



TOWNSHIP OF DRUMMOND/NORTH ELSLEY

#8 - Council Meeting, Tuesday, April 23, 2013

AGENDA

COUNCIL – CALL TO ORDER 7:00 P.M.

PLEASE NOTE: *Meetings of Council and the Committee of the Whole are open to the public however they are not a public forum. Members of the public are welcome to attend and your interest is appreciated, however due to time constraints, we request that individuals or groups wishing to appear before Council or the Committee at a regular meeting shall advise the Clerk not later than 4:30 p.m. on the Thursday prior to the meeting as per By-law No. 2007-14*

MEMBERS WISHING TO DISCLOSE A PECUNIARY INTEREST DO SO NOW.

1.0 MINUTES

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2.0 ADDITIONS & APPROVAL OF AGENDA

2.1

3.0 DELEGATIONS

3.1

4.0 COMMITTEE & BOARD REPORTS – No Reports

5.0 BY-LAWS:

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7.0 CLOSED SESSION

8.0 BUDGET CONSIDERATIONS

9.0 COMMUNICATIONS/CORRESPONDENCE

9.1

10.0 NEW BUSINESS

10.1

11.0 UNFINISHED BUSINESS

12.0 CONFIRMATION OF COUNCIL PROCEEDINGS

13.0 ADJOURNMENT

1.

Minutes



TOWNSHIP OF DRUMMOND/NORTH ELMSLEY

#7 COUNCIL MEETING OF APRIL 9, 2013
Township Council Chambers

MINUTES

CALL TO ORDER: Reeve Churchill called the meeting to order at 7:00 p.m.

PRESENT:

Reeve	Aubrey Churchill
Deputy Reeve	Gail Code
Councillor	Ray Scissons
Councillor	Ken Fournier
Councillor	Peter Wagland

STAFF: Clerk Administrator Cindy Halcrow

MEMBERS WISHING TO DISCLOSE A PECUNIARY INTEREST DO SO NOW. No members disclosed a pecuniary interest.

1.0 MINUTES

1.1 Regular Minutes of March 26, 2013

Moved By: Ray Scissons
Seconded By: Gail Code

BE IT RESOLVED THAT the Council of the Corporation of the Township of Drummond/North Elmsley does hereby approve the minutes of the Regular Meeting of March 26, 2013, as circulated.

Carried
13-053

2.0 ADDITIONS & APPROVAL OF AGENDA

2.1 Approval of Agenda

Moved By: Gail Code
Seconded By: Ray Scissons

BE IT RESOLVED THAT the Council of the Corporation of the Township of Drummond/North Elmsley does hereby adopt the agenda for the meeting of April 9, 2013 as amended:

Additions:

10.1 Invitation to Tackaberry Museum

Carried
13-054

3.0 DELEGATIONS – None

4.0 COMMITTEE & BOARD REPORTS - None

5.0 BY-LAWS

5.1 2013-019 – Polson Site Plan Control Agreement

Moved By: Gail Code
Seconded By: Ray Scissons

BE IT RESOLVED THAT By-law #2013-019 being a By-law to authorize the execution of a Site Plan Control Agreement between Douglas David James Polson and Joanna Jones and the Corporation of the Township of Drummond/North Elmsley and entitled, “ Polson Site Plan Control Agreement”, be read a first, second and third time and finally passed in open Council.

Carried
13-055

5.2 2013-020 – Electronic Funds Transfer

Moved By: Gail Code
Seconded By: Ray Scissons

BE IT RESOLVED THAT By-law #2013-020 being a By-law to designate signing authority on cheques, approve electronic funds transfer and general bank controls and entitled, “Electronic Funds Transfer By-law”, be read a first, second and third time and finally passed in open Council.

Carried
13-056

6.0 RESOLUTIONS/NOTICE OF MOTIONS

6.1 Contraband Tobacco

Moved By: Peter Wagland
Seconded By: Ken Fournier

NOW THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED that the Council of the Corporation of the Township of Drummond/North Elmsley supports the Ontario Government’s 2012 Budget commitments to eradicate contraband tobacco through the implementation of additional regulatory, enforcement and other provisions in Bill 186 and amendments to the Tobacco Tax Act. Particularly, in support of measures such as:

- increased fines for those convicted of offenses related to contraband tobacco;
- more authority for law enforcement officials with respect to: forfeiture of items seized, and impounding of vehicles;
- drawing on the best practices of other jurisdictions and working collaboratively with the federal government and other jurisdictions to enhance contraband tobacco control through joint enforcement efforts;

AND that the provincial government be encouraged to continue to strengthen their strategies to address the manufacture and supply of contraband tobacco and maintain their commitment to introduce amendments this fall to implement these measures.

**Carried
13-057**

7.0 CLOSED SESSION - None

8.0 BUDGET CONSIDERATIONS - None

9.0 COMMUNICATIONS/CORRESPONDENCE - None

10.0 NEW BUSINESS

10.1 Invitation to Tackaberry Museum

The invitation to visit Tackaberry's Equipment and Truck Museum was discussed. Councillor Wagland, Councillor Scissons, Councillor Fournier and Reeve Churchill expressed an interest in going to the museum depending on the date.

11.0 CONFIRMATION OF COUNCIL PROCEEDINGS

**Moved By: Peter Wagland
Seconded By: Ken Fournier**

BE IT RESOLVED THAT By-law #2013-021 being a By-law to confirm the proceedings of Council at its meeting of April 9, 2013, be read a first, second and third time and finally passed in open Council.

**Carried
13-058**

12.0 ADJOURNMENT

**Moved By: Ken Fournier
Seconded By: Peter Wagland**

BE IT RESOLVED THAT the Council of the Corporation of the Township of Drummond/North Elmsley adjourn their regular meeting of Council.

Adjourned at 7:13 p.m.

**Carried
13-059**

REEVE

CLERK ADMINISTRATOR

5.

By-Laws

**CORPORATION OF THE TOWNSHIP
OF DRUMMOND/NORTH ELMSLEY**

BY-LAW NO. 2013- 022

ARBUCKLE SITE PLAN AGREEMENT

**BEING A BY-LAW TO AUTHORIZE THE EXECUTION OF A
SITE PLAN CONTROL AGREEMENT**

BETWEEN

**Graydon Sparling Arbuckle and Lori Louise Arbuckle
20 Lone Meadow Trail
Stittsville, Ontario
K7H 3C8**

Hereinafter called the "Owners"

OF THE FIRST PART

-and-

**CORPORATION OF THE TOWNSHIP OF DRUMMOND/NORTH ELMSLEY
310 Port Elmsley Road, RR #5
Perth, Ontario K7H 3C7**

Hereinafter called the "Corporation"

OF THE SECOND PART

WHEREAS pursuant to Section 41(7) of the *Planning Act*, R.S.O. 1990, c. P. 13, as amended, a municipality may enter into a Site Plan Control Agreement with a property owner for the works described therein;

AND WHEREAS the Council of the Township of Drummond/North Elmsley has deemed it expedient to enter into a Site Plan Control Agreement with the Owners to control the orderly development of the Owners lands;

NOW THEREFORE the Council of the Corporation of the Township of Drummond/North Elmsley enacts as follows:

1. That the Council of the Corporation of the Township of Drummond/North Elmsley agrees to enter into a Site Plan Control Agreement with the Owners in substantially the same form as per the attached Schedule "A".
2. That the Reeve and the Clerk of the Township are hereby authorized and directed on behalf of the Township of Drummond/North Elmsley to execute all documents and take whatever steps as may

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be required to give effect to this by-law.

3. That Schedule "A" attached hereto form part of this by-law.

Read a first, second and third time and passed this 23rd day of April, 2013.

Aubrey Churchill, Reeve

Cindy Halcrow, Clerk Administrator

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Schedule "A" to By-law No. 2013-022

SITE PLAN CONTROL AGREEMENT

THIS AGREEMENT made this 23rd day of April, 2013

BETWEEN

**Graydon Sparling Arbuckle and Lori Louise Arbuckle
20 Lone Meadow Trail
Stittsville, Ontario
K2S 1E1**

Hereinafter called the Owner

OF THE FIRST PART

-and-

**CORPORATION OF THE TOWNSHIP OF DRUMMOND/NORTH ELMSLEY
310 Port Elmsley Road, R. R. #5
Perth, Ontario K7H 3C7**

Hereinafter called the Corporation

OF THE SECOND PART

WHEREAS the Owner represents and warrants that it is the Owner of the lands described in Schedule A attached hereto (hereinafter called "**the said lands**") which are the lands affected by this Agreement.

AND WHEREAS the Owner represents and warrants that there are no encumbrances on or against the said lands.

AND WHEREAS the Owner wishes to undertake the development on the said lands in accordance with the Site Plan attached hereto as Schedule B hereinafter called the Site Plan.

AND WHEREAS the Corporation required the Owner to enter into this Site Plan Control Agreement to control the orderly development of the said lands.

NOW THEREFORE this Agreement witnesseth that in consideration of other valuable consideration and the sum of two (\$2.00) Dollars (the receipt whereof by the Owner is hereby acknowledged), the Owner hereby covenants and agrees with the Corporation as follows:

1. The lands affected by this Agreement are described in Schedule A attached hereto.

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2. In this Agreement, the Owner shall include any owner of the said lands from time to time.
3. The Owner shall construct the proposed development in conformity in all respects with this Agreement and with the Site Plan which forms part of this agreement as Schedule B. No buildings or works shall be erected on the lands other than those erected in conformity with the Site Plan, and no site disturbance or site alteration shall occur other than what is shown on the Site Plan.
 - (1) Subject to the foregoing, the Owner shall remove the existing portable garage as indicated on the Site Plan;
 - (2) The Owner shall remove all shaded patios and pavement as identified on the Site Plan replace same with vegetated groundcover or a permeable paving system that, to the satisfaction of the Corporation's Chief Building Official, manages water such that no run-off is directed to adjacent areas.
 - (3) The maximum finished floor area shall be 248 square metres.
 - (4) The maximum height of the single family dwelling shall be 10 metres.
4. If the Development construction has not commenced within twelve (12) months of the date of registration of this Agreement on title, the Corporation shall have the right to cancel this agreement on 10 days' notice to the Owner unless the period is extended by agreement.
5. Failure by the Owner to complete the development in accordance with this Agreement within twenty four (24) months of the registration of this Agreement on title shall constitute a default, in which case the Corporation may avail itself of the remedies hereinafter prescribed.
6. The Owner shall obtain the required building permits and ensure conformity with the Ontario Building Code and the Corporation's Planning Policies.
7. The Owner shall be responsible for the construction and installation of a tertiary wastewater treatment system in accordance with Permit # 56183-162. The distribution bed shall be located no closer than 19 m from the high water mark of Mississippi Lake.
8. The Owner shall obtain all permits and letters of permission as may be required by Mississippi Valley Conservation, including but not limited to any floodproofing measures that may be required for the property.
9. The Owner shall remove no existing healthy vegetation between the development and the lake and with the exception of a maximum 5.6 metre of shoreline frontage clearing for water access, the Owner shall establish and maintain a vegetated buffer along the shoreline to a minimum depth of 3 metres (measured landward towards the rear of the

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property). The vegetated buffer shall consist of deeply rooted native plant species and all aspects of this condition shall be fulfilled to the satisfaction of Mississippi Valley Conservation.

10. Natural drainage patterns on the site shall not be substantially altered such that additional run-off is directed into the lake or onto neighbouring properties. In order to achieve this, eaves troughing shall be installed and outlet away from the lake to a leach pit or well-vegetated area to allow for maximum infiltration. This shall be undertaken to the satisfaction of the Corporation's Chief Building Official or designate.
11. With the exception of what is identified on the Site Plan there shall be no additional footprint of any hardened surfaces within 30 metres of the high water mark, including structures, porches, decks, patios and driveways.
12. The Owner shall apply best management practices for sedimentation and erosion control upon completion of the project, which includes the stabilization and revegetation of all exposed soils or new grading changes, to the satisfaction of Mississippi Valley Conservation.
13. Any changes to the proposed works must be submitted in writing to the Corporation and Mississippi Valley Conservation.
14. This Agreement and the provisions hereof do not give to the Owner or any person acquiring any interest in the said lands (each hereinafter in this paragraph called such person) any rights against the Corporation with respect to the failure of such person to perform or fully perform any obligation under this Agreement, or the failure of the Corporation to enforce its rights against any such person in the performance of the obligation.
15.
 - (a) All facilities and matters required by this Agreement shall be provided by the Owner to the satisfaction of, and at no expense to the Corporation, and shall be maintained to the satisfaction of the Corporation at the sole risk and expense of the Owner.
 - (b) If any matter or thing required to be done by this Agreement is not done in accordance with the provisions of this Agreement and such default continues, in addition to all other remedies available to it, the Corporation may arrange to complete such matters or things, and the Corporation may recover all expenses incurred in connection with this Agreement by civil action and/or by addition to the tax account and roll of the said property if entitled to do so. The Owner hereby authorizes the Corporation and its agents to enter upon the said lands in order to complete such matters or things.

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16. (a) This Agreement shall be binding upon the Owner and his or her heirs, executors, administrators, successors and assigns and the Owner or Owners from time to time of the said lands.
- (b) This Agreement may only be amended at any time with the written consent of the Corporation and the registered Owner of the said lands at the time of such amendment.
- (c) Schedules A and B form part of this Agreement.
- (d) This Agreement shall be read with any change of gender or number required by the context.
17. The Owner hereby authorizes the Corporation to register this Agreement against the lands described in Schedule A at the expenses of the Owner.
18. For greater certainty, it is specifically acknowledged and agreed that the burden of this Agreement shall run with the said lands and be binding upon the Owner and all future Owners of the said lands and all persons claiming any interest in the said lands.
19. Any notice to the parties given pursuant to any provision of this Agreement may be given by personal delivery or by prepaid registered post addressed to the parties at their respective addresses on page 1 of this Agreement. If notice is given by prepaid registered post, it shall be deemed given ten (10) days after the date of mailing.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF the parties hereto have executed this Agreement.

SIGNED, SEALED & DELIVERED)

In the presence of:)

) *

) _____
Graydon Sparling Arbuckle

*)

Witness (as to all signatures))

) *

) _____
Lori Louise Arbuckle

CORPORATION OF THE TOWNSHIP OF DRUMMOND/NORTH ELMSLEY

Per:

Aubrey Churchill, Reeve

Cindy Halcrow, Clerk Administrator

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SCHEDULE A

DESCRIPTION OF THE LANDS TO WHICH THIS AGREEMENT APPLIES

**Part Lot 20, Concession 8
Geographic Township of Drummond,
now Township of Drummond/North Elmsley, County of Lanark,
as in RS155989, together with RS155989
[being all of PIN #05311-0174]**

**162 Grasshopper Point
Part of Lot 20, Concession 8
Geographic Township of Drummond
Now Township of Drummond/North Elmsley**

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**THE CORPORATION OF THE
TOWNSHIP OF DRUMMOND/NORTH ELMSLEY**

BY-LAW NO. 2013-023

“2013 DRUMMOND/NORTH ELMSLEY TAX RATE BY-LAW”

A BY-LAW TO ESTABLISH THE 2013 TAX RATES FOR THE CORPORATION OF THE TOWNSHIP OF DRUMMOND/NORTH ELMSLEY.

WHEREAS the Council of the Corporation of the Township of Drummond/North Elmsley shall each year prepare and adopt estimates of the sums it requires during the year for the purposes of the Township pursuant to Section 290, the Municipal Act, 2001;

AND WHEREAS all property assessment rolls on which the 2013 taxes are to be levied have been returned and revised pursuant to the provisions of the Assessment Act, R.S.O. 1990 C.A 31 as amended (hereinafter referred to as the “Assessment Act”) subject to appeals at present before the Assessment Review Board, the Ontario Municipal Board and the District Court:

WHEREAS it is necessary for the Township, pursuant to Section 312(2), of the Municipal Act to raise certain sums for municipal purposes for the 2013 taxation year;

AND WHEREAS the tax ratios as set by the County of Lanark for the Township of Drummond North Elmsley through By-law 2013-09 are:

Residential/Farm Property Class	(RT, RF, RG)	1.000000
Multi-Residential Property Class	(MT, MF)	2.413080
Commercial Property Class	(CT, CF, CG, ST)	1.630731
Industrial Property Class	(IT, IF, LT, IH)	2.768049
Pipeline Property Class	(PT)	1.906202
Farmland Property Class	(FT)	0.250000
Managed Forest Property Class	(TT)	0.250000

WHEREAS the property subclass tax rate reductions as set by the County of Lanark for the Township of Drummond/North Elmsley through By-Law 2013-09 are:

The vacant land and excess land subclasses in the commercial property class is 30%;
The vacant land and excess land subclasses in the industrial property class is 35%.

WHEREAS the assessed value of all rateable real property according to the latest revised assessment for the Township of Drummond/North Elmsley amounts to \$904,748,577 and 3,149,350 for Payment In Lieu of Taxes.

WHEREAS the Municipal Budget Levy Requirement for the Township of Drummond/North Elmsley amounts to \$3,350,281 for the year 2013.

NOW THEREFORE the Council of the Corporation of the Township of Drummond/North Elmsley enacts as follows:

1. The tax rates for the year 2013, as shown on Schedule “A” attached, are hereby assessed, levied and imposed on the whole rateable property assessments within the Township of

Drummond/North Elmsley and the levying and collecting of the said rates are hereby authorized and directed.

2. The assessment made in the year 2013, based on current values from November 2012 under the provisions of the Assessment Act, Chapter A. 31, R.S.O. 1990 as amended, shall be the assessment on which the final tax rates shall be fixed and levied and the final tax shall be fixed and levied on such assessment.
3. That the due date for the payments for the final taxes shall be July 31, 2013 and September 30, 2013. The Monthly Payment Plan is due by automatic withdrawal (12 months) is due on the 15th of each month starting November 15th of the previous year up to September 15th and October 15 (current year) as catch up in the month .
4. Taxes shall be payable at the Office of the Tax Collector in the municipal office. The Tax Collector is authorized to accept part payment on account of any taxes due and to give a receipt for such payment.
5. Taxes may also be paid, at the option of the taxpayer, at any bank in Canada.
6. Penalty at 1.25% shall be added on the first day of each month following the due dates until paid.
7. The provisions of this by-law shall come into force and take effect upon the passing thereof.

Read a first and second time this 23rd day of April, 2013.

Read a third time and passed this 23rd day of April, 2013.

Aubrey Churchill, Reeve

Cindy Halcrow, CAO

2013 TAX RATES SCHEDULE "A" TO BYLAW 2013-23

Property Class	RTC	2013 Assessment	Municipal Final Rate	2013 Municipal Tax Revenue	County Final Rate	2013 County Tax Revenue	Education Final Rate	2013 Education Revenue	2013 Final Tax Rate	2013 Total Revenue
Commercial	CTN	18,579,568	0.00607958	112,956.91	0.00668668	124,235.56	0.01393802	259,962.28	0.02670428	496,153.72
Commercial Vacant	CUINCKN	1,016,758	0.00425571	4,327.03	0.00468068	4,759.12	0.00975661	9,920.11	0.01869300	19,006.26
Industrial	ITN	1,411,086	0.01031965	14,561.91	0.0113260	15,709.06	0.01590000	22,436.27	0.03735225	52,707.24
Industrial Vacant	IUN	20,625	0.00670777	138.35	0.00723619	149.25	0.01033500	213.16	0.02427896	500.75
New Construction	XTN	1,754,650	0.00607958	10,667.54	0.00668668	11,732.78	0.01260000	22,108.69	0.02536626	44,508.91
New Construction Excess	XUN	27,750	0.00425570	118.10	0.00468068	129.89	0.00882000	244.78	0.01775638	492.74
Pipeline	PTN	2,164,500	0.00710657	15,382.17	0.00781623	16,918.23	0.01590000	34,415.59	0.03082280	66,715.95
Total Com/Ind/Pipeline		24,974,927		158,151.00		173,633.88		348,300.68		680,095.57
Multi-Residential	MTEP	323,125	0.00899626	2,906.92	0.0099464	3,197.21	0.00212000	685.03	0.02101092	6,789.15
RTEP	RTEP	729,771,911	0.00372813	2,720,884.55	0.00410042	2,992,371.34	0.00212000	1,547,118.14	0.00994855	7,260,174.03
RTEs	RTEs	103,934,576	0.00372813	387,481.61	0.00410042	426,175.41	0.00212000	220,341.78	0.00994855	1,033,998.80
RTEP	RTEP	1,301,969	0.00372813	4,853.91	0.00410042	5,338.62	0.00212000	2,760.17	0.00994855	12,952.70
RTS	RTS	7,719,669	0.00372813	28,779.93	0.00410042	31,653.89	0.00212000	16,365.70	0.00994855	76,799.51
Farmland	FTEP	35,801,200	0.00093203	33,367.79	0.00102511	36,700.17	0.00053000	18,974.64	0.00248714	89,042.60
Managed Forest	TTEP	666,325	0.00093203	621.03	0.00102511	683.06	0.00053000	353.15	0.00248714	1,667.24
Residential Hydro	RHEP	34,125	0.00372813	127.22	0.00410042	139.93	0.00212000	72.35	0.00994855	339.49
Total Residential		879,229,775		3,175,916.05		3,493,062.41		1,805,983.93		8,474,964.39
Res - Education only	RDEP	220,750		0.00		0.00	0.00212000	467.99	0.00212000	467.99
Total Taxes before PILs		904,748,577		3,336,973.98		3,669,893.50		2,155,439.62		9,182,307.10
PILs										
Commercial	CFN	226,260	0.00607958	1,375.50	0.00668668	1,512.86	0.01393802	3,153.48	0.02670428	6,041.84
Commercial General	CGN	134,225	0.00607958	816.03	0.00668668	897.52	0.00000000	0.00	0.01276626	1,713.55
Residential General	RGN	1,366,875	0.00372813	5,092.16	0.00410042	5,600.66	0.00000000	0.00	0.00762855	10,692.82
Residential	RREP TO RPEs	1,314,025	0.00372813	4,898.86	0.00410042	5,388.05	0.00212000	2,785.73	0.00994855	13,072.64
Industrial Hydro	IHN	108,975	0.01031965	1,124.58	0.0113260	1,213.18	0.01590000	1,732.70	0.03735225	4,070.46
Total PIL Assessment		3,149,350		13,307.14		14,612.27		7,671.91		35,591.32
TAXABLE ASSESSMENT		907,897,927		0.00		0.00		0.00		0.00
Exempt Assessment	EN	13,060,405		0.00		0.00		0.00		0.00
TOTAL ASSESSMENT		920,958,332		3,350,281.11		3,684,505.77		2,163,111.54		9,197,898.42

6.
**Resolutions/
Notice of Motions**

RESOLUTION OF COUNCIL

TOWNSHIP OF DRUMMOND/NORTH ELMSLEY

April 23, 2013

Number: 13-_____

Moved By: _____

Seconded By: _____

WHEREAS hundreds of thousands of Canadians show their concern for the environment and their communities each year by participating in PITCH-IN CANADA projects to: refuse, reuse, recycle and properly dispose of waste; clean up and rejuvenate local neighbourhoods, green spaces, ravines, waterways and illegal dump sites; restore habitats; and to establish composting and recycling projects; and

WHEREAS PITCH-IN CANADA, a national, community-based, organization comprised of eco-action and community volunteers, believes that maintaining a quality environment and encouraging civic pride is everyone's responsibility; and

WHEREAS PITCH-IN CANADA encourages voluntary action to: keep communities clean and beautiful and restore and maintain a healthy environment;

THEREFORE, I, Reeve Aubrey Churchill, on behalf of the Corporation of the Township of Drummond/North Elmsley, declare the week of April 21-27, 2013 as "PITCH-IN CANADA Week" and invite all citizens in our community to actively participate in PITCH-IN CANADA's **OPERATION: *Clean Sweep!***

CARRIED