

Council Highlights

May 28, 2020 Council Meeting

- West Elgin Council authorized staff to join the Elgin County Benefit Consortium starting on June 1, 2020. This will allow for significant cost savings.
- Rodney Watermain Replacement tender was awarded to Cope Construction and Contracting for \$147,031.60 plus applicable taxes.
- West Elgin Council advised Elgin County that they were supportive of extending the contract with Independent Resolutions Inc. to act as Integrity Commissioner/Closed Meeting Investigator/ Ombudsman for the Municipality with no change in fees until December 31, 2022.
- Councillor Cammaert will developing a contest for residents to participate in during July and August. She will bring back details at the June 11 meeting. Council agreed to allow provide \$500 from the Council Grants budget to purchase local gift certificates as prizes.
- West Elgin Council granted the request for a one time waiver of the water shut off fee.
- West Elgin Council approved the Water and Wastewater Rates for 2020. These new rates will be effective July 1, 2020.
- West Elgin Council approved the 2020 Tax Ratio By-law
- West Elgin Council approved an agreement with North Frontenac Telephone Elgin Corp. to install telecommunications equipment on the Rodney water tower.
- Council asked staff to report back on Council remuneration and compare remuneration from 2019 to 2020, as Councillors are only paid per meeting and with the pandemic many meetings have been cancelled yet the workload has increased.

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