
COUNCIL NEWS

FROM THE FEBRUARY 26TH, 2018 COUNCIL MEETING

COLDEST NIGHT OF THE YEAR

The Coldest Night of the Year walk was held on Saturday, February 24th, 2018 at Grimsby Secondary School, which raised \$40,186.00, being 67% of their set fundraising goal of \$60,000. Mayor Joyner noted that it was a fantastic evening and he thanked everyone that had participated, fundraised, volunteered and/or pledged walkers.

TEMPORARY USE BY-LAW – MOBILE FOOD TRUCKS

Council approved the temporary use by-law which will permit mobile food trucks on lands described as north side of Regional Road 20 and west of South Grimsby Road 5, and legally described as Plan M98, Lot 21.

RENEWAL OF AGREEMENT WITH WELLAND & DISTRICT HUMANE SOCIETY

The Township of West Lincoln renewed their agreement with the Welland & District Humane Society for a further four years to December 31, 2021.

RESCHEDULING OF PUBLIC MEETING RELATING TO THE PHELPS HOMES' APPEAL TO THE OMB

The Public Meeting relating to the Ontario Municipal Board Hearing of Phelps Homes Appeal to Township's Comprehensive Zoning By-law – Wade Road Lot, has been rescheduled to the April 9, 2018 Planning/Building/ Environmental Committee meeting in the Council Chambers at 6:30 p.m.

DRAFT LETTER TO BE PRESENTED TO MARCH 12, 2018 PLANNING COMMITTEE MEETING - PRODUCTION OF MEDICAL MARIHUANA BY INDIVIDUALS AND/OR BY A DESIGNATED PERSON

A draft letter will be presentation at the March 12, 2018 Planning Committee Meeting which will outline the Township's concerns with respect to the Federal Government's guidelines (Health Canada) and/or approval for the production of medical marihuana by individuals and/or by a designated person.

ONTARIO MUNICIPAL BOARD CHANGES – BILL 139

Bill 139 (the Building Better Communities and Conserving Watersheds Act, 2017) will come into force on April 3, 2018, which includes the restructuring of the Ontario Municipal Board, who will be replaced with a new body called the Local Planning Appeal Tribunal.

WEST LINCOLN CHAMBER OF COMMERCE

Congratulation to the West Lincoln Chamber of Commerce on their 70th Year Anniversary!

ESTABLISHING A NEW SERVICE CLUB FOR WEST LINCOLN

Weekly meetings are being held at the Royal Canadian Legion Branch #393 on St. Catharines Street, Smithville, on Tuesday evenings at 7:00 p.m. with respect to establishing a Kiwanis Service Club for West Lincoln. To date, 16 people have registered as members.

