

COUNCIL NEWS

FROM THE JULY 23RD, 2018 COUNCIL MEETING

REGION OF NIAGARA – DEVELOPMENT OF A NEW OFFICIAL PLAN

Mr. Heyworth from the Region of Niagara presented a PowerPoint regarding a goal to develop a New Official Plan that is user friendly, provides consistent structure, and complies with Provincial Planning. Numerous studies will be completed including those that relate to growth management including land budget assessment, urban structure, employment lands, strategy and housing. Also included are natural environment, water systems, and agricultural and climate change. Feedback forms were provided to Council for their input.

FORMER ST. MARTIN CATHOLIC SCHOOL PROPERTY – MARGARET STREET

Council authorized the Director of Planning and Building to obtain an appraisal for the former St. Martin Catholic School Property, municipally known as 186 Margaret Street.

DRAFT PLAN APPROVAL FOR CROSSINGS ON THE TWENTY

Council approved a two year extension to September 26, 2020 of the Draft Plan Approval for Crossings on the Twenty Plan of Condominium (North and South side).

REHABILITATION OF BRIDGES

Council accepted the tender submission by Peninsula Construction Inc. for the rehabilitation of bridge guide rails on the Davis Creek Bridge TWL-ID-B14 and the Snyder Bridge TWL-ID-B17.

BACKHOE LOADER & UTILITY TRACTOR AND ATTACHMENTS

Council approved the purchase of a backhoe loader with attachments from Nortrax Inc. and a utility tractor and attachments from Premier Equipment Ltd.

GYPSY MOTH SPRAY PROGRAM FOR 2019

Council and Staff have been informed that an infestation is expected in West Lincoln. Our forests are a valuable resource and they need protection. If you are aware of this issue on your property and have an interest in being part of a Spray Program in 2019, please contact the Township at 905-957-5134. The Gypsy Moth spray program will be considered during the 2019 Budget deliberations.