



**Village of Belledune  
Committee of Whole Council Meeting  
July 4, 2022**

**Time:** 7:00 P.M.  
**Place:** Belledune Council Chambers  
**Present:** Mayor, Paul Arseneault  
Deputy Mayor, Ron Bourque  
Councillor, Cynthia Robinson  
Councillor, Kristie Carrier  
Councillor, Lillian Carmichael  
Councillor, Marilyn Guitard-McDonnell  
**Staff Present:** Interim CAO – Chris Kingston  
Assistant Clerk/Treasurer – Nicole Carrier

Mayor, Arseneault called the meeting to order at 7:00pm.

Mayor Arseneault read the Acknowledgement of “Treaties of Peace Friendship”.

Council read the Oath of Office.

**2. ADOPT AGENDA**

**M 2022/07/04-111**

**Lilliane Carmichael moved to adopt the agenda, seconded by Kristie Carrier. MOTION - CARRIED.**

**3. STATEMENT OF CONFLICT OF INTEREST:**

Nil

**4. PRESENTATIONS/PETITIONS/DELEGATIONS:** Nil

**5. BUSINESS:**

**5.1 COUNCILLOR, CARRIER**

**Walking Trails**

Councillor Carrier wanted to know if any grants have been applied for, regarding walking trails. CAO Kingston said he was not aware of this and would follow-up.

**Upgrades to the Kitchen at the Rec. Centre**

Councillor Carrier said that the kitchen at the Rec Centre needs to be upgraded, it needs a dish washer. She mentioned that the roof was leaking also.

Councillor Carmichael agreed that it was time some renovations. Things are getting old. The oven also doesn't work well.

Deputy Mayor Bourque said that the kitchen should be renovated to at least accommodate a dish washer. The Legion has a state of the art dishwasher and it takes only 3 ½ minutes to wash dishes. It cost around \$7000; however it serves the Legion very well.

Mayor Arseneault mentioned that renovations are needed, however it will take a motion of council, there will need to be cost associated with it.

## **5.2 ADMINISTRATION – Interim CAO Kingston**

### **5.2.1. Gazebos**

CAO Kingston would like to know what the decision is so this file can be closed. Do we move the building from River Road or do we build a covered platform at the Jacquet River Ballfield for that purpose? He would like to see a motion at the next Regular meeting.

Councillor Guitard-McDonnell said if they had received funding in the past, maybe they could find funding to either move the building or build a new one. She is curious to see if there are any grants.

Councillor Carmichael said that maybe through some kind of tourism grants.

Councillor Robinson mentioned that the funding that was received previously was from a partnership with BREA, who was a not-for-profit organization.

Councillor Carrier asked if it was necessary to a building to watch birds, the group could apply for funding themselves. People do not want to put any work towards it. This should be discussed further during the strategic planning sessions.

Deputy Mayor Bourque mentioned that there was not a lot of not-for-profit organizations except for the Legion. He is on the administration for the Legion and they went through the village a few years ago for a grant that the Legion received.

Mayor Arseneault suggested that maybe they go after Glencore. We could ask them to cover the cost. That way it would be something they could leave as a legacy in the Village. He is having a meeting with them and will discuss this.

Councillor Carmichael mentioned partnering with the Port of Belledune.

## **6. CLOSED SESSION**

6.1 6:00pm Section 68 (1) (f) & (g) of the Local Governance Act.

**ADJOURNMENT**

**M2022/07/04-112**

**Lilliane Carmichael moved that the meeting be adjourned at 7:17pm, seconded by Councillor Carrier. MOTION CARRIED.**

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Assistant Clerk/Treasurer

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Mayor