

CITY COUNCIL - #19-77

June 27, 1977

The regular meeting of City Council was held this evening with the following members present - His Worship Mayor G. Parisien; Aldermen P. Armstrong, R. Aubry, G. Cameron, F. Guindon, L. Keen, L.G. Lavigne, A.M. Lebano, A. LeBlanc, B. Lynch, J. Pescod, G. Samson and G. Williamson.

Presentations -

Keyette Club - The following members of the Keyette Club were present this evening to sign the Golden Book and receive a bronze medallion from Council - Gail Gallinger (pres.), Debbie Gallinger (past pres.), Debbie Brodie (1st pres), Kathy Alguire, Leah Pitts, Dinah Pitts, Margie Alguire, Carol League, Gwen Stewart, Holly Price, Roxanne Poirier, Manon Deschamps, Lynn Hebert.

Youth Bowling Council - Signing the Golden Book and receiving a bronze medallion from Council were: M. Nixon, R. Ouellette, B. Pichie, L. Montroy, D. Bourgeois, Frank St. Louis, T. Hagen, R. Thompson, B. Crowde, L. Murphy, C. Lalonde, Wayne Mattice and Dick Legault.

Moved by Aldermen Aubry and Lynch that item one, under Committee of Council become item ten on the regular agenda. Carried

Adoption of Minutes -

Moved by Aldermen Pescod and Lynch that the minutes of the meeting of City Council of June 13th be adopted as received. Carried

Moved by Aldermen Guindon and LeBlanc that the minutes of the Committee of Council of June 13th be adopted as received. Carried

Moved by Aldermen Guindon and LeBlanc that Council go in Committee of the Whole and that all delegations, resolutions, communications and by-laws be referred to that Committee and that By-laws No. 063 to 067 incl., as listed, be given a first reading -

- 063 - to license dogs
- 064 - for prohibiting dogs running at large
- 065 - to authorize signing of easement with Rob't Bourgon Const.
- 066 - to authorize entering into agreement with Ministry of Environment
- 067 - amendment to Waterworks By-law

Delegations - La Semaine Francaise, J.L. Lapierre & Mrs. S. Leger

Mrs. Leger extended her thanks for the support and co-operation given by the City. Mr. Lapierre indicated that 'French Week' was quite a success and the City's full support and co-operation helped make it so successful. Mr. Lapierre indicated that the event at the City Complex that was held on Saturday, June 4th was not very successful. He would hope that the City would agree to provide them with the free use of the complex for that evening at a cost of \$762.00. He also indicated that he would like for City Council to support a request being made to T.V. Ontario and the Ministry of Industry and Tourism for the footage taken during French Week which could be used for industrial and tourist promotion.

Mayor Parisien indicated that his first request for the waiver of the cost of one night at the City Complex would have to be brought back in a report form at the next Council. However, his request in obtaining the film footage would be dealt with later on this evening.

Moved by Aldermen Guindon and Keen that the request for \$762.00 be referred to administration for a report to be dealt with at the Council meeting of July 11th. Carried

Resolutions -

- #35 - Moved by Aldermen Aubry and Guindon that the City is receptive to the installation of a federal penitentiary and/or Ontario Reformatory in the Cornwall Area.

An amendment to the motion was made by Aldermen Cameron and Pescod that members of Council be provided with more information before any decision is made. Amendment defeated.

Alderman Lebano requested a recorded vote on the motion. For the motion: Alderman Cameron. Against the motion: Aldermen Armstrong, Pescod, Lebano, Aubry, Guindon, Keen, Lynch, Williamson, Samson, LeBlanc and Lavigne. Motion defeated.

- #36 - Moved by Aldermen Lynch and Keen that - Whereas several centres in Eastern Ontario, including the City of Cornwall, have been experiencing chronic high unemployment in recent years; AND WHEREAS municipalities in Eastern Ontario must compete for new industry with Quebec municipalities which offer special tax incentives; THEREFORE be it resolved that the Government of Ontario develop a new economic development strategy for Eastern Ontario which would include special tax incentives to municipalities in Eastern Ontario to attract new industry, provide incentives to local industries for expansion, decentralization of provincial government departments, offices and agencies into slow growth centres in Eastern Ontario including the City of Cornwall; and additional funds to the Eastern Ontario Development Corporation to assist new businesses. Carried
- #37 - Moved by Aldermen Guindon and Williamson that the O.H.R.P. lien against lands, known as 44 Gulf Street, provided as security by Mrs. Collette Lascelle be discharged. Carried
- #38 - Moved by Aldermen Lebano and Pescod that August 1, 1977 be declared a Civic Holiday in the City of Cornwall. Carried
- #39 - Moved by Aldermen Williamson and LeBlanc that the Dept. of Transportation and Communications be requested for a supplementary allocation of subsidy in the amount of \$12,337. for winter maintenance. Carried
- #40 - Moved by Aldermen Williamson and Samson that C.M.H.C. be requested to seriously consider and ultimately grant approval for funding of a feeder watermain on Pitt Street from McKenzie Avenue to Cornwall Centre Road under the National Housing Act. Carried

Consent Agenda -

Moved by Aldermen Pescod and Aubry that the following items, as listed on the Consent Agenda, be approved minus items 'C' and 'E' which were placed on the regular agenda as items 11 and 12 -

- A. Waterloo resolution - Psi Mind Development Institute Ltd.
- B. Windsor resolution - Retail Sales Tax for municipalities
- D. Canadian Legion - permission to sell poppies
- F. Nativity Guards - letter of appreciation
- G. Tag Day - Minor Lacrosse Ladies Auxilliary

Communications - 1. 13th St. Parking -

Moved by Aldermen Guindon and Armstrong that parking be prohibited on the north side of 13th Street between Cumberland and Churchill St. Carried

2. Tax adjustments - Moved by Aldermen Williamson and LeBlanc that the tax adjustments as contained in the report of June 6th be approved. Carried
3. Various asphalt pavements - Moved by Aldermen Pescod and Samson that the three pavements be eliminated, as recommended by the Chief Administrator. Motion withdrawn.
Moved by Aldermen Williamson and LeBano that all nine reports on pavement projects approved earlier in the Capital Budget be applied for to the O.M.B. and that the first part of subsidy in 1978 be applied to these projects. Carried
4. Downtown Businessmen's Assoc. - Moved by Aldermen LeBano and Lynch that the Association be granted free use of the downtown off-street parking lots on July 8, 9, 1977. Carried
5. Environmental Control Committee - Moved by Aldermen Guindon and Williamson that the minutes of the meeting of June 7th be adopted. Carried
6. Recreation Committee - Moved by Aldermen Keen and LeBlanc that the minutes of the meeting of June 14th be adopted. Carried
7. Water Bills 1977 - Moved by Aldermen Lynch and Samson that the recommendations of the Commissioner of Finance and Comptroller be approved. The motion was withdrawn.
Moved by Aldermen Keen and Kynch that there be a .25¢ less charge on a Kitchen Sink for a proposed increase of \$3.00; and that the revenue be recovered by increasing an Extra Water Closet, Extra Bath and Swimming Pool under residential rates. Carried
8. Glenview Heights - Moved by Aldermen Guindon and LeBlanc that the report be approved. Carried
Moved by Aldermen Pescod and LeBlanc that the names Dancause Court, Thompson Place and Armstrong Square be given to those areas, as detailed in the sketch attached to the report of June 23rd of the Commissioner of Development. Carried
9. Asphalt Resurfacing - Moved by Aldermen Guindon and Lavigne that asphalt resurfacing be continued on Ninth St. between Pitt St. and Cumberland St. Carried
10. Appointment of new planner - Moved by Aldermen Lynch and Aubry that an additional employee be hired in the Director of Planning's Department. Carried
11. Letters of objection to By-law No. 025/77 - Moved by Aldermen Pescod and Aubry that, in spite of objections received, Council still supports By-law No. 025/77. Unanimously adopted.
12. Pitt St. mall project - Moved by Aldermen Keen and Guindon that the letter of June 16th from the Minister of Housing granting an extension to the approval in principle for the Pitt St. Mall project be filed. Carried

Committee of the Whole - Moved by Aldermen Lynch and Williamson that the Committee of the Whole be adopted. Carried

By-laws - 3rd reading - Moved by Aldermen Pescod and Keen that By-laws No. 063 to 067 incl. be taken as read a third time and finally passed. Carried

Alderman Lavigne requested permission to leave the meeting, as he was not feeling well.

New Business -

Moved by Aldermen Lynch and Williamson that City Council support the request made earlier by Mr. Lapierre to obtain the film footage for French Week activities from T.V. Ontario and the Ministry of Industry and Tourism. Carried

Alderman Samson complained that senior citizens were finding it difficult to cross Water St. to go to Lamoureux Park especially in the area of MacDonell Memorial Hospital.

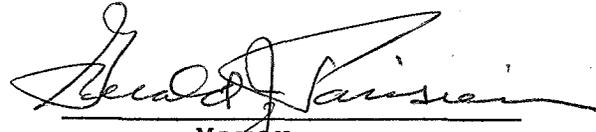
Moved by Aldermen Samson and Guindon that the traffic engineer prepare a report indicating whether a pedestrian walk could be established at that location. Carried

Alderman Keen indicated that he would be very interested in obtaining a full report detailing the cost of placing one meter in new homes to be built.

Alderman Pescod indicated that he had also made a similar request earlier.

Moved by Aldermen Keen and Pescod that a report be prepared detailing costs of placing a meter in newly built homes or homes to be built and also to cover all residential properties throughout the City. Carried.


Clerk


Mayor

July 11/77
COUNCIL ACTION
COMMUNICATIONS (REG)
COMMUNICATIONS (CONSENT)
COMMUNICATIONS (CLOSED)
APPROVED
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COMMENTS _____


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