

Regular Council Meeting #14525-701 of The Glovertown Town Council held in Council Chambers on April 27, 2022 at 7:30 PM.

Councillors Present: Mayor Churchill
Deputy Mayor Gordon
Councillor Arnold
Councillor Mackey
Councillor Burry
Councillor Blackwood, Jr.

Staff Present: Joanne Perry, Acting Town Manager

Visiting Groups: Drexel Sparkes

Due to vision issues, Mayor Churchill turned the meeting over to Deputy Mayor Gordon to chair.

MINUTES

1. Moved by Mayor Churchill and seconded by Councillor Arnold that the minutes of Council Meeting held on April 13, 2022 be adopted as presented. (Carried) **6 for**

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2. Moved by Councillor Arnold and seconded by Mayor Churchill that the minutes of Regular Council Meeting held on April 13, 2022 be adopted as presented. (Carried) **6 for**

COME HOME YEAR COMMITTEE

3. It was a consensus that Councillor Blackwood Jr. be added to the Council Come Home Year Committee.

VISITING GROUPS

4. Drexel Sparkes was present re: Sweetapple Terrace.

ACOA - MAIN STREET INITIATIVE FUNDING

5. Moved by Councillor Arnold and seconded by Mayor Churchill that Council apply for funding through the ACOA - Main Street Initiative Grant in the amount of \$46,828.53 for Come Home Year activities/events. (Carried) **6 for**

GLOVERTOWN FIRE RESCUE 6.

Moved by Councillor Blackwood Jr. and seconded by Councillor Burry that in response to letter from Glovertown Fire Rescue dated April 12, 2022; Council to provide janitor services for 1 extra hour on regular Fire Hall cleaning day to launder the bunker gear. (Carried) 6 for

RNC - ADVERTISING
CAMPAIGN

(Carried) 6 for

7. Moved by Councillor Arnold and seconded by Councillor Blackwood Jr. that the correspondence from RNC dated April 4, 2022 re: advertising campaign be filed.

RESOLUTION WORLD OCEANS
DAY 2022

8. Moved by Councillor Arnold and seconded by Councillor Mackey that:

WHEREAS, Wednesday, June 8, 2022, is the 30th annual World Ocean's Day. World Oceans Day is the United Nations Day for celebrating the role of the ocean in everyday life and inspiring action to protect it.

WHEREAS, Countries around the world, including Canada as a prominent leader, have committed to protecting 30% of their ocean territory by 2030 in order to reverse nature loss in the ocean and safeguard at-risk marine life.

WHEREAS, the ocean is home to hundreds of species at risk, vulnerable ecosystems, and is a crucial carbon sink shielding us from the worst of climate change.

WHEREAS, the ocean produces over half of the world's oxygen and absorbs 50 times more carbon dioxide than our atmosphere. Therefore, protecting the ocean is in the interest of all life on Earth, and communities both coastal and inland, as it is essential to our shared future.

WHEREAS, It is the jurisdiction of the Government of Canada, under various pieces of legislation and regulation, to establish marine protected areas in consultation with Indigenous Peoples. Many Indigenous nations and communities are leading in the conservation of the ocean, and have been stewards of the ocean since time immemorial.

WHEREAS, It is important for municipal leaders to demonstrate support for actions to safeguard

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the ocean, as they have for action on climate change and other environmental matters of national importance.

WHEREAS, In celebrating the ocean, and protecting its habitats and ecosystems, we can together raise the profile of ocean conservation's critical role in improving planetary health and slowing the crisis of species collapse and ecosystem decline. **Therefore, be it resolved** that the Town of Glovertown recognizes the 30th anniversary of World Oceans Day on June 8th, 2022 and supports national and international efforts to protect 30% of the ocean by 2030. (Carried) **6 for**

**DONATION RONALD
MACDONALD HOUSE**

9. Moved by Councillor Arnold and seconded by Councillor Blackwood Jr. that Council donate \$100.00 to the Ronald MacDonald House. (Carried) **6 for**

**BANK OF NOVA
SCOTIA**

10. Moved by Councillor Blackwood Jr. and seconded by Councillor Arnold that in response to email from Beverly Ann Parady, Manager, Bank of Nova Scotia Glovertown, Council would forward a letter indicating that it would be interested in the building if it were gifted to the Town.

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SUPPORT RTTB ASSOCIATION

11. It was a consensus that in response to email from the Road to the Beaches Tourism Association dated April 20, 2022, Council will provide a letter of support for their ACOA Main Street Initiative Funding application if they will provide us with a letter of support.

CHEQUE REGISTER A

12. Moved by Councillor Arnold and seconded by Councillor Mackey that the cheque register A be approved in the amount of \$84,452.13 as presented. (Carried) **6 for** Councillor Mackey and Councillor Blackwood Jr. declared conflict of interest on the next matter and left the chambers.

CHEQUE REGISTER B

13. Moved by Councillor Arnold and seconded by Councillor Burry that the cheque register B be approved in the amount of \$238.46 as presented. (Carried) **4 for**

Councillor Blackwood Jr. returned to chambers.**JOHN & ANGELA SQUIRE WATER/SEWER CONNECTION**

14. It was a consensus that Council meet to revisit the decision regarding water and sewer connection for John & Angela Squire, Blueberry Place. Public Works Foreman to attend. Councillor Mackey returned to chambers.

ADJOURNMENT

15. Moved by Councillor Mackey and seconded by Councillor Arnold that the meeting adjourn. (Carried) **6 for**

Meeting adjourned at 8:55 pm

Mayor Churchill

Joanne Perry, Town Clerk