

CORPORATION OF THE MUNICIPALITY OF CALVIN



Have a Safe and
Happy Summer!
From your Council
and Municipal Staff.



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RECREATION COMMITTEE EVENTS

Due to lack of volunteers, the Calvin Dinner /Jams have been cancelled until further notice.

VOLUNTEERS NEEDED FOR AUGUST 25-26 FALL FAIR. PLEASE CONTACT TREVOR @ 705-744-3900 OR SANDY @ 705-744-7269

Reminders

- Summer Landfill Hours are now in effect—April 1st to October 31st.
- Burning Regulations are now in effect—April 1st to October 31st.

NOTICE:

The Municipality of Calvin Council has secured funding to replace the aging Slide/Climber unit in the playground. Work will be ongoing over the next few months to remove and replace the Slide/Climber unit. The anticipated completion date of the change over is the end of July.

Sorry for any inconvenience this may cause.

CALVIN LANDFILL 111 Adams Road

CALVIN RECYCLES—Keep up the good work!

You are making a difference!

Apr. 1 to Sept 30 Oct. 1 to Mar 31

Tues. 1pm—6pm Tues. 1pm-4pm
Sat. 10am—3pm Sat. 10am-3pm

MUNICIPAL OFFICE HOURS

Monday to Friday, 8:30am to 4pm

1355 Peddlers Drive

Phone 705-744-2700

**Email: clerk@calvintownship.ca or
administration@calvintownship.ca**

Local Publication issued July 15/17: Lynda Kovacs, Clerk / Treasurer

2017 Annual Fall Fair & Family Fun Baseball Tournament
Presented by the Calvin Recreation Committee

August 26th 2017 @ the Calvin Hall 1355 Peddlers Drive

We are in need of **Several Volunteers** to
Run the Fall Fair and Baseball Tournament this year.

We need your help with:

Canteen

Smiling face, good with making change.

Children's Games

Working with young'ens, like to play, laugh, and be silly?

Set up

Are you organized?

Have time to set some things up away from the crowd?

Cooking

Flipping burgers and boiling corn.

Simple fare, but oh so tasty!

Clean up

Packin' up, wiping' down, takin' out the trash.

Baseball

Do you know a strike from a ball?

We need help with umpiring and scoring.

If you are willing to help in *any* of these areas *please* contact

Trevor (705) 744-3900 or Sandy (705) 744-7269

Guided Hike Eau Claire Gorge

Friday July 28, 2017 - 9:30am



MATTAWA RIVER
CANOE RACE

Guest Guide Liz Lott

Local visual artist and photographer

NATURE AND PHOTOGRAPHY

Discover nature through the camera lens.
Bring your camera, phone, DSLR or manual camera.

Guided Hike and Bus are Free

Donations to support our Stewardship/Outreach are greatly appreciated!

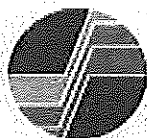
Bus Pick Up From North Bay
New Ontario Brewery (8:15am)
1881 Cassells St.

Or meet us at the Gorge at 9:30am!

Driving Directions to Gorge:
Hwy 17 turn South on Hwy 630
Follow the signs to Eau Claire
Gorge Conservation Area.
Entrance is on the right.



Parts of the trail are rugged and steep.
Wear proper footwear. May not be suitable
for small children.



NORTH BAY-MATTAWA
CONSERVATION
AUTHORITY

The hike is part of the July 29, 2017 Mattawa
River Canoe Race event! Paddle 64km from
North Bay to Mattawa or join the 13km
family/junior race from Samuel de Champlain
Provincial Park.

www.mattawarivercanoerace.ca



www.nbmca.ca



To reserve your seat on the bus
call NBMCA 705 474-5420

IMPORTANT
2017 Amendment to the Municipal Act

Time Frame for Outstanding Property Taxes and Registration of
Tax Arrears Has Been Changed from Three Years to Two Years

Registration of tax arrears certificate

373 (1) Where any part of tax arrears is owing with respect to land in a municipality on January 1 in the second year following that in which the real property taxes become owing, the treasurer of the municipality, unless otherwise directed by the municipality, may prepare and register a tax arrears certificate against the title to that land. 2001, c. 25, s. 373 (1); 2017, c. 10, Sched. 1, s. 55 (1).

This means that if property taxes are not paid in full by January 1st in the second year after which they were due and payable, a Tax Arrears Certificate may be registered and the Tax Sale process of the property may begin.

Form

(2) A tax arrears certificate registered under this section shall indicate that the land described in the certificate will be sold by public sale if the cancellation price is not paid within one year following the date of the registration of the tax arrears certificate. 2001, c. 25, s. 373 (2); 2017, c. 10, Sched. 1, s. 55 (2).

This means that once a Tax Arrears Certificate has been registered, and taxes plus fees are not paid up within one year of the registration date, the property will be sold by public sale (Tax Sale).

**CORPORATION OF THE MUNICIPALITY OF CALVIN
MINUTES OF THE REGULAR MEETING TUESDAY MAY 23, 2017**

The regular meeting of Council was held this date at the Calvin Community Centre. Present were Mayor Brown, Deputy Mayor Pennell, Coun Adams, Coun Edwards, Coun O'Connor, Chris Whalley, Ken Brewitt, Cindy Pigeau and Lynda Kovacs.

Regrets: 0

Guests: 2

The meeting was called to order at 7:00 p.m. by Mayor Brown

PECUNIARY/CONFLICT OF INTEREST: None Declared
PRESENTATIONS/DELEGATIONS: None

2017-086 MINUTES OF COUNCIL MEETING

Moved by Coun Pennell and seconded by Coun Edwards that the minutes of the regular meeting of Council held on Tuesday May 9, 2017 be hereby adopted and signed as circulated.
Carried

**2017-087 CONSENT APPLICATION #2017-03 CONC 7 LOTS 35/36
SMITH/HAMILTON TO CREATE 3 NEW**

RESIDENTIAL LOTS

Moved by Coun Edwards and seconded by Coun Adams – WHEREAS an application for Consent No. 2017-03 in the name of Smith/Hamilton has been filed with the East Nipissing Planning Board on lands known as Concession 7 Lots 35 & 36, Municipality of Calvin, to create three (3) new residential lots of approximately 5.1 acres each on Mount Pleasant Road, which is a year round maintained municipal road, and;

WHEREAS entrances to the proposed residential lots, as well as entrance to the remainder of parent lot 36 (approximately 69 acres), from both the year round maintained section of Latimer Lane and from Mount Pleasant Road, have been pre-approved by the Public Works Superintendent;

NOW THEREFORE the Council of the Municipality of Calvin RESOLVES that:

1. It is recommended that the East Nipissing Planning Board give provisional consent to this application, and;
2. That the southernmost proposed lot has limited visibility for entrance from both directions. The Public Works Superintendent

must be contacted for entrance permit and for locate of entrances on all three proposed new lots.

3. A copy of the completed survey for the new residential lots shall be provided to the municipality, in both hard copy and digital format, and;

4. That the 5% Cash in Lieu shall apply to all three newly created lots and is payable in full to the Municipality as a requirement of consent.

Carried

2017-088 TEMPORARY SHARED SERVICES TOWNSHIP OF BONFIELD

Moved by Coun Pennell and seconded by Coun Edwards that the Township of Bonfield has requested temporary staffing assistance from the Municipality of Calvin, for approximately one month beginning immediately, allowing Calvin's Livestock Valuers to act as Livestock Valuers for the Township of Bonfield during the necessary absence of Bonfield's Livestock Valuer, and,

Further, that the Municipality of Calvin currently employs Livestock Valuers who have agreed to assist the Township of Bonfield as required during this period; and,

Further, that Council hereby authorizes the sharing of its Livestock Valuers temporarily with the Township of Bonfield, and

Further, that the hours and expenditures compiled by Calvin's Valuers while responding to the Township of Bonfield, will be paid as normal through the payroll system and accounts payable of the Municipality of Calvin and then invoiced to the Township of Bonfield at a rate of \$28.00 per hour inclusive of wages and benefits, plus a mileage rate of .49/km for all required travel from the Valuers home and return to their home, plus any other necessary expenditures incurred by the Valuers in carrying out their required duties.
Carried.

2017-089 DECLARE PLAYGROUND UNIT SURPLUS TO MUNICIPAL NEEDS

Moved by Coun Edwards and seconded by Coun Pennell that

WHEREAS the Municipality has been successful in their application, under the Ontario150 program, through Ontario Trillium foundation, in being granted funds in the amount of \$6,600 as 50% of the cost of replacement of the current aging climbing/slide unit located in the municipal playground; and,

WHEREAS the removal of the old unit will take place very soon in order to

install the new replacement, which will arrive in May of this year; and,
WHEREAS the old unit will not be reinstalled and will be a disposition of
assets in the 2017 budget year,
NOW THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED that once the old climber/slide unit is
removed from the municipal playground, Council hereby declares it to be
surplus to the further needs of the Municipality,
Carried

2017-090 SUPPORT TOWNSHIP OF FRONTENANC RE: HYDRO
REDUCTION/SEASONAL RESIDENTS

Moved by Coun Adams and seconded by Coun Edwards that
WHEREAS the Council of the Corporation of the Municipality of Calvin
hereby supports the Township of North Frontenac Municipal Council
Resolution #222-17 dated May 1, 2017 which reads;
WHEREAS Council passed Resolution #180-17 approving Councillor Hermer's
Notice of Motion be brought forward at the April 28, 2017 Council Meeting
regarding Hydro Rates including the 25% reduction not being applicable to
seasonal residents, delivery charges, etc.;;
AND WHEREAS the government has reduced Hydro One consumers' delivery
charges by 17% with an additional 8% HST to Ontario Residents;
AND WHEREAS due to unreasonable requirements for reduction most
seasonal residents do not qualify for the reduction;
AND WHEREAS all consumers residing within a native reserve are exempt
from the delivery charges;
NOW THEREFORE BE IT resolved that the Municipality of Calvin supports the
Township of North Frontenac to respectfully request that in the name of
fairness and equality, these charges be removed from all Hydro One
customers billing;
AND THAT a copy of this resolution be provided to the Premier of Ontario,
the Minister of Energy; all Municipalities within the Province.
Carried

*The 2017 Final Proposed Budget was presented by the Clerk-Treasurer. No
changes or adjustments were recommended, proposed or received. Pending
the preparation and adopting of a Resolution under Ontario Regulation
284/09, By-law No. 2017-011 to adopt 2017 tax rates and levy, received 1st
and 2nd readings and will be brought forward for final 3rd reading at the
Council meeting of June 13/17 following the adoption of the 2017 Budget
Ontario Regulation Report.*

2017-091 DISBURSEMENTS
Moved by Coun Edwards and seconded by Coun Pennell that the
disbursements dated May 18, 2017 in the amount of \$11,261.74 and May
23, 2017 in the amount of \$891.75 be hereby authorized and passed for
payment.
Carried

2017-092 ADJOURNMENT
Moved by Coun Edwards and seconded by Coun Adams that this regular
meeting of Council now be adjourned at 7:40 p.m.
Carried

CORPORATION OF THE MUNICIPALITY OF CALVIN
MINUTES OF THE REGULAR MEETING TUESDAY JUNE 13, 2017

The regular meeting of Council was held this date at the Calvin Community Centre. Present were Deputy Mayor Pennell, Coun Adams, Coun Edwards, Coun O'Connor, Chris Whalley, Cindy Pigeau and Lynda Kovacs.
Regrets: Mayor Brown
Guests: 3

The meeting was called to order at 7:00 p.m. by Deputy Mayor Pennell

PECUNIARY/CONFLICT OF INTEREST: Written Conflict of Interest Declared and Submitted to Clerk-Treasurer by Coun Adams Re:
Tender Bids for Annual Roads Needs

PRESENTATIONS/DELEGATIONS: None

2017-093 MINUTES OF COUNCIL MEETING
Moved by Coun Adams and seconded by Coun O'Connor that the minutes of the regular meeting of Council held on Tuesday May 23, 2017 be hereby adopted and signed as circulated.
Carried

2017-094 MINUTES OF CALVIN RECREATION COMMITTEE MEETING
Moved by Coun O'Connor and seconded by Coun Adams that the Minutes of the Calvin Recreation Committee meeting of Wednesday May 3, 2017 be hereby adopted as presented.
Carried

2017-095 TENDER BIDS FOR ANNUAL ROADS EQUIPMENT NEEDS
Moved by Coun O'Connor and seconded by Coun Edwards that the following bidders have submitted Informal Quotes for 2017 Equipment Rental to the Road Superintendent as follows;

- A) On Track Excavating and Trucking
 - B) DigSafe Contracting
 - C) Novack Sand & Gravel
- and that the Road Superintendent has reviewed the quotes and provided recommendation to Council that the lowest bidder DigSafe Contracting be accepted at \$159.00 per hour rental of a tri-axle dump truck w/operator and

excavator w/operator, and that the Road Superintendent be hereby authorized to notify the successful bidder of this decision.
Carried.

2017-096 ONTARIO REGULATION 284/09 RE: 2017 BUDGET
Moved by Coun Adams and seconded by Coun O'Connor that the Council of the Municipality of Calvin has received and hereby approves the 2017 Compliance Report – Estimate of Expenses Excluded from 2017 Budget, as required by the Municipal Act 2001, Ontario Regulation 284/09, Budget Matters – Expenses, Section 2(1) (a) (b) and Section 3.
Carried

2017-097 BY-LAW NO. 2017-011 ADOPT 2017 BUDGET AND TAX RATES
By-law No. 2017-011 received third/final reading and was finally passed before an open Council. This being a By-law to provide for the adoption of tax rates, adoption of annual budget and to further provide for penalty and interest in default of payment thereof for the year 2017.
Carried

2017-098 TELCOM 2ND REVIEW CHOICE OF OPTIONS PRESENTED
Moved by Coun Edwards and seconded by Coun Adams that Telcom Enterprises has now completed their 2nd in-depth review of the Municipality's telecommunications services and has provided two (2) options regarding potential savings;
And Further, that staff has reviewed and discussed both options with Telcom Enterprises and has made report to Council for final decision as to the selected option;
And Further that Council hereby approves of Option B as the option of choice provided by Telcom and authorizes the Clerk-Treasurer to sign the Authority to Proceed Contract as well as the Letter of Agency which will allow Telcom to begin implementing their recommendations under Option B.
Carried

2017-099 SEALED PLAYGROUND EQUIPMENT BIDS
Moved by Coun Adams and seconded by Coun Edwards that Council has reviewed the Sealed Bids received by the deadline of 2:00 p.m. on June 13, 2017 for the Playground Equipment at the Calvin Community Centre, which has been declared surplus to the needs of the Municipality, and that the

successful bidder is recorded as Sandy Cross with the highest bid in the amount of \$700.00.
Carried

2017-100 LEAVE OF ABSENCE

Moved by Coun Edwards and seconded by Coun Adams that Council hereby approves the Road Superintendent to take a two week leave of absence during 2017, without remuneration as requested.
Carried

2017-101 DISBURSEMENTS

Moved by Coun Adams and seconded by Coun Edwards that the disbursements dated June 7, 2017 in the amount of \$68,212.53 and June 13, 2017 in the amount of \$11,667.79 be hereby authorized and passed for payment.
Carried

2017-102 ADJOURNMENT

Moved by Coun Adams and seconded by Coun Edwards that this regular meeting of Council now be adjourned at 7:37 p.m.
Carried

**CORPORATION OF THE MUNICIPALITY OF CALVIN
MINUTES OF THE REGULAR MEETING TUESDAY JUNE 27, 2017**

The regular meeting of Council was held this date at the Calvin Community Centre. Present were Mayor Brown, Deputy Mayor Pennell, Coun Adams, Coun Edwards, Coun O'Connor, Chris Whalley, Ken Brewitt, Cindy Pigeau and Lynda Kovacs.

Regrets: 0 Guests: 1

The meeting was called to order at 7:00 p.m. by Mayor Brown

PECUNIARY/CONFLICT OF INTEREST: None

PRESENTATIONS/DELEGATIONS: None

2017-103 MINUTES OF COUNCIL MEETING

Moved by Coun Pennell and seconded by Coun O'Connor that the minutes of the regular meeting of Council held on Tuesday June 13, 2017 be hereby adopted and signed as circulated.

Carried

2017-104 CALVIN RECREATION COMMITTEE – DONATION \$250 FOR

FALL FAIR FIREWORKS

Moved by Coun Adams and seconded by Coun Edwards that Council hereby approves of making a \$250 donation to the Calvin Recreation Committee for their upcoming 2017 two day Annual Fall Fair Festival planned for late

August.

Carried

2017-105 RESCHEDULE AUGUST COUNCIL AND AD HOC COMMITTEE

MEETINGS

Moved by Coun Edwards and seconded by Coun Adams that the Council meetings regularly scheduled for Tuesday August 8/17 and Tuesday August 22/17 be hereby rescheduled to be held on Tuesday August 15/17 and Tuesday August 29/17 respectively due to staffing shortage during vacation time; and

Further, that the Ad Hoc Roads Committee meeting also be rescheduled to Tuesday August 15/17 following that Council meeting; and

Further, that both meetings will be held as usual at 7:00 p.m. in the Calvin

Community Centre.

Carried.

2017-106 RENEW AGREEMENT JOHN DIXON PUBLIC LIBRARY

Moved by Coun O'Connor and seconded by Coun Pennell that the Corporation of the Municipality of Calvin hereby agrees to renew the Agreement with the John Dixon Public Library Board from April 1, 2017 to March 31, 2018 which allows all residents of the municipality free use of the library facilities for the year.

Carried

2017-107 SUPPORT RESOLUTION MUNICIPALITY OF BROCKTON

That the Council of the Municipality of Calvin hereby supports Resolution No. 17-14-174 passed by the Municipality of Brockton on May 23, 2017 which reads;

Whereas the provincial government has proposed to amend the Conservation Authorities Act,

And Whereas the amendment will require Conservation Authority Boards to have a composition of 50% members with scientific backgrounds, And Whereas the amendment will restrict the ability of Municipal Councils to appoint Board Members.

Be it resolved that the Municipality of Brockton opposes the amendment to the Conservation Authorities Act.

Carried

2017-108 OFFICE CLOSURE CANADA DAY STUTORY HOLIDAY

Moved by Coun Edwards and seconded by Coun Adams that the Municipal Office will be closed on Monday July 3, 2017 in recognition of the Canada Day statutory holiday.

Carried

2017-109 TOWN OF MATTAWA INVOICE RE: CANADA DAY 150

Moved by Coun Adams and seconded by Coun Edwards that Council hereby acknowledges the invoice received from the Town of Mattawa in the amount of \$500.00 for Calvin's portion of Community Partner Share of the Canada Day 150 fireworks, and has also considered that this expense was not included in the 2017 Budget, and hereby agrees to pay only the \$250 as per the 2017 adopted Budget.

Carried

2017-110 SHARED BUILDING SERVICES PROPOSAL

Moved by Coun Edwards and seconded by Coun Adams that Council has received the June 2017 proposal regarding Shared Building Services prepared by the CAO of the Township of Bonfield and the CAO of the Municipality of East Ferris which outlines recent discussions and meetings attended by several local Municipal Clerk-Treasurers and CAOs pertaining to the sharing of services; and
Further that Council is supportive of sharing services in order to provide professional services to the residents and ratepayers and to reduce costs.
Now Therefore be it Resolved that Council hereby supports, in principle, the creation of a shared building services board.
Carried

2017-111 TENDER CALVIN BACKHOE/LOADER NO. 2017-01

Moved by Coun O'Connor and seconded by Coun Pennell that Tender Calvin Backhoe/Loader No. 2017-01, for the supply of one (1) backhoe/loader with extendable dipperstick live thumb, four wheel drive and hydraulic quick attach broom sweeper, be hereby approved for immediate release with a closing date and time of Tuesday July 25, 2017 at 3:00 p.m. and that the Tenders received shall be opened, read and recorded during the regular Council meeting of the same date at 7:00 p.m. in the Calvin Community Centre.
Carried

2017-112 DISBURSEMENTS

Moved by Coun Edwards and seconded by Coun Adams that the disbursements dated June 22, 2017 in the amount of \$15,084.30 and June 27, 2017 in the amount of 15,291.73 be hereby authorized and passed for payment.
Carried

2017-113 ADJOURNMENT

Moved by Coun Adams and seconded by Coun Edwards that this regular meeting of Council now be adjourned at 7:45 p.m.
Carried