

# The Corporation of the Township of North Huron Monthly Council Highlights

NOVEMBER 2023

#### November 6, 2023 - Regular Council Meeting

#### Cost of Living Allowance (COLA) 2024

• Council received a report regarding the 2024 Cost of Living Allowance (COLA) for information purposes. The report recommended a 3.6% increase to align with the Township's COLA Policy.

#### Final 2024-2027 North Huron Strategic Plan

 Council approved the final 2024-2027 North Huron Strategic Plan. The Plan sets the direction for the short-term and long-term based on feedback gathered from Council, staff, and community members. The 2024-2027 North Huron Strategic Plan can be viewed on the municipal website.

#### Maitland Valley Conservation Authority—Update on 2023 Workplan—Delegation Presentation

• Representatives from Maitland Valley Conservation Authority (MVCA) presented an update to Council on their organizations 2023 workplan.

# Schedule of 2024 Regular Meetings of Council

 Council approved of the 2024 schedule for Regular Meetings of Council and received the 2024 schedules for the Wingham BIA Board and Blyth BIA Board. Beginning in 2024, North Huron Council meetings will be held at the new Council Chambers in the Royal Oaks building located at 271 Frances Street, Wingham.

#### Section 357 Tax Refunds

Council received the Section 357 Tax Refund Applications and directed staff to make the necessary adjustments to the Collector's Roll.

#### 2024 Draft Fees and Charges By-law

 Council received the draft 2024 Fees and Charges By-law for consideration and directed staff to prepare a by-law for the November 20th meeting to adopt the 2024 Fees and Charges.

### Risk Management Enforcement Renewal Agreement

 Council authorized the execution of a renewal agreement with the Ausable Bayfield Conservation for Risk Management Enforcement Services under Part IV of the Clean Water Act.

#### 2024 Budget Process Overview

• Council received a presentation on the proposed approach for the 2024 budget process.



# November 20, 2023—Regular Council Meeting

United Way Perth–Huron, Update on Northern Huron Connection Centre and Request for Funding— Delegation Presentation

 Representatives from United Way Perth-Huron presented an update to Council on the Northern Huron Connection Centre and requested funding to assist with the overall function of the Centre's programs and services.

Wingham Tennis and Pickleball Club, Tennis Courts Upgrade and Financial Assistance Request— Delegation Presentation

Representatives from the Wingham Tennis and Pickleball Club presented an overview to Council
on the conditions of the Wingham Tennis Court and requested financial assistance from the
Township to restore the courts.

North Huron Museum Deaccessioning Project—Report #5

 Council received the fifth list of artifacts proposed to be deaccessioned from the North Huron Museum and directed staff to continue with the deaccessioning process for the listed artifacts.

Additional North Huron Council information, meeting minutes and agendas can be found on the <u>Township of North Huron website.</u>

Next Regular Council Meeting to be held in December 2023: Monday, December 4th at 6:00PM in the North Huron Town Hall Theatre Monday, December 18th at 6:00PM in the North Huron Town Hall Thea-