

F. PROPERTY TAX RELIEF

MOVED BY: Councilor Alain Tremblay
SECONDED BY: Councilor Angèle Beauvais

RES. #007-21

BE IT RESOLVED that the Municipality of Val Rita-Harty shall waive all interest and penalties for past due property tax payments, for a period of 90 days effective February 5th, 2021 (interim billing due date) in order to provide relief to ratepayers and said waiver be reassessed and extended if necessary, at the end of the 90-day period;

AND FURTHER BE IT RESOLVED that individuals who have provided post-dated cheques and wish to postpone payment(s) should contact the municipal office at 705-335-6146, otherwise the payment(s) will be processed as usual;

AND FURTHER BE IT RESOLVED that individuals who are registered for automatic withdrawals via their banking institution and wish postpone payment(s) should contact the municipal office at 705-335-6146, otherwise the payment(s) will be processed as usual;

AND FURTHER BE IT RESOLVED that the Town requests that ratepayers who have not been financially impacted by the COVID-19 pandemic pay their property taxes by the prescribed due date.

CARRIED

G. IN-CAMERA SESSION - COUNCIL

MOVED BY: Councilor Roger Lachance
SECONDED BY: Councilor Angèle Beauvais

RES. #008-21

BE IT RESOLVED that the meeting continue In-Camera at 7:10pm as per Section 239(2)(b) and (d) of the Municipal Act, 2001, S.O. 2001, c. 25. for subject matter being considered regards personal matters about an identifiable individual, including municipal or local board employees and labour relations or employee negotiations for the following subjects:

1) Pre-selection of candidate(s) for the position of CAO by the Hiring Committee; and

2) General Occupational Policy for COVID-19.

CARRIED

H. REPORT FROM IN CAMERA SESSION

RES. #C004-21 Agenda was adopted as presented.

RES. #C005-21 Candidates for the position of CAO were pre-selected by the Hiring Committee and will be invited to interview.

The General Occupational Guidelines for COVID-19 were replaced with a General Occupation Policy for COVID-19 on January 11th, 2021 and a copy was distributed to every department head. This Policy aims to provide a safe working environment for all employees and the general public in our facilities. This Policy is a living document as the COVID-19 situation continues to evolve. This said, this Policy will be adapted in real-time to reflect best practices and public health regulations and recommendations.

RES. #C006-21 Adjournment of in-camera meeting at 9:22pm.

I. ADJOURNMENT

MOVED BY: Councilor Alain Tremblay
SECONDED BY: Councilor Angèle Beauvais

RES. #009-21

BE IT RESOLVED that the meeting be adjourned at 9:24pm.

CARRIED



Johanne Baril
Mayor



Ricky-Ann Dorval
Deputy-Clerk