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Council Meeting Minutes

Date: October 15, 2025

Time: 7:00 pm

Location: Council Chambers

Members Present Don Murray, Mayor

Jim Hanna, Deputy Mayor Larry Allison, Councillor Shari Flett, Councillor Carl Sloetjes, Councillor

Members Absent Scott Gibson, Councillor

Ed McGugan, Councillor

Staff Present Jennifer White, Clerk

Jodi MacArthur, Chief Administrative Officer

Brett Pollock, Manager of Building and Planning, CBO

1. Call to Order

Mayor Murray called the meeting to order at 7:00 p.m.

2. Committee of Adjustment

Resolution No.: 10/13/2025 - 01

Moved By Carl Sloetjes Seconded By Jim Hanna

THAT Council move into Committee of Adjustment for the purpose of considering a minor variance application;

AND FURTHER THAT Council return to the regular open meeting upon completion.

3. Disclosure of Pecuniary Interest

None disclosed.

4. Adoption of Minutes

Resolution No.: 10/15/2025 - 02

Moved By Jim Hanna

Seconded By Carl Sloetjes

THAT the minutes of the Council meeting of September 8th and September 15th, 2025 and Committee of the Whole meeting of October 6th, 2025 be adopted as presented.

Carried

5. Delegations

None.

6. Public Meetings Required Under the Planning Act

6.1 Martin Z-2025-042

The purpose of the application is to is for a zoning by-law amendment. It is proposed to rezone the subject lands from Agriculture Rural (AG4) and Environmental Protection (EP) to Agricultural Rural Special (AG4-25.188) and Environmental Protection.

If approved, the application would facilitate the construction of a covering for the existing manure storage area.

The Planner explained the report and recommendation. Any comments received from Agencies and the Public received by the time of writing the report are in the written report.

Presentations from the Applicant

The applicant did not provide comment on the application.

Presentations from the Public

No person or public body had comments on the application.

Questions and Clarifications from Council

None noted.

Resolution No.: 10/13/2025 - 03

Moved By Shari Flett Seconded By Larry Allison

THAT the Township of Huron-Kinloss Council approve the planning application Z-2025 - 042 Martin;

AND FURTHER THAT the Staff bring forward the appropriate by-law as a matters arising.

Carried

7. Staff Report

7.1 Building and Planning

a. Holding Removal- 411 Winnebago Rd, BLD-2025-21

Resolution No.: 10/13/2025 - 04

Moved By Carl Sloetjes Seconded By Larry Allison

THAT THE Township of Huron-Kinloss Committee of the Whole hereby approves Report BLD-2025-21 prepared by Michele Barr;

AND FURTHER authorizes a by-law be brought forward as a matters arising to remove the holding zone from the property described as Huron Con A Pt Lot 7 RP 3R10361 Pt 6.

Carried

b. Site Plan Control Grassroots, 760 Bruce Rd 86; Con 1 Pt Lots 37 & 38, BLD-2025-22

Council inquired about the timing of the construction. Staff have been informed that it is expected to be done early spring.

Resolution No.: 10/13/2025 - 05

Moved By Shari Flett Seconded By Jim Hanna THAT the Township of Huron-Kinloss Committee of the Whole hereby receives for information Report BLDG-2025-22, as prepared by Michele Barr, Deputy Chief Building Official.

Carried

8. By-Laws and Agreements

8.1 Appointment of Drainage Superintendent (L. Hunter)

Resolution No.: 10/13/2025 - 06

Moved By Larry Allison Seconded By Jim Hanna

THAT the "Appointment of Drainage Superintendent (L.Hunter) By-law" be considered to be read a first, second, third time and finally deemed passed and numbered as By-law No. 2025-103.

Carried

9. Matters Arising

9.1 Holding Removal (411 Winnebago Rd.) Zoning By-law

Resolution No.: 10/13/2025 - 07

Moved By Carl Sloetjes Seconded By Shari Flett

THAT the "Holding Removal (411 Winnebago) Zoning By-law" be considered to be read a first, second, third time and finally deemed passed and numbered as By-law No. 2025-102.

Carried

9.2 Zoning Amendment (Z-2025-042 Martin) By-law

Resolution No.: 10/13/2025 - 08

Moved By Shari Flett Seconded By Carl Sloetjes

THAT the "Zoning Amendment (Z-2025-042 Martin) By-law" be considered to be read a first, second, third time and finally deemed passed and numbered as By-law No. 2025-104.

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10.	New Business/ Council Reports	
	None noted.	
11.	Confirming By-Law	
	Resolution No.: 10/13/2025 - 09	
	Moved By Larry Allison Seconded By Shari Flett	
	THAT the "Confirmatory October 2025" By-law be second, third time and finally passed and number	
		Carried
12.	Adjournment	
	Resolution No.: 10/13/2025 - 10	
	Moved By Carl Sloetjes Seconded By Jim Hanna	
	THAT this meeting adjourn at 7:20 p.m.	
		Carried
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