

Forester's Falls, Ontario

December 13, 2000

A Special meeting of Ross Municipal Council was held on December 13th, 2000 in the Council Chambers.

Present were Reeve Alvin Stone, Deputy-Reeve Jack Ferguson, Councillors Don Rathwell, Donna Campbell and Teresa Chapeski, Brian Whitehead and Mark Bruce of Jp2g Consultants and Kris Marentette of Golder Associates.

Reeve Stone called the meeting to order at 7:30 p.m.

Brian introduced Kris of Golder Associates who was present to report on the progress of the Waste Management Work Plan. Kris said that there may be a minor degree of degradation of groundwater but the testing results are not complete. There is evidence of garbage in the area outside the buffer and that area will be closed off in the spring and covered with topsoil.

Minutes of restructuring meetings and an estimated wage from Bill Beachim for Whitewater Council was distributed.

Moved by Campbell, seconded by Rathwell that Council of the Township of Ross give three readings and pass By-Law No. 24-2000, being a by-law to enter into an agreement with Champlain Village of Cobden for the purpose of a maintenance agreement.

Moved by Chapeski, seconded by Ferguson that Council of the Township of Ross give three readings and pass By-Law No. 25-2000, being a by-law to maintain certain Municipal properties.

Moved by Rathwell, seconded by Campbell that Council of the Township of Ross give three readings and pass By-Law No. 26-2000, being a by-law to rescind By-Law # 27-79 and close the Recreation Bank Account.

Moved by Ferguson, seconded by Chapeski that Council of the Township of Ross request that the Renfrew County Roads Department implement safety measures during construction stages on Forester's Falls Road (County Road 7), in particular in the residential area from the top of the hill at the Gilchrist property north/east to the corner of Mansel Hill Road.
Council recommends as follows:

- (a) The paved shoulders be increased from 1 metre to 1.5 metres in width and that a solid white line be applied to distinguish the travel portion from the shoulder.
- (b) That there be a street light installed at the top of the hill (Gilchrist area) and also two at each of the corners at Mansel Hill Road and Cedar Haven Road.
- (c) That a reduced speed limit be considered in built up area

Moved by Campbell, seconded by Rathwell that Council of the Township of Ross pass the following resolution:

WHEREAS Renfrew County plaques are being presented to individuals to mark the millennium, and our Council have been asked to provide three names;

THEREFORE Council of the Township of Ross would like to name Alvin Stone, John Bell and Eleanor Waite for these awards to be presented by the County Warden.

Copies of an order from Andrew Polley of the Ministry of the Environment was discussed and Reeve Stone requested that Brian Whitehead help to compile a report in reply.

Moved by Chapeski, seconded by Campbell that the meeting be adjourned at 10:00 p.m. and a short meeting will be held on December 29th to pass the Account Vouchers for December and any unfinished business for the Township of Ross.

Alvin Stone, Reeve

Eleanor Tabbert, Clerk


