

Ross January 21 1867

In compliance with the one hundred Section of the new Municipal Act a meeting of the electors of the Township of Ross was held in the Town Hall on the last Monday before in December 1866 at 12 O'clock noon for the purpose of Nominating Candidates for the Office of Reeve and Councillors for 1867 when the following persons were Nominated namely for Reeve John Reynolds John Rankin and William Wallace for Councillors John Marshall John Hill and John Johnston John W. Squires Daniel Campbell William McLeod and James Grant Jr. The Election was held in the Town Hall on Monday the seventh day of January 1867 and on the Wednesday following the Township Clerk at the Town Hall Declared the following Candidates to have been duly Elected. Viz John Rankin Esq^r Reeve Messrs Squires Hill Campbell and Marshall Councillors

First Meeting of Council was held in the Town Hall on Monday the 21st day of January at 12 O'clock noon 1867 when the Reeve and all the Councillors took and subscribed the Oaths required of them

Motion 1st

Moved by Mr Marshall seconded by Mr Hill that Mr Stewart receive an Order on the Treasurer for the sum of four Dollars for work done on the Sawmills from Gaults road to the Town line of Westmeath to be charged to Section No 1

Carried

Motion 2^d

Moved by Mr Marshall seconded by Mr Hill that the Clerk be and he is hereby instructed to communicate with the Publishers of the Perthshire Observer and Perthshire Herald to ascertain from them what they will charge for Publishing the Auditors report Minutes of Council and any other printing the Corporation may require for the coming year

Carried

Motion 3^d

Moved by Mr Marshall seconded by Mr Hill that John W. Squires be exempt from paying the Taxes of Robert Squires he having left the Township amount 6/9²

Carried

Motion 4

Moved by Mr Marshall seconded by Mr Hill that rule 20 of By Law N^o 6 be suspended during the present sitting of Council

Carried

Motion 5

Moved by Mr Marshall seconded by Mr Hill that a By Law be framed the appointment of Township Officers for the ensuing year

Carried

Motion 6

Moved by Mr Marshall seconded by Mr Campbell that By Law N^o 1st for the appointing of Township Officers for the ensuing year be brought up and read a first time

Carried

Motion 7

Moved by Mr Marshall seconded by Mr Campbell that the By Law just now read be brought up and read a second and third time short and passed

Carried

Motion 8

Moved by Mr Marshall seconded by Mr Hill that By Law N^o 2^d for the appointment of Auditors for the ensuing year be brought up and read a first time

Carried

Motion 9

Moved by Mr Marshall seconded by Mr Hill that the By Law just now read be brought up and read a second and third time short and passed

Carried

Motion 10

Moved by Mr Marshall seconded by Mr Hill that this Council do now adjourn to meet on the first Saturday in March next in School House section N^o 6 at 10 O'clock forenoon

Carried

Wm. Marshall
Treasurer

Done March 21
1867

John Rankin
Reeve
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