



Minutes Cornwall City Council

Meeting Type: Special
Meeting ID: 2009-16
Meeting Date: Mon July 06, 2009 05:00 PM
Location: Council Chambers
Chair: Bob Kilger, Mayor
Prepared By: Denise Labelle-Gelinas, City Clerk

Attendance Committee Members:

Bob Kilger, Mayor
Denis Thibault, Councillor
Denis Carr, Councillor
Mark MacDonald, Councillor
Elaine MacDonald, Councillor
Glen Grant, Councillor
Kim Baird, Councillor
Bernadette Clément, Councillor
André Rivette, Councillor
Syd Gardiner, Councillor
Mary Ann Hug, Councillor

Attendance Staff:

Paul W. Fitzpatrick, Chief Administrative Officer
Denise Labelle-Gelinas, City Clerk
Maureen Adams, G.M. Financial Services
Norm Levac, G.M., Infrastructure and Municipal Works
Stephen Alexander, G.M. Planning, Parks and Recreation
Bob Peters, Senior Development Officer
Debora M. Daigle, Manager Social and Housing Services

ROLL CALL

Mayor Bob Kilger called the meeting to order at 5:00 p.m.

DISCLOSURE OF INTEREST

There were no disclosures

RESOLUTIONS / BUSINESS ARISING FROM NOTICE OF MOTION

2009-026 Relocation of Port of Entry

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WHEREAS it is essential that the Mayor and Council of The Corporation of the City of Cornwall deliver a strong statement in regards to the importance to the City of Cornwall of the existing Port of Entry from New York State to Cornwall and that it is critical that the direct transportation route from the Port of Entry into Cornwall be along the Brookdale Avenue corridor within the City of Cornwall; and

WHEREAS closing Cornwall's Port of Entry would create a major financial and economical disaster to Cornwall businesses and cause hardship to the residents of the community.

NOW THEREFORE THE COUNCIL OF THE CORPORATION OF THE CITY OF CORNWALL ENACTS AS FOLLOWS:

That a Resolution be forwarded to Prime Minister Steven Harper indicating that Mayor and Council of The Corporation of the City of Cornwall strongly oppose any relocation of the Cornwall Port of Entry by the Federal Government or any other agency, anywhere other than through the Brookdale Avenue corridor of the City of Cornwall to any Port of Entry to and from New York State into the province of Ontario; and

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that a copy of this resolution be sent to:

The Hon. Peter Van Loan, P.C. M.P.
The Hon. Chuck Strahl, P.C. M.P.
Grand Chief Mike Mitchell, Mohawk Council of Akwesasne
Mr. Guy Lauzon, M.P.
Mr. Stephen Rigby, President, CBSA
Mr. Luc Portelance, Executive Vice-President, CBSA

Moved by: Councillor Andre Rivette
Seconded by : Councillor Glen Grant


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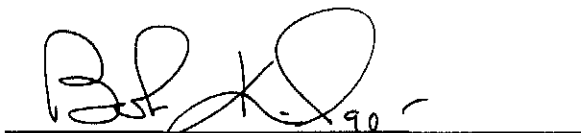
COMMUNICATIONS / REPORTS

1 Port of Entry
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ADJOURNMENT

NEXT REGULAR MEETING OF COUNCIL to be held Monday, 2009


DENISE LABELLE-GELINAS
CITY CLERK


BOB KILGER
MAYOR