

CITY COUNCIL #25-82September 27, 1982.
7 p.m.

The Regular Meeting of Council was held this evening when the following were present - His Worship Mayor G. Parisien, Aldermen D. Armstrong, R. Aubry, G. Cameron, F. Guindon, R. Lalonde, A. LeBano, A. LeBlanc, G. Leger, J. Samis, G. Samson and W. Wise. Alderman Pescod was away on vacation.

PRESENTATIONS

Mr. Howard Smith, Industrial Development Officer, was on hand with awards received from the Industrial Developers Association of Canada. The Cornwall brochure "Eastern Ontario's Profit Centre" won the overall literature award, the Financial Times of Canada Cup, The brochure was also judged the winner in the general brochure category.

Bicentennial Logo - Mayor Parisien advised Council that a special presentation was made at 6:45 p.m. to the three winners of the logo contest. He presented the logos with First Prize of \$100 going to Robert Eadie, Second Prize of \$50 to Richard Wereley and Third Prize of \$25 to Linda Gareau.

ADOPTION OF MINUTES

Moved by Aldermen Samson and Leger that the minutes of the September 13th meeting of Council be adopted.

Carried

Moved by Aldermen Lalonde and LeBano that the minutes of the September 13th meeting of Committee of Council be adopted.

Carried

Moved by Aldermen LeBlanc and Guindon that the minutes of the September 15th meeting of Committee of Council be adopted.

Carried

COMMITTEE OF THE WHOLE

Moved by Aldermen LeBano and Lalonde that Council go into Committee of the Whole and that all delegations, resolutions, communications and by-laws be referred to that Committee and that by-laws 118 to 126 be given first reading -

- By-law 118 - To authorize the borrowing of \$17,632.37 upon debentures towards the cost of certain local improvement undertakings
- 119 - To authorize the borrowing of \$1,472,500 upon debentures towards the cost of certain general undertakings
- 120 - To consolidate certain by-laws and to provide for the issue of one series of debentures in the amount of \$1,490,132.37
- 121 - To appoint William A. Knight Property Standards Officer
- 122 - To appoint W.L. Courville By-law Enforcement Officer
- 123 - To impose fines and penalties for breaches of the by-laws of the City to be known as "The Fines By-law"
- 124 - To appoint Daniel Andy Legourriec By-law Enforcement Officer at St. Lawrence College
- 125 - To appoint Raymond Camille Sabourin By-law Enforcement Officer at St. Lawrence College
- 126 - To accept land from Leo & Alida Bissonnette for road purposes

Carried

DELEGATIONS

Motel Sign - Mr. A.L. Paget introduced himself as the owner of the Sunset Motel and representative of 5 motels on Second Street West. He asked Council to reconsider its resolution to have the sign removed, his reasons being that the sign has been in place for 32 years and has been repainted and repaired and the motels need the advertising to promote their area. He stated that he would be assuming responsibility for continued maintenance of the sign and would not allow it to deteriorate to the condition it was in just a few weeks ago. Several members of Council were receptive to Mr. Paget's efforts in upgrading the quality of the sign.

It was moved by Aldermen Lebano and Guindon that this matter be referred to Administration for reconsideration and that a further report be provided at the next Council meeting explaining the infractions that are still outstanding.

Carried

CONSENT AGENDA

- A. November Council Meetings - Becomes Communications #19
- B. Children's Hospital of Eastern Ontario - Grant permission to sell lottery tickets in City
- C. Royal Life Saving Society - Receive letter of thanks from Program Director
- D. CUPE District Council - Receive letter from Pres. & Mayor's reply
- E. Parking on 7th from Ameliato Sydney - Refer petition to Traff. Eng.
- F. Eastcourt Mall Merchants - Approve carnival Sept. 27 to Oct. 3

Moved by Aldermen LeBlanc and Guindon that the Consent Agenda be approved.

Carried

COMMUNICATIONS

1. Tender #49-82 - Moved by Aldermen Cameron and Leger that the purchase of Case W20 from J.I. Case Canada Inc. at a cost of \$67,770.59 be approved. Carried
2. Tender #52-82 - Moved by Aldermen Aubry and Lebano that the tender be awarded as opened by tender panel to D. Gordon Electric at an original tender price of \$10,842.36 and that extra work needed be either carried out by day labour through the Public Works Dept. or that the Public Works Dept. obtain prices divorced from bidders to have duct work installed prior to main contract being carried out. Carried
3. Tender #54-82 - Moved by Aldermen LeBlanc and Lebano that the bid of Cornwall Factory Surplus for item 1 only be accepted at a price of \$15,255. Carried
4. Re-assessment by Class - Moved by Aldermen Wise and Samis that a report from the CAO dated September 23rd be deferred to October 12th and that in the meantime the Assessment Commissioner be invited to attend the next Council meeting and explain why the Province is not able to carry out a re-assessment in 1983 based on 1981 or 1982 market values. Carried
5. Animal Shelter - Moved by Aldermen Guindon and Samis that the tender be awarded to J.F. Markell Construction at a modified bid of \$65,270 which includes site fencing at \$3,000. Carried
Alderman Cameron declared his interest and refrained from voting.
6. Voters' List Distribution - Moved by Aldermen Lalonde and LeBlanc that the report from the City Clerk dated September 17th be received. Carried
7. Temporary Staffing, Social Services - Moved by Aldermen Guindon and Armstrong that three temporary staff be hired in the Social Services Dept. consisting of two field workers and one receptionist transferred from Children's Services. Carried

An amendment was moved by Aldermen Cameron and Wise that the secretary from Children's Services be transferred to Social Services as receptionist; that a present City staff member be transferred to Social Services as a case worker and that an outside person be engaged as a case worker. A recorded vote resulted as follows - For the Amendment: Aldermen Lalonde, Cameron, Wise and LeBlanc. Against the Amendment: Aldermen Armstrong, Lebano, Guindon, Samis, Leger, Samson and Aubry. The amendment was defeated and the motion carried.

Defeated

- 8. Tender Bid Deposits - Moved by Aldermen Guindon and Cameron that the first and second low bid deposits be retained until formal acceptance is made by Council and that all other bid deposits be returned as soon after tender opening as possible.

Carried

- 9. On-Street Parking Meter Zones - Moved by Aldermen Guindon and Samson that the existing unrestricted parking on the south side of First St. from Sydney to Amelia Sts. be retained for the immediate future; that Council give serious consideration to carrying out improvements to First St. between Sydney and Amelia Sts. and as soon as practical and if possible, in conjunction with the redevelopment of Horovitz Park by Public Works Canada; and that no meters be installed on the west side of Amelia St. from Second to First Sts. and that this matter be re-examined at some point in the future when consideration can be given to installing meters along the south side of First St. from Sydney to Amelia Sts.

Carried

10. Brookdale & Eleventh - Moved by Aldermen Guindon and LeBlanc that traffic control signals not be considered for installation at this intersection for reasons given in a report from the Traffic Engineer dated September 17. Carried
11. Champlain Drive Speeding - Moved by Aldermen Lalonde and LeBlanc that a report from the Traffic Engineer dated September 10th be received. Carried
12. Good Neighbour Services - Moved by Aldermen Armstrong and Guindon that a request for financial assistance be denied. Defeated
 Moved by Aldermen Aubry and Wise that Good Neighbour Services be granted \$6,200 for the year 1982 only. Carried
13. Bicentennial Committee - Moved by Aldermen Lebano and Samson that the minutes of September 9 be received. Carried
14. Boathouse Sub-Committee - Moved by Aldermen Lalonde and Samson that the minutes of September 15th be adopted. Carried
 Moved by Aldermen Wise and Leger that the original Boathouse Committee be dissolved and that the sub-committee become the main committee. Carried
15. Recreation Committee - Moved by Aldermen Lebano and Samson that the minutes of September 21 be received. Carried
16. Recreation Committee Report - Moved by Aldermen Lebano and Lalonde that the report of September 21st be adopted. Carried
17. Nativity Guards - Moved by Aldermen Leger and LeBlanc that Nativity Guards be permitted to erect two portable signs at Brookdale and Highway 401 and at Belmont and Montreal Road welcoming delegates to the 16th General Congress of the ~~F~~ederation des Gardes Paroissiales Inc. Oct. 8 to 10. Carried

18. Environmental Control Committee - Moved by Aldermen Guindon and Cameron that the minutes of September 15th be received, Carried

19. November Council Meetings - Moved by Aldermen Lebano and Guindon that the meetings in November be held on Monday, November 15th and Tuesday, November 30th. Carried

C O U N C I L

The Chairman of the Committee of the Whole reported to Council the actions of the Committee including the second reading of the by-laws and recommendations for enactment.

Committee of the Whole - Moved by Aldermen Lebano and Lalonde that Committee of the Whole be adopted. Carried

By-laws - Third Reading - Moved by Aldermen Leger and Aubry that By-laws 118 to 126 as listed for third reading be taken as read a third time and finally passed. Carried


NEW BUSINESS

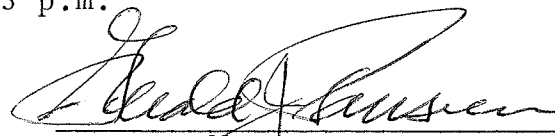
Fourth from McConnell to Guy - Moved by Aldermen Samson and LeBlanc that a white line be painted along this roadway approximately 3 feet from the edge to serve as a sidewalk for pedestrians until such time as a sidewalk is constructed. Carried

Shoreline Cleanup - The Commissioner of Development advised that the Ministry of Natural Resources, under the Ontario Canada Employment Project, would support the City's application for grants to assist in cleaning up the debris at Gray's Creek and the Alice-McConnell area. He explained that with the removal of boathouses at these locations a lot of debris has been left behind causing safety and fire hazards and making the shoreline unsightly. He further explained that this project would be at no cost to the City and could employ six to eight people.

Moved by Aldermen Lebano and LeBlanc that Administration be authorized to make application for the shoreline cleanup under the Ontario Canada Employment Project. Carried

The meeting adjourned at 10:25 p.m.


Clerk


Mayor