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## Town of Renfrew Council Summary

Tuesday, May 28, 2024

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**Full Agenda can be found [here](#).**

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**Public Meeting: Fees and Charges By-Law:** A public meeting was held in reference to the proposed changes noted for the 2024 Fees and Charges By-Law. One member of the public spoke asking for clarification on printing charges and fob access to the Tennis Courts. No comments were received in advance of the meeting. The By-Law will be brought to the next Council meeting as a recommendation to be passed.

**Council Awarded engineering services for the following 2024 design-only projects to:**

- Jp2g Consultants – Hall Avenue Reconstruction
- BT Engineering - Ma-te-Way Drive/Opeongo Road Connection
- *Morrison Hershfield (now Stantec)* - Harry Street Phase II & Joe Avenue
- *BT Engineering* - Hall Avenue Extension
- *Novatech* - Opeongo Road Asphalt Rehabilitation

**Hunter's Gate Subdivision:** Council supported the extension of the Hunter Gate Subdivision draft approval by the County of Renfrew.

**Bonnechere River Park and Trail Working Group:** The following community members were appointed to the [Bonnechere River Park and Trail Working Group](#):

- Tauney Stinson
- Terry Edwards
- Hayley Featherson
- Paddy Enright

**Landfill:** The *2023 Annual Landfill Monitoring and Sampling Report* was accepted by Town Council. WSP Consulting, contracted by the Town, is mandated by the landfill's *Certificate of Approval* to annually complete monitoring and reporting, submitted to the Ministry of the Environment, Climate Change, and Parks (MECP).

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**Electronic Speed Signs:** Council directed staff to move the electronic speed sign that is currently at the Hunter Gate Subdivision to Ma-te-way Drive. Further discussion will come forward regarding additional locations and further use of the Town's speed signs.

**Fire Master Plan:** Council adopted the *Fire Master Plan and Community Risk Assessment* and instruct staff to use the recommendations listed within to provide strategic direction for the Renfrew Fire Department.

**IT Security:** Council received an update on the *IT Security Assessment Report* provided by OnServe, and approved three related policies identified within the recommendations.

**Re-Consideration of Community Improvement Plan Applications:** A motion was moved and carried by  $\frac{3}{4}$  vote to re-considered the two CIP grants that originally lost through a tie vote at the May 14, 2024 Regular Meeting of Council. After further discussion, both CIP Grants were approved by Council.

**Reporting out of Closed Session:** Council received updates from the CAO on HR and Council Relations matters with direction provided. In addition, the vacant position of Manager of Economic & Community Development will be replaced with a Deputy Clerk.

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