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## Town of Renfrew Council Summary

Tuesday, October 8, 2024

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

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**Update on Town's Official Plan – Phase 1:** Jp2g Consultants presented Council with an update on the Town's Official Plan - Phase 1 Issues and Options Report, and have directed staff and consultants to proceed with remaining work in the plan.

**Ball Diamond Lighting Project** (*discussion held on September 24*): Council reviewed the proposed upgrades needed for the ball diamond lighting system. They postponed further discussions until a Committee of the Whole meeting later this fall, after staff completes their technical review and submits an updated report.

**Finance Updates:** Council approved the transfers to close out the 2023 surpluses and deficits for the Town Revenue, Waterworks, and Wastewater Funds, and adopted the Audited Financial Statements for 2023.

**Auto Theft Grant Transfer of Responsibility:** Council has given permission to sign an agreement to transfer assets related to the Preventing Auto Thefts (PAT) Grant. Staff will work with the Renfrew and Area O.P.P. Detachment Board for oversight and handling of the funds. The Town now manages the grant under the new O.P.P. Detachment Board.

**Hiring of Two Machine Operators (Public Works):** Council approved the recruitment and hiring of two term Machine Operators for the upcoming winter season.

**Public Meeting Requests Regarding Ma-te-Way Expansion Project:** Council motioned to postpone the possibility of a public meeting until further legal advice can be obtained and reviewed, which will be brought back to the December 10, 2024 Committee of the Whole meeting.

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**The following By-Laws were adopted by Council:**

- 87-2024: Corporate Sponsorship and Advertising Policy
- 88-2024: Digital Sign Policy

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