

## Minutes

### City Council Minutes of 5/5/20

Location:	Tom Davies Square - Committee Room C-11 / Electronic Participation
Commencement:	5:10 PM
Adjournment:	10:02 PM

## His Worship, Mayor Brian Bigger, In the Chair

Present	Councillors Signoretti, Vagnini [D 6:47 p.m.], Montpellier, McCausland, Kirwan, Lapierre, Jakubo, Sizer, McIntosh, Cormier, Leduc, Landry-Altmann, Mayor Bigger
City Officials	Ed Archer, Chief Administrative Officer; Kevin Fowke, General Manager of Corporate Services; Tony Cecutti, General Manager of Growth and Infrastructure Services; Steve Jacques, General Manager of Community Development; Joseph Nicholls, General Manager of Community Safety; Ian Wood, Executive Director of Strategic Initiatives, Communication and Citizen Services; Eric Labelle, City Solicitor and Clerk; Kelly Gravelle, Deputy City Solicitor [A 6:10 p.m.]; Joanne Kelly, Director of Human Resources and Organizational Development [D 6:47 p.m.]; Brigitte Sobush, Manager of Clerk's Services / Deputy City Clerk [D 5:28 p.m.]; Keith Forrester, Manager of Real Estate [D 6:47 p.m.]; Jeff Pafford, Director of Leisure Services [D 6:47 p.m.]; Shawn Turner, Director of Assets and Fleet Services [D 6:47 p.m.]; Ron Foster, Auditor General; Melissa Zanette, Chief of Staff
Closed Session	<p>The following resolution was presented:</p> <p>CC2020-112 McCausland/Vagnini: THAT the City of Greater Sudbury move to Closed Session to deal with one (1) Acquisition or Disposition of Land item regarding property on Municipal Road 24, Lively and one (1) Labour Relations or Employee Negotiations item regarding COVID-19 Developments in accordance with the <i>Municipal Act, 2001</i>, s.239(2)(c) and (d).</p> <p><u>Rules of Procedure:</u></p> <p>A Recorded Vote was held:</p> <p><b>YEAS:</b> Councillors Signoretti, Vagnini, Montpellier, McCausland, Kirwan, Lapierre, Jakubo, Sizer, McIntosh, Cormier, Leduc, Landry-Altmann, Mayor Bigger</p> <p><b>CARRIED</b></p>

Council moved into closed session at 5:14 p.m.

Recess At 7:25 p.m., Council recessed.

Reconvene At 7:46 p.m., Council commenced the Open Session in Committee Room C-11.

## **His Worship Mayor Brian Bigger, In the Chair**

Present Councillors Signoretti, Vagnini [A 9:13 p.m.], Montpellier [D 9:27 p.m.], McCausland, Kirwan, Lapierre, Jakubo [D 9:44 p.m.], Sizer, McIntosh, Cormier, Leduc, Landry-Altmann, Mayor Bigger

City Officials Ed Archer, Chief Administrative Officer; Kevin Fowke, General Manager of Corporate Services; Tony Cecutti, General Manager of Growth and Infrastructure Services; Steve Jacques, General Manager of Community Development; Joseph Nicholls, General Manager of Community Safety; Ed Stankiewicz, Executive Director of Finance, Assets and Fleet; Ian Wood, Executive Director of Strategic Initiatives, Communication and Citizen Services; Ron Foster, Auditor General; Melissa Zanette, Chief of Staff; Marie Litalien, Acting Director of Communications and Community Engagements; Kelly Gravelle, Deputy City Solicitor; Jeff Pafford, Director of Leisure Services; Melissa Roney, Deputy Chief of Emergency Services; Brendan Adair, Manager of Corporate Security & By-Law Services; Meredith Armstrong, Acting Director of Economic Development; Eric Labelle, City Solicitor and Clerk; Julie Lalonde, Clerk's Services Assistant; Lisa Locken, Clerk's Services Assistant

### **DECLARATIONS OF PECUNIARY INTEREST AND THE GENERAL NATURE THEREOF**

None declared.

#### **Rules of Procedure**

Mayor Bigger moved that the order of the agenda be altered to deal with Matters Arising from the Closed Session following Managers' Reports.

**YEAS:** Councillors Signoretti, Montpellier, McCausland, Kirwan, Lapierre, Jakubo, Sizer, McIntosh, Cormier, Leduc, Landry-Altmann, Mayor Bigger

**CARRIED BY TWO-THIRDS MAJORITY**

### **Adopting, Approving or Receiving Items in the Consent Agenda**

The following resolution was presented:

CC2020-113 Lapierre/Signoretti: THAT the City of Greater Sudbury approves Consent Agenda Items C-1 to C-5 inclusive.

## Rules of Procedure

A Recorded Vote was held:

**YEAS:** Councillors Signoretti, Montpellier, McCausland, Kirwan, Lapierre, Jakubo, Sizer, McIntosh, Cormier, Leduc, Landry-Altmann, Mayor Bigger

**CARRIED**

## Minutes

### C-1 Planning Committee Minutes of March 9, 2020

CC2020-114 Lapierre/Signoretti: THAT the City of Greater Sudbury adopts the Planning Committee meeting minutes of March 9, 2020.

**CARRIED**

### C-2 City Council Minutes of March 10, 2020

CC2020-115 Lapierre/Signoretti: THAT the City of Greater Sudbury adopts the City Council meeting minutes of March 10, 2020.

**CARRIED**

### C-3 Special City Council Minutes of March 24, 2020

CC2020-116 Lapierre/Signoretti: THAT the City of Greater Sudbury adopts the Special City Council meeting minutes of March 24, 2020.

**CARRIED**

### C-4 City Council Minutes of March 24, 2020

CC2020-117 Lapierre/Signoretti: THAT the City of Greater Sudbury adopts the City Council meeting minutes of March 24, 2020.

**CARRIED**

## Routine Management Reports

### C-5 Citizen Appointments - Greater Sudbury Utilities Inc. and Greater Sudbury Hydro Inc

Report dated April 20, 2020 from the General Manager of Corporate Services regarding Citizen Appointments - Greater Sudbury Utilities Inc. and Greater Sudbury Hydro Inc.

CC2020-118 Lapierre/Signoretti: THAT the City of Greater Sudbury appoints Christina Visser and Lynne Dupuis as Directors of the Greater Sudbury Utilities Inc. and its subsidiary boards until their successors are appointed;

AND THAT Gerry Labelle and Kati McCartney be appointed as Directors of the Greater Sudbury Hydro Inc. until their successors are appointed;

AND THAT such appointments are hereby approved by City Council on behalf of the City of Greater Sudbury in its capacity as the sole shareholder of Greater Sudbury Utilities Inc. and its Subsidiary Boards;

AND THAT the Mayor for the City of Greater Sudbury is hereby authorized to execute the resolution on behalf of the City of Greater Sudbury as shareholder of the Greater Sudbury Utilities Inc. and its Subsidiary Boards.

**CARRIED**

## **Managers' Reports**

### **R-1      COVID-19 Update**

Report dated April 22, 2020 from the Chief Administrative Officer regarding COVID-19 Update.

For Information Only.

*At 9:13 p.m., Councillor Vagnini arrived.*

### **R-2      GSDC Funding for Science North Climate Action Object Theatre**

Report dated April 20, 2020 from the Chief Administrative Officer regarding GSDC Funding for Science North Climate Action Object Theatre.

The following resolution was presented:

CC2020-119 Lapierre/Sizer: WHEREAS the agreed-upon terms of partnership between the City of Greater Sudbury Community Development Corporation (CGSCDC) and City Council state that all funding commitments in excess of \$250,000 are to be jointly approved;

AND WHEREAS City Council provided conditional approval for funding support of Science North's Big Change, Big Impact initiative in August 2018 with a contribution of \$750,000 to match equal funding from the CGSCDC for the project, subject to municipal budget deliberations and approval of a business case in a future budget year;

AND WHEREAS Science North has presented an opportunity to advance the Climate Action Show object theatre project specifically in 2020 as a key component of the Big Change, Big Impact initiative;

THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED that upon recommendation by the City of Greater Sudbury Community Development Corporation, the City of Greater Sudbury hereby authorizes an investment of \$250,000 from the City's grant to the CGSCDC to support the Science North Climate Action Show object theatre project, under the terms and conditions outlined in CGSCDC Board Resolution 2020-012, dated April 8, 2020, as outlined in the report entitled "GSDC Funding for Science North Climate Action Object Theatre", from the Director of Economic Development, presented at the City Council meeting on May 5, 2020.

#### **Rules of Procedure**

A Recorded Vote was held:

**YEAS:** Councillors Signoretti, Vagnini, Montpellier, McCausland, Kirwan, Lapierre, Jakubo, Sizer, McIntosh, Cormier, Leduc, Landry-Altmann, Mayor Bigger

**CARRIED**

### **R-3      Paramedic Services - Community Paramedics**

Report dated April 17, 2020 from the General Manager of Community Safety regarding Paramedic Services - Community Paramedics.

The following resolution was presented:

CC2020-120 Lapierre/Leduc: THAT the City of Greater Sudbury approves the conversion of two full time long-term contracts to permanent full time Community Paramedics funded by the North East Local Health Integration Network (LHIN), as outlined in the report entitled "Paramedic Services - Community Paramedics", from the General Manager of Community Safety, presented at the City Council meeting on May 5, 2020.

Rules of Procedure

A Recorded Vote was held:

**YEAS:** Councillors Signoretti, Vagnini, Montpellier, McCausland, Kirwan, Lapierre, Jakubo, Sizer, McIntosh, Cormier, Leduc, Landry-Altmann, Mayor Bigger

**CARRIED**

**Matters Arising from the Closed Session**

Deputy Mayor Sizer, as Chair of the Closed Session, reported that Council met in Closed Session to deal with one (1) Acquisition or Disposition of Land item regarding property on Municipal Road 24, Lively and one (1) Labour Relations or Employee Negotiations item regarding COVID-19 Developments in accordance with the Municipal Act, 2001, s.239(2)(c) and (d). No direction or resolutions emanated from this meeting.

**By-Laws**

The following resolution was presented:

CC2020-121 Signoretti/Vagnini: THAT the City of Greater Sudbury read and pass By-law 2020-76 to and including By-law 2020-83.

**CARRIED**

Rules of Procedure

A Recorded Vote was held:

**YEAS:** Councillors Signoretti, Vagnini, Montpellier, McCausland, Kirwan, Lapierre, Jakubo, Sizer, McIntosh, Cormier, Leduc, Landry-Altmann, Mayor Bigger

**CARRIED**

The following are the By-laws:

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| 2020-76 | A By-law of the City of Greater Sudbury to Confirm the Proceedings of Council at its Meeting of May 5, 2020  |
| 2020-77 | A By-law of the City of Greater Sudbury to Authorize Façade Improvement Grants under the Downtown Sudbury Community Improvement Plan<br>Finance and Administration Committee Resolution #FA2019-92<br>(This by-law authorizes grants in accordance with the Downtown Sudbury Community Improvement Plan as approved under the Business Case for Service Level Change and authorizes the General Manager of Growth and Infrastructure Services to sign grant agreements with the grant recipients.) |

- 2020-78 A By-Law of the City of Greater Sudbury to Authorize Grants Under the Town Centre Community Improvement Plan  
Finance and Administration Committee Resolution #FA2019-92  
(This By-law authorizes grants under the Town Centre Community Improvement Plan, delegates approval authority for remaining Main Street Revitalization Initiative Funds to the General Manager of Growth and Infrastructure and authorizes the General Manager of Growth and Infrastructure Services to sign grant agreements with the recipient of the grants, and amends By-law 2019-39 to remove reference to projects which did not proceed.)  
  
Report dated April 20, 2020 from the General Manager of Growth and Infrastructure regarding Authorize Town Centre - Main Street Revitalization Initiative grants.
- 2020-79 A By-law of the City of Greater Sudbury to Authorize the Payment of Grants from the Healthy Community Initiative Fund, Various Wards  
Finance & Administration Committee Resolutions #FA2020-17 and #FA2020-18  
(This by-law authorizes grants funded through the Healthy Community Initiative Fund for various Wards.)
- 2020-80 A By-law of the City of Greater Sudbury to Authorize Certain Grants under the Lake Stewardship Grant Program  
(This By-law authorizes the payment of \$500 to each of the nine successful applicants and the payment of \$400 to one successful applicant to the Lake Stewardship Grant Programs 2020.)  
  
Report dated April 7, 2020 from the General Manager of Growth and Infrastructure regarding Lake Stewardship Grant Program - 2020.
- 2020-81 A By-law of the City of Greater Sudbury to Amend By-law 2018-121 being A By-law of the City of Greater Sudbury Respecting the Appointment of Officials of the City  
(This by-law updates certain appointments to reflect staff changes and appoint City Building Inspectors as Municipal Law Enforcement Officers.)
- 2020-82Z A By-law of the City of Greater Sudbury to Amend By-law 2010-100Z Being the Comprehensive Zoning By-law for the City of Greater Sudbury  
Planning Committee Resolution #PL2020-23  
(This by-law does not rezone the subject property. Pursuant to Section 39.1(4) of the Planning Act, Council has extended a temporary use by-law in order to continue the outdoor sale of blueberries for a maximum period of three (3) years. – Carpenter Investments Limited - South Lane Road, Sudbury.)
- 2020-83 A By-law of the City Of Greater Sudbury to Authorize the Payment of Grants to Various Non-Profit Community Organizations in the Leisure Services Sector  
(This by-law authorizes payment of the 2020 annual grants authorized as part of the budget process. Grants are generally used by recipients towards operating costs and costs to deliver special events and programs.)

*At 9:27 p.m., Councillor Montpellier departed.*

## **Members' Motions**

### **Rules of Procedure**

Councillor McIntosh presented a Motion regarding the Cultivate Your Neighbourhood Program HCI Grant and asked that the notice be waived.

### **Rules of Procedure**

A Recorded Vote was held:

**YEAS:** Councillors Signoretti, Vagnini, McCausland, Kirwan, Lapierre, Jakubo, Sizer, McIntosh, Cormier, Leduc, Landry-Altmann, Mayor Bigger

**WAIVED BY TWO-THIRDS MAJORITY**

The following resolution was presented:

CC2020-122 McIntosh/McCausland: WHEREAS the Cultivate Your Neighbourhood Program is an eco-friendly initiative to help support food security in our community, and this pilot project has been designed to encourage residents to stay active and productive at home during the COVID-19 emergency;

AND WHEREAS the program encourages residents to grow produce at home and donate a share of their homegrown crops to neighbours, local food banks/meal programs, and to build food security for their families;

AND WHEREAS the project is led by the Sudbury Community Garden Network, Sudbury Shared Harvest and the Sudbury Food Bank in partnership with the Greater Sudbury Food Policy Council, local businesses and the City of Greater Sudbury;

AND WHEREAS the program objectives are to provide residents with the means to contribute to community wellness and an activity to improve mental and physical well-being, increase food security across the City by engaging more neighbourhood and home gardening, provide fresh food to local food banks and meal providers, and increase gardening interest and skills among diverse vulnerable, newly economically challenged populations as a result of COVID-19;

AND WHEREAS the project would provide garden soil for ground yard gardens to be delivered to residents free of charge, seeds/seedlings to be picked up at various community locations free of charge, and advice to first time gardeners;

AND WHEREAS the goal of the program is to be available to City of Greater Sudbury residents through a first come, first served registration process to create 300 new gardens, with up to 25 gardens per ward;

AND WHEREAS a companion pilot program is being developed through Greater Sudbury Housing for social housing complexes in Greater Sudbury;

THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED that the City of Greater Sudbury direct that a one-time grant in the amount of \$30,000 be awarded to the Sudbury Food Bank from the Healthy Community Initiatives Fund to support the Cultivate Your Neighbourhood Program;

AND BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that the funds be drawn from each of the 12 wards' HCI grant allocation in the amount of \$2,500;

AND BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that the City of Greater Sudbury enter into a grant agreement with the Sudbury Food Bank outlining program objectives, eligible expenses and deliverables.

Rules of Procedure

A Recorded Vote was held:

**YEAS:** Councillors Signoretti, Vagnini, McCausland, Kirwan, Lapierre, Jakubo, Sizer, McIntosh, Cormier, Leduc, Landry-Altmann, Mayor Bigger  
**CARRIED**

*At 9:44 p.m., Councillor Jakubo departed.*

**Addendum**

The following resolution was presented:

CC2020-123 Vagnini/Cormier: THAT the City of Greater Sudbury deals with the items on the Addendum to the Agenda at this time.

Rules of Procedure

A Recorded Vote was held:

**YEAS:** Councillors Signoretti, Vagnini, McCausland, Kirwan, Lapierre, Sizer, McIntosh, Cormier, Leduc, Landry-Altmann, Mayor Bigger  
**CARRIED BY TWO-THIRDS MAJORITY**

**DECLARATIONS OF PECUNIARY INTEREST AND THE GENERAL NATURE THEREOF**

None declared.

**Managers' Reports**

**Nomination to the Federation of Canadian Municipalities' Board of Directors**

Report dated April 7, 2020 from the Executive Director of Strategic Initiatives, Communication and Citizen Services regarding Nomination to the Federation of Canadian Municipalities' Board of Directors.

The following resolution was presented:

CC2020-124 Leduc/Cormier: THAT the City of Greater Sudbury endorses the nomination of Councillor Mark Signoretti to stand for election on FCM's Board of Directors for a one year period starting June 2020.

AND BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that the City of Greater Sudbury assumes all costs associated with Councillor Mark Signoretti attending FCM's Board of Directors' meetings, if elected, as outlined in the report entitled "Nomination to the Federation of Canadian Municipalities' Board of Directors", from the General Manager of Corporate Services, presented at the City Council meeting on May 5, 2020.

Rules of Procedure

A Recorded Vote was held:



**YEAS:** Councillors Signoretti, Vagnini, McCausland, Kirwan, Lapierre, Sizer, McIntosh, Cormier, Leduc, Landry-Altmann, Mayor Bigger

**CARRIED**

#### **By-laws**

The following resolution was presented:

CC2020-125 Kirwan/Landry-Altmann: THAT the City of Greater Sudbury read and pass By-law 2020-84.

#### **Rules of Procedure**

**YEAS:** Councillors Signoretti, Vagnini, McCausland, Kirwan, Lapierre, Sizer, McIntosh, Cormier, Leduc, Landry-Altmann, Mayor Bigger

**CARRIED**

The following is the By-law:

2020-84 A By-law of the City of Greater Sudbury to Amend By-law 2011-100 Being a By-law of the City of Greater Sudbury to Regulate the Sale and Discharge of Fireworks in the City of Greater Sudbury

#### **Civic Petitions**

No Civic Petitions were submitted.

#### **Question Period**

No Questions were asked.

#### **Adjournment**

CC2020-126 Vagnini/McIntosh: THAT this meeting does now adjourn. Time: 10:02 p.m.

#### **Rules of Procedure**

A Recorded Vote was held:

**YEAS:** Councillors Signoretti, Vagnini, McCausland, Kirwan, Lapierre, Sizer, McIntosh, Cormier, Leduc, Landry-Altmann, Mayor Bigger

**CARRIED**

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Mayor Brian Bigger, Chair

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Eric Labelle, City Solicitor and Clerk