

**NOVEMBER 4, 2019
MALLORYTOWN, ON**

A Special Meeting of the Council of the Township of Front of Yonge was held on the evening of November 4, 2019 at 6:00 p.m. Mayor Roger Haley, and Councillors Fancy, Marcoux, Massey and Williams were in attendance.

CALL TO ORDER

Moved by Gail Williams and seconded by Margaret Fancy that this Special Meeting be called to order.

Carried (#11-01)

APPROVAL OF AGENDA

Moved by Margaret Fancy and seconded by Gail Williams that Council approve the agenda.

Carried (#11-02)

CATARAQUI REGION CONSERVATION AUTHORITY

On behalf of the Cataraqui Region Conservation Authority, representatives Geoff Rae, Katrina Fulanetto and Alan Revill were in attendance to discuss the roles and responsibilities of the Authority. A presentation was also prepared with regards to the Authority's 2020 draft budget.

Ms. Furlanetto outlined the watershed region and discussed the various programs and services provided by the CRCA. These involve conservation education, both indoor and outdoor programs for all ages with hands-on learning activities and experiences; forestry such as tree planting program to rural landowners on a cost-sharing basis, seedling sales and large stock tree sales, tree planting events and operating of nurseries and various locations throughout the watershed; ownership of managed forests and protected lands; conservation areas and the different amenities offered at these areas; public outreach initiatives; flood forecasting and warning that includes providing floodplain mapping to municipalities, the predicting and monitoring of flood flows and water levels, operating of water control structures and issuing of flood messaging. Information was also provided with regards to watershed monitoring and reporting, and planning and regulations, as many inquiries were received from local residents and property owners pertaining to dock and shoreline rehabilitation.

DRAFT 2020 BUDGET

The draft 2020 budget and capital forecast was presented. Front of Yonge will see a decrease of 0.3% over last year's levy. This is in part a result of the Minister of the Environment, Conservation and Parks directive to Conservation Authority's to not proceed with any increases to fees and levies unless supported by the partner municipalities for 2020 and beyond.

Ms. Furlanetto took some questions from the public, which pertained to permit requirements. Permanent docks and repairs to existing cribs or the removal of a crib require permits. Seasonal docks that are not permanently fixed to the bed of the lake or shoreline, and docks less than 10 sq. m. in size do not require permits.

ADJOURNMENT

Moved by Carson Massey and seconded by Margaret Fancy that this Special Meeting be adjourned.

Carried (#11-03)

Mayor, Roger Haley

Clerk, Jennifer Ault