



MUNICIPALITY OF West Elgin

Council Highlights

July 16, 2020 Council Meeting

- Council was introduced to the new West Elgin Fire Chief, Jeff McArthur.
- Council was presented the Audited financial statements from 2019.
- Council received monthly report on Building Permits. For the first 6 months of 2020 West Elgin has issued 46 building permits with a total value of \$4,207,856.45 compared to \$2,122,780.00 in 2019.
- Council approved the issuing of requests for proposals for a consultant to handle the required 5 year review of the Official Plan.
- Operations & Community Services Manager reported that the West Elgin Pool has seen a steady increase in attendance numbers since it opened July 2.
- Operations & Community Services Manager reported that the playground equipment in West Elgin will be opened on July 17, 2020 as part of the stage 3 reopening. Staff are reviewing the regulations regarding the opening of other recreational facilities and fields.
- Council received an update that starting in January of 2021 licensed off road vehicles will be allowed on most roadways unless a by-law is passed prohibiting or restricting them.
- Council approved the resumption of Four Counties Transit Bus Service starting on August 3, 2020.
- Council decided that due to the increase in gathering numbers they would resume in person meetings starting with the Council meeting on August 13, 2020. In order to maintain physical distancing these meeting would need to be held in the main hall of the West Elgin Recreation Centre.
- Council approved reducing the fee for the rental of the Dance Hall at the Port Glasgow Trailer Park for Yoga.

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