

a) Regular Meeting of Council – January 27, 2014..... 1-9

b) Special Meeting of Council – January 28, 2014 10-12

7. Awards/Delegations/Presentations

a) Presentations

i. Employee Code of Conduct – Secretariat Services Coordinator / CAO

ii. Draft 2014 Budget

a. Budget Summary (TAB 1)

b. Taxation (TAB 2)

c. Council (TAB 3)

d. Corporate Services (TAB 3)

i. Clerk

ii. Corporate Management

iii. Human Resources

iv. Information Technology

e. Public Works (TAB 5)

i. Public Works (Roads)

ii. Vehicles & Equipment

- iii. Buildings
- f. Cemetery (TAB 8)
- g. Environmental Services (TAB 6)
 - i. Wastewater
 - ii. Waterworks
 - iii. Waste Management

8. Public Meetings

9. Matters Tabled/Deferred/Unfinished Business

10. Staff Reports

- a) Report Submitted by the Town Clerk
 Regarding a Proclamation for “John Leslie Day” 13-14

11. Committee Reports and Minutes

12. Notice of Motions

13. Reeve’s Report from County Council

14. Correspondence & Petitions

- a) Correspondence Package I-14-JAN-03 (distributed separately)

15. By-Laws/Resolutions

a) Resolution(s)

i. Increase in Electricity Rates

WHEREAS the Council of the Corporation of the Town of Arnprior recognizes that increased electricity rates are challenging for the economic competitiveness of the Town of Arnprior and its residents;

AND WHEREAS the County of Renfrew passed a resolution on November 27, 2013 encouraging the Government of Ontario to ensure that our electricity rates both in the short and long-term, allow our businesses to remain competitive in a global environment and ensure that the vulnerable residents of our communities are not overburdened by ever-increasing electricity rates;

AND WHEREAS the Council of the Corporation of the Town of Arnprior supports the County of Renfrew in its attempt to encourage the Government of Ontario to not approve any further rate increases for electricity;

AND WHEREAS it is estimated that electricity costs will increase by approximately 50% within the next five years;

AND WHEREAS an increase in electricity rates by the Ontario Energy Board will exacerbate an existing problem for industry and consumers with low or fixed incomes in Arnprior;

THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED THAT the Town of Arnprior urges in the strongest possible way that the Government of Ontario ensures that electricity rates both in the short and long-term, allow our businesses to remain competitive in a global environment and ensure that the vulnerable residents of our communities are not overburdened by ever-increasing electricity rates;

AND FURTHER BE IT RESOLVED THAT this resolution be sent to the Premier of Ontario, the Minister of Energy and Infrastructure, the Ontario Energy Board, the Ontario Power Authority, Association of Municipalities (AMO), MPP John Yakabuski, Ontario Municipalities and Local Municipalities in Renfrew County for support.

AND FURTHER BE IT RESOLVED THAT the Town of Arnprior urges the Ontario Energy Board in the strongest possible way not to approve any further rate increases for electricity.

16. Announcements

17. Media Questions

18. Closed Session

19. Confirmatory By-Law

By-law No. 6307-14 By-law to Confirm the Proceedings of Council

20. Adjournment

Full Distribution: Council, C.A.O., Town Clerk, A/Director of Corporate Services/Treasurer, Director of Public Works, Director of Recreation Services, Fire Chief, Chief Librarian, Museum Curator, A/Manager of Financial Services, Human Resources Officer, Chief Building Official, Planner, Civil Engineering Officer, Environmental Engineering Officer, Fire Prevention/Protection Officers, Public Works Supervisor, Water/Wastewater Supervisor, Operations Supervisor, Pool/Program Supervisor, E-mail to: john.carter@metroland.com; news@myfmradio.ca; jason@valleyheritageradio.ca

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