## Council Meeting Place: Town Office Date: December 5<sup>th</sup>, 2017 Time: 4:45pm

resent	Mayor Reid Joseph Reid Deputy Mayor Jocelyn Payne Councillor Victor Major Councillor Caroline Bugden (Arrived @ 4:52pm) Councillor Eugene Bellows Councillor George Tucker Councillor Rudy Burridge Town Clerk Manager Jennifer Samms Asst. Town Clerk April Crocker	
Public Meeting Called to order at 4:45pm	By: Mayor Joseph Reid	
Budget	A draft copy of the 2018 budget was presented and discussed. The final budget will be accepted at the December 12 <sup>th</sup> meeting including the necessary revisions as directed by Council.	
Adoption of Agenda		
Motion 2017-276 Tucker/Bellows	Be it resolved that the agenda be adopted as presented. All in Favor. Carried. (Reid, Payne, Major, Bugden, Bellows, Tucker, Burridge)	
Adoption of Minutes from Regular meeting November 21 <sup>st</sup> & Special Meeting November 27th, 2017	No Errors or Omissions	
<u>Motion 2017-277</u> Major/Tucker	Be it resolved that the minutes from regular Council meeting November 21 <sup>st</sup> & Special Meeting November 27th, 2017 be adopted as presented. All in Favor. Carried. (Reid, Payne, Tucker, Major, Bugden, Burridge, Bellows)	
Financial Report		
<u>Motion 2017-278</u> Tucker/Major	Be it resolved that approval be given to pay the invoices. All in Favor. Carried. (Reid, Payne, Burridge, Tucker, Bellows, Major, Bugden)	
M <u>otion 2017-279</u> ucker/Bugden	Be it resolved that Council agrees to transfer funds received from the Capital Works Main Street Project - \$1,596.05 in the Main Account to the Capital Works Account. All in Favor. Carried. (Reid, Tucker, Payne, Burridge, Bellows, Bugden, Major)	

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Adjournment Motion 2017-283 Major	Be it resolved that the meeting adjourn at 7:10pm. All in favor. Carried.	
Scheduling of next neeting	Next meeting will be scheduled for December 12 <sup>th</sup> , 2017 @ 4:45pm.	
Roundtable	Councillors will be working on the Christmas Float this week. Will use the Town Truck to pull the float.	
Applications & Development/Proposa <u>Motion 2017-283</u> Major/Bugden	Be it resolved that Council approves application for new Fire Department Member Mitchell McGrath. All in Favor. Carried. (Reid, Payne, Bellows, Burridge, Tucker, Major, Bugden)	
	Mayors Forum terms of reference was passed out to all Councillors to read and to bring input back to Council if required.  Councillor Bugden left meeting due to conflict of interest @ 6:50pm  Some concerns from a resident were discussed regarding snow clearing and erosion on Bugden's Cove Road. The Roads Committee and the Lands Development Committee will meet with resident.  Councillor Bugden returned to meeting @ 6:57pm.	
Motion 2017-282 Tucker/Payne  Correspondence	Be it resolved that Council agrees to move forward with taking over the ownership of the Lions Club building providing no financial contributions from Council will be required. The Town will lease the building to the Lions Club for 20 years. All in Favor. Carried. (Reid, Tucker, Bellows, Major, Bugden, Payne, Burridge)	
Motion 2017-281 Major/Burridge	Be it resolved that Councillor Major requests that the motion 2017-27 be rescinded. All in Favor. Carried. (Reid, Payne, Bugden, Burridge, Major, Bellows, Tucker)	
Motion 2017-280 Payne/Bugden	Be it resolved that Council accepts the 5% increase for the Animal Control Services. All in Favor. Carried. (Reid, Tucker, Payne, Burridge, Bugden, Major, Bellows)	

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Councillor Notes:	м.
Signature: Joseph Roid, Mayor	Date: December 13, 2017
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