



# MUNICIPALITY OF West Elgin

## Council Highlights

### November 12, 2020 Council Meeting

- Council held a public meeting to review an application for proposed amendment to Comprehensive Zoning By-Law 2015-36 for 24801 Pioneer Line. Council chose to defer a decision on this rezoning for one month.
- Council received a delegation from J. Machado and C. Robinson regarding the utility rate increases for multi-residential properties. Council requested staff report back with comparisons to other area municipalities and the cost of switching to a flat rate charge system for multi-residential properties.
- Council received a delegation from D. Hope regarding backyard chickens. Council has directed that this issue be brought forward once large gatherings are permitted as a large public meeting would be required to make any changes to the by-law.
- Council received third quarter reports from OCWA relating to the operations of the West Elgin Water Distribution System, West Lorne Wastewater Treatment plant and Rodney Wastewater Treatment plant.
- Council awarded tender for the Yaunch Drain Construction to the lowest bidder McNally Excavating Ltd. in the amount of \$222,886.96 plus applicable taxes.
- Council pre-approved \$6,000 for the Building Department 2021 operating budget for the implementation of an electronic building permit application submission system.
- Council approved the mandatory private drain connections as part of the 2021 Rodney reconstruction project and will determine the allocation of the cost once a Private Drain Connection Policy is developed by staff.
- Council approved the Council and Committee meeting dates for 2021.
- Council directed staff to respond to the County of Elgin that West Elgin does not have the ability to enforce a ban of ATVs on County roads and has no intention of banning ATVs on Municipal roads at this time.
- Council directed staff to cancel the TODS sign subscription for the Port Glasgow Trailer Park and inquire if the Port Glasgow Yacht Club wishes to take over this subscription.
- Council approved the purchase of Cyber Insurance from Ascent Underwriting for the remainder of 2020 and for 2021 as indicated in a quote for the liability insurance of: \$1 million enhanced.

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