

Village of Blacks Harbour Council

Council Chambers - 65 Wallace Cove Road

Present: Mayor John Craig, Deputy Mayor Adam Hatt, Councillors – Amber Libby, Ashley

Ritchie, Gerald Welles

Staff – CAO – Deborah Johnson, Assistant Clerk/Treasurer – Stacey Frost

Guests: Marlo Glass – Telegraph Journal, Tracy Craig - YMCA

Absent:

Arrival after Recording of Attendance: Councillor Jordan Thompson 6:02pm

Andrew Sutton – CHCO TV 6:04pm Matthew Kernighan - YMCA 6:04pm Dale Shaw - Fire Chief 6:26pm

1. Call to order	6:01pm
2. Prayer	
3. Recording of Attendance	
4. Disclosure of Conflict of Interest on Agenda Items - nil	
5. Approval of Council Minutes	
5.1 Regular Council Meeting – May 19, 2021	
Mayor Craig asked staff who were present, if there were errors or omissions, both confirmed that there were not.	
MOVED BY: Councillor A. Libby	
SECONDED BY: Deputy Mayor A. Hatt	
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Be it resolved;	
That the minutes from the Regular Meeting of May 19, 2021 as precirculated be approved and filed.	
CARRIED	061621-01
5.2 Special Council Meeting – Swearing In Ceremony June 7, 2021	
MOVED BY: Deputy Mayor A. Hatt	
SECONDED BY: Councillor J. Thompson	

Be it resolved;

That the minutes from the Special Meeting of June 7, 2021 as pre-circulated be approved and filed.

CARRIED

061621-02

6. Accounts

6.1 Approval of Budget Figures

MOVED BY: Councillor A. Libby

SECONDED BY: Councillor J. Thompson

Be it resolved:

That Council approve the Budget Figures for the period ending May 31, 2021.

CARRIED

061621-03

Council asked that they be provided with the Budget Figures earlier to review for next meeting.

6.2 Approval of Accounts Payable

MOVED BY: Deputy Mayor A. Hatt SECONDED BY: Councillor J. Thompson

Be it resolved:

Council approve the total of Accounts Payable paid and or payable for the Month of May 2021 in the amount of \$ 121,139.94 and Payables to date for the month of June 2021 in the amount of \$69385.63.

CARRIED

061621-04

7. Reading of Petitions/Presentations/Proclamations

7.1 YMCA Presentation

Tracy Craig introduced herself as Chair of the Advisory from the Local Branch of the YMCA. She also introduced Advisory Member Matthew Kernighan. She congratulated the new mayor and council. She also gave brief description of services that are offered by the local YMCA, such as Day Camp and After-School Programs. They are looking forward to partnering with the Village to fill gaps.

Councillor Thompson thanked the representatives for attending.

8. Communications – Correspondence, Community Contacts 8.1 Correspondence for Action a) Request from Repeat Boutique	
Letter outlining request to have waste collection services at Repeat Boutique read by Mayor Craig	
MOVED BY: Councillor J. Thompson SECONDED BY: Councillor A. Ritchie	
Be it resolved; That Council approve Repeat Boutique's request.	
CARRIED	061621-05
8.2 Correspondence for Information — a) Letter to Mayor Craig from DTI	
Letter addressed to Mayor Craig thanking the Fire Department for attending to a Fire at Lake Utopia Paper read by Mayor Craig.	
MOVED BY: Councillor A. Libby SECONDED BY: Councillor A. Ritchie	·
Be it resolved; That That the Correspondence for information be accepted and filed.	
CARRIED	061621-06
9. Approval of Committee Minutes and Recommendations – nil	
10. Staff Reports 10.1 Fire Department Report 10.2 Building Inspector's Report 10.3 Public Works Report 10.4 CAO's Report - nil	
MOVED BY: Councillor A. Libby SECONDED BY: Councillor J. Thompson	

Be it resolved;	
That the Staff Reports as circulated for the month of May 2021 be	
approved and filed.	
CARRIED	061621-07
(Mayor Craig asked that we have an RCMP report included for next meeting)	
11. Business Arising from the Minutes - nil	
12. <u>Unfinished Business –</u>	
12.1 Committees & Appointments	
a) Finance Committee MOVED BY: Councillor A. Ritchie	
SECONDED BY: Deputy Mayor A. Hatt	
Be it resolved;	
That Council Appoint Jordan Thompson as Chair, and Amber Libby as Vice	
Chair to the Finance Committee.	054534.00
CARRIED	061621-08
b) Planning Advisory Committee	
MOVED BY: Councillor A. Libby	
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SECONDED BY: Councillor J. Thompson	
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Be it resolved;	
That Council Appoint Councillor Gerald Welles to the Planning Advisory	
Committee as Council Representative.	
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CARRIED	061621-09
 c) Substandard Properties Appeal d) Heritage Museum e) Collective Agreement Negotiation Team f) Grand Manan Ferry Partnership 	
MOVED BY: Deputy Mayor A. Hatt SECONDED BY: Councillor J. Thompson	
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Be it resolved; That Council defer selection of the Substandard Properties Appeal, Heritage Museum, Collective Agreement Negotiation Team and the Grand Manan Ferry Partnership to Committee Meetings.	
CARRIED	061621-10
13. New Business, Motions and Notices of Motion 13.1 CHCO TV	
MOVED BY: Councillor A. Libby SECONDED BY: Councillor A. Ritchie	
Be it resolved; That Council request CHCO to televise/record Meetings of Council, beginning with the next Regular meeting of Council in July.	
CARRIED	061621-11
13.2 Add to Agenda – Tourist Information Bureau be moved to the Heritage Museum	
MOVED BY: Deputy Mayor Hatt SECONDED BY: Councillor A. Libby	
Be it resolved; That moving the Tourist Information Bureau to the Heritage Museum be added to the Agenda.	
CARRIED	061621-12
13.3 Move Tourist Information Bureau to the Museum	
MOVED BY: Deputy Mayor A. Hatt SECONDED BY: Councillor J. Thompson	
Be it resolved: That the Tourist Information Bureau be moved to the Hertiage Museum.	
CARRIED	061621-13
(Council Instructed CAO to look into Accessibility and Signage)	

14. Consideration of By-laws

14.1 Plebiscite - Laying Hens 1st

a) First Reading of Amendment to By-Law Z-1 to include a provision to include keeping the hens by Title

> MOVED BY: Councillor J. Thompson SECONDED BY: Deputy Mayor A. Hatt

Whereas Council wishes to amend the By-Law to include a provision for the **Keeping Of Hens**

Be it resolved;

That Council complete the first reading of the By-Law by Title as per the Plebiscite results.

CARRIED

061621-14

b) Second Reading of Amendment to By-Law Z-1 to include a provision that allows the keeping of hens in it's entirety

> MOVED BY: Councillor A. Libby SECONDED BY: Councillor J. Thompson

Whereas Council wishes to amend the By-Law to include a provision for the **Keeping Of Hens**

Be it resolved;

That Council complete the second reading of the amendment to the By-Law in it's entirety.

CARRIED

061621-15

14.2 Hearing of Objections – 506 Industries

Comments for or against the Proposed Rural Plan By-law Revision

There were zero written and zero oral objections received.

a) First Reading of Amendment to By-Law Z-1 for 506 Industries for Rezoning of a section of PID 01225838, currently zoned as Rural to Industrial for the purpose of a Marine service and Fabrication Centre by title.

MOVED BY: Councillor A. Libby SECONDED BY: Deputy Mayor A. Hatt	
CARRIED	061621-16
b) First Reading of Amendment to By-Law Z-1 for 506 Industries for Rezoning of a section of PID 01225838, currently zoned as Rural to Industrial for the purpose of a Marine service and Fabrication Centre in it's entirety.	00102110
MOVED BY: Deputy Mayor Hatt SECONDED BY: Councillor G. Welles	
CARRIED	061621-17
15. Councillor's Concerns Councillor Thompson - expressed his happiness to be here to representing the residents of the Village and congratulated the council and Mayor for their success in the election Councillor Welles – nil	
Councillor Ritchie – also expressed happiness to be here and congratulated council and looking forward to everything that can be accomplished in the next four years	
Deputy Mayor Hatt – congratulations to everyone here Councillor Ritchie – excited to get Committees rolling and expressed thanks to the Fire Department after a busy month	
16. Question Period	
Andrew Sutton – CHCO asked to have a microphone in the centre of chambers for the meeting	
Marlo Glass – Telegraph Journal expressed her like for the By-Law regarding chickens and asked how it came about. Deputy Mayor Hatt answered that a petition was brought to previous council.	
17. Next Meeting/s: Regular Meeting July 21, 2021 @ 6:00pm	

18. <u>Adjournment</u>	
MOVED BY: Deputy Mayor A. Hatt	
SECONDED BY: Councillor A. Ritchie	
Be it resolved:	
That the meeting be adjourned at 7:04pm.	
CARRIED	061621-18
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MAYOR JOHN CRAIG

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