

Minutes

Hearing Committee Minutes of 2/17/21

Location: Tom Davies Square -
Council Chamber /
Electronic
Participation

Commencement: 6:00 PM

Adjournment: 6:11 PM

Councillor Signoretti, In the Chair

Present Councillors Signoretti, Vagnini, Lapierre, Cormier, Leduc

City Officials Kelly Gravelle, Deputy City Solicitor; Kyla Bell, Manager of Taxation; Christine Hodgins, Deputy City Clerk; Anessa Basso, Clerk's Services Assistant; Lisa Locken, Clerk's Services Assistant

DECLARATIONS OF PECUNIARY INTEREST AND THE GENERAL NATURE THEREOF

None declared.

Appointment of Committee Chair and Vice-Chair

Appointment of Chair and Vice-Chair - Hearing Committee

Report dated December 17, 2020 from the General Manager of Corporate Services regarding Appointment of Chair and Vice-Chair - Hearing Committee.

Nominations were held for the positions of Committee Chair and Vice-Chair.

Councillor Vagnini nominated Councillor Signoretti as Chair.

Councillor Leduc nominated himself as Vice-Chair.

There being no further nominations, nominations were closed.

Councillor Signoretti accepted the nomination.

Councillor Leduc accepted the nomination.

The following the resolution was presented:

HC2021-01 Leduc/Lapierre: THAT the City of Greater Sudbury appoints Councillor Signoretti

as Chair and Councillor Leduc as Vice-Chair of the Hearing Committee for the term ending November 14, 2022, as outlined in the report entitled "Appointment of Chair and Vice-Chair - Hearing Committee", from the General Manager of Corporate Services, presented at the Hearing Committee meeting on February 17, 2021.

CARRIED

Public Hearings

- 1 Cancellation, Reduction or Refund of Taxes under Sections 357 and 358 of the Municipal Act, 2001

The Hearing Committee meeting was adjourned and the Public Hearing was opened to deal with the following:

Report dated January 12, 2021 from the General Manager of Corporate Services regarding Cancellation, Reduction or Refund of Taxes under Sections 357 and 358 of the Municipal Act, 2001.

Kelly Gravelle, Deputy City Solicitor, outlined the report.

The Chair asked whether there was anyone in the audience who wished to speak in favour or against this application and hearing none:

The Public Hearing concerning this matter was closed and the Hearing Committee resumed in order to discuss and vote on the application.

The following resolution was presented:

HC2021-02 Leduc/Lapierre: THAT taxes totaling approximately \$12,743.47 be adjusted under Sections 357 and 358 of the Municipal Act, 2001, of which the City's (municipal) portion is estimated to be \$11,236.64, as outlined in the report entitled "Cancellation, Reduction or Refund of Taxes under Sections 357 and 358 of the Municipal Act, 2001," from the General Manager of Corporate Services presented, at the Hearing Committee on February 17, 2021;

AND THAT the associated interest be cancelled in proportion to the tax adjustments;

AND THAT the Manager of Taxation be directed to adjust the Collector's Roll accordingly;

AND THAT staff be authorized and directed to take appropriate action.

CARRIED

Members' Motions

No Motions were presented.

Addendum

No Addendum was presented.

Civic Petitions

No Civic Petitions were submitted.

Question Period

No Questions were asked.

Adjournment

HC2021-03 Lapierre/Leduc: THAT this meeting does now adjourn. Time 6:11 p.m.

CARRIED

Christine Hodgins, Deputy City
Clerk