

MUNICIPAL COUNCIL

A Special Session of the Municipal Council of the Municipality of the County of Colchester was held in the Courthouse, Truro, Nova Scotia, on Thursday, June 14, 2018 at 7:00 pm.

Roll Call

The roll was called with the following Councillors in attendance:

Mayor Christine Blair, Chair	
Councillor Eric Boutilier	District 1
Deputy Mayor Bill Masters	District 2
Councillor Geoff Stewart	District 3
Councillor Mike Cooper	District 4
Councillor Lloyd Gibbs	District 5
Councillor Karen MacKenzie	District 6
Councillor Michael Gregory	District 7
Councillor Ron Cavanaugh	District 8
Councillor Bob Pash	District 9
Councillor Tom Taggart	District 10
Councillor Wade Parker	District 11

Also Present

Mr. Crawford Macpherson, Director of Community Development
 Ms. Michelle Newell, Director of Public Works
 Mr. Wayne Wamboldt, Director of Solid Waste
 Mr. Scott Fraser, Director of Corporate Services
 Mr. Dennis James, Municipal Solicitor
 Mr. Mark Austin, Economic Development Officer
 Ms. Tracey Venno, Recording Secretary
 Ms. Darlyne Proctor, Waste Reduction Manager

Purpose of Meeting

The purpose of the meeting was to consider First Reading for amendments to Chapter 33 – Solid Waste By-law.

First Reading – Amendments to Chapter 33, Solid Waste By-law

Council had previously considered First Reading at the May 30, 2018 Council meeting. At that time, staff were given directive on three issues for amendment to be brought back to Council for First Reading for tonight's meeting.

Ms. Darlyne Proctor, Waste Reduction Manager, provided a brief presentation outlining the recommended changes:

- Blue bags only for recyclables;
- Three paper leaf and yard waste bags for all residents;
- Council Policy that could designate materials and programs for curbside salvaging without penalty.

Similar to the question raised at the May Council meeting, a query about costs for leaf and yard waste was made. Mr. Wamboldt, Director of Solid Waste, indicated that there is no way to tell until the tenders are in. However, it was noted that there could be an option in the tender for pricing including and excluding leaf and

yard waste. A suggestion was made to have various options for the inclusion of leaf and yard waste in the tender. Mr. Dennis James, Municipal Solicitor, advised that wording in the By-law could be changed to allow for leaf and yard waste as permitted by Council policy.

Moved by Councillor Boutilier
Seconded by Councillor Cooper

“That Council approves, by way of First Reading, amendments to Chapter 33 – Solid Waste By-law, with additional noted amendment to allow for leaf and yard waste as permitted by Council policy.”

Motion Carried. (*opposed by Councillor Gregory*)

Adjournment

Moved by Councillor Masters
Seconded by Councillor Cavanaugh

“That the meeting adjourn at 7:27 pm.”

Motion Carried Unanimously.

Tracey Veno
Recording Secretary