



**THE TOWN OF ST. GEORGE  
SPECIAL MEETING OF COUNCIL**

**1) CALL MEETING TO ORDER:**

Mayor John Detorakis called the meeting to order at Magaguadavic Place on Wednesday, August 18, 2021, at 6:30 pm for the Special Meeting of Council. Present: **All Councillors** in attendance. Staff in attendance: Jason Gaudet (CAO/Clerk), Chris MacKinnon (Administrative Assistant), and three (3) members of the public.

**2) AGENDA:**

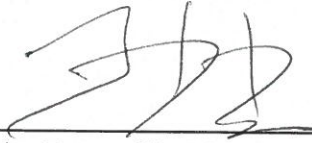
Councillor Allison moved to approve the Agenda as presented, seconded by Deputy Mayor Rayner. Motion carried.

**3) BUSINESS:**

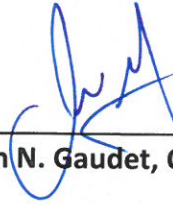
- a. Resolution of Council for the Allocation of Gas Tax Fund 2021 Top-up of \$104,537.
  - CAO explained the amount was received as an annual top-up. The most difficult place to get funds to is our water/sewer projects. *Well #2 at the Day Adventure Center*: Refit would increase capacity; it is probably the best well in Town. Estimated cost is \$58,000-\$60,000. *Lower Bridge Sewage Line*: Estimated \$52,000 with tax. Other monies set aside in the capital fund for this project but water breaks have reduced the available funds. Looking for \$22,000 to be allocated for the sewage line. Brings total to \$82,000; not looking to allocate the remainder at this time.
  - Moved by Councillor Rubin to allocate \$82,000 from the Gas Tax Fund 2021 Top-Up to the upgrades of Well #2 and South Street (lower) Bridge sewage line, seconded by Councillor Allison. Motion carried.
- b. Resolution of Council for approval to submit IBA application for Riverview Avenue water main replacement.
  - CAO advised this is for the sending of application to the Government (Integrated Bilateral Agreement) for joint Federal/Provincial funding of capital projects. The Riverview water line be replaced from the Hillcrest intersection to #83 Riverview Avenue. The water lines in that area, when they were produced (1980-1982), were not superior construction. Other municipalities are experiencing the same issues with pipes from the same period. The total for the application would be \$558,590. Federal and Provincial Governments would look at the application and come back to say the amount/percentage they are willing to fund. This is the first of many approvals needed for a capital project of this size.
  - Moved by Councillor Coulton to submit IBA application for Riverview Avenue water main replacement, seconded by Councillor Armstrong. Motion carried.

**4) ADJOURNMENT:**

Moved by Councillor Rubin to adjourn the meeting at 7:02 pm.



John Detorakis, Mayor



Jason N. Gaudet, Clerk/CAO