

**Village of Belledune
Committee of Whole Council Meeting
July 10, 2017**

Time: 7:00 P.M.
Place: Belledune Municipal Chambers
Present: Mayor, Joe Noel Assistant Clerk, Nicole Carrier
Deputy Mayor, Paul Arseneault
Councillor, Lilliane Carmichael
Councillor, Tracy Culligan
Councillor, Nick Duivenvoorden
Councillor, Sandenn Killoran

Mayor Noel called the meeting to order at 7:00 P.M. and welcomed public.

Agenda:

Nick Duivenvoorden moved to adopt the agenda with the removal of Councillor Killoran's report for the CRSC until July 17th meeting, seconded by Tracy Culligan. Motion carried.

Statement of Conflict of Interest: Nil
Presentation, Petition, Delegation: Nil

Business:

Council:

Councillor, Carmichael

Salmon Barrier – Items for Gift Shop

Talked to Jo-Anne Hache, items need to be purchased for the Salmon Barrier Gift Shop. She had checked with items that were for sale in Boiestown; however they are a not-for-profit group so we couldn't sell these items. Nicole mentioned that Brenda and Jo-Anne took care of all the items that were purchased for the gift shop. Councillor, Carmichael would like to see items to purchase that are geared towards the kids. She would also like to see them sell pop, water, chips, etc. Councillor, Duivenvoorden said we should have a university student there at the gift shop. Hannah McDonnell is there for the summer. Mayor, Noel mentioned that Linda Flynn had items she wanted to sell; there is also Paul Shannon's daughter and James Caldwell with the soaps. We could purchase items from them and sell them at the gift shop. Councillor, Carmichael said there should be items with the Salmon Barrier logo on like key chains, mugs, hoodies, etc.

Councillor, Killoran suggested we have a farmers market there and maybe keep the items there all summer for sale. The Campground should also have t-shirts and stuff to sell.

Councillor, Duivenvoorden said that was the intention when the Tourism Centre was open. Nicole mentioned that the Tourism Centre is still open, the staff and the students of the Campground also work the Tourism Centre.

Across from 12 Jacquet River Drive

There is a tree stump there that the resident said is very messy and should be removed. Public works sent someone to clean it up; however it was not a big mess.

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Councillor, Killoran:

Hiring Process for the Health and Wellness Coordinator

Councillor, Killoran said applicants are wondering what the status was in regards to the process for this position. It was decided by Council that the new CAO will interview and come back to Council with the recommendation. That will be one of his or her first jobs. Councillor, Duivenvoorden suggested that a letter be sent out explaining the process. Nicole will send a letter to each applicant right away.

Councillor, Carmichael's thoughts are that the job for the Health and Wellness Coordinator should go to someone local. We are asking the CAO to move to Belledune so they should also be willing to move here. The CAO should know that hiring someone from the Village is our preference.

Councillor, Duivenvoorden said that we should not compromise the position by saying we have to hire someone from the Village, if they are not qualified. The person hired should be the best person for the job.

Shannon Drive Bylaw

Councillor, Killoran said there should be a public meeting in regards to the Shannon Drive By-law. He said that it is not just him that wants answers but other people in the public want answers because they do not understand why this is happening.

Belledune Days Advertising

Councillor, Killoran wanted to know when brochure would be ready. Nicole said it was almost complete. Councillor, Killoran said to send it to him when it was done and he would have his graphic design team work on something to put on Facebook.

Belledune School – Launching a call for tenant applications

Councillor, Killoran would like to have some public consultations in regards to the 3 or 4 big rooms that will be available for rent at the new building. Example: if we want a daycare we should be letting people know now, etc. There should be a public information session to let people know that space is available, show them the design papers, etc. Same idea as what was done with the café.

Councillor, Duivenvoorden would also like get the public's input. Council should set a date for an information session and stick with the commitment. The building will be ready by March 2018.

Councillor, Duivenvoorden said maybe a kiosk be set up during Belledune Days.

Adjournment:

Meeting adjourned at 7:25 P.M. on a motion by Tracy Culligan and seconded by Nick Duivenvoorden. Motion carried.

Assistant Clerk

Mayor