

CITY COUNCIL #27-90

October 17th, 1990
4:30 p.m.

A special meeting of Council was held with the following members present: His Worship Mayor Phil Poirier, Aldermen G. Leger, C. Poirier, T. Green, T. Lalonde, A. Lebano, R. Lalonde, F. Guindon, A. LeBlanc, S. Backs and D. Carr.

Also in attendance were the following administrative personnel: Hugh John Cook, Chief Administrative Officer; Hugh O'Reilly, Director of Community Services; Paul Fitzpatrick, Director of Economic Development; Frank McDonald, Director of Finance and Administration; Dave Fielding, Acting Director of Planning and Engineering, Gene Kiviaho, Steve Alexander, Karen Douglass-Cooper and Richard Allaire, City Clerk.

Capitol Theatre

Further to a request from the Minister of Culture and Communications, it was moved by Aldermen T.Lalonde and T. Green that:

WHEREAS the Minister of Culture and Communications has requested that City Council delay demolition of the Capitol Theatre until the Ontario Heritage Foundation completes a Feasibility, Re-use and Fundraising Study on the Capitol Theatre;

AND WHEREAS the Minister has offered to cover the costs incurred by the contractor as a result of the delay in demolition;

AND WHEREAS the Minister's request is based on a proposal prepared by the Capitol Action Group which indicates that the City of Cornwall will not be required to cover capital or operating/maintenance costs associated with a restored Capitol Theatre;

AND WHEREAS the City of Cornwall will not be responsible for any of the costs of the feasibility study or the winterization of the theatre;

THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED that the demolition of the theatre be delayed for approximately three months until the Province can deal with the results of the feasibility study.

A recorded vote resulted as follows:

<u>For</u>	<u>Against</u>
Mayor Phil Poirier	Alderman A. Lebano
Alderman S. Backs	Alderman R. Lalonde
Alderman A. LeBlanc	Alderman F. Guindon
Alderman T. Green	
Alderman G. Leger	
Alderman T. Lalonde	
Alderman C. Poirier	
Alderman D. Carr	

CARRIED 8 - 3.

NEW BUSINESS

1. Meeting with Premier or Designate

It was moved by Aldermen D. Carr and G. Leger that in the spirit of cooperation demonstrated by both Council and the Provincial Government in dealing with the Capitol Theatre, the City of Cornwall respectfully requests a meeting with the Premier or his designate so that we may be better informed of the Government's position and support of the proposed provincial building and funding support for the Aquatic Fitness Centre.

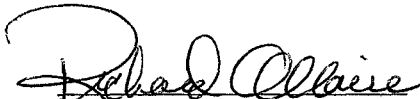
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2. Retain Soloway, Wright - Barristers & Solicitors

It was moved by Aldermen T. Green and A. LeBlanc that the legal firm of Soloway and Wright be engaged to represent the City in all legal aspects that would encompass this motion and any further ramifications taken by Council, re: the Capitol Theatre.

CARRIED

ADJOURNMENT: 5:10 P.M.


CLERK


MAYOR

Council Date (D/M/YR)	32/10/90
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ITEM NO.	
ACTION TAKEN:	appeal
Clerk	