

SWM WHAT'S NEW

The official newsletter of the Municipality of Southwest Middlesex

TODAY

IN BRIEF

General business of Council:

- Vouchers
- Meeting Minutes - August 12, 2020
- Committee & Staff Information Update Reports: Administration Report; Building Report;
- General Correspondence

Correspondence Action:

- Noise By-law Exemption approved for a 7 hour period on August 29, 2020

Adopted By-laws to:

- Appoint Drainage Superintendent
- Engineer Report acceptance (1st & 2nd readings) for James Court Outlet Drain
- Procedural By-law Amendments
- Confirm the proceedings of Council - August 26, 2020

FUTURE

LOOKING AHEAD

Upcoming Council Meetings:

- September 9 2020 at 7:00 pm
- September 23, 2020 at 7:00 pm

Important Dates:

- Instalment of taxes is due August 28


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SPOTLIGHT

COMMITTEE OF ADJUSTMENT

Two land severance applications were approved through the Committee of Adjustment with one severance being for the separation of a residential lot from an agricultural parcel and the other being to separate a building lot in the Village of Glencoe.



DETAIL

DISCUSSION ON AUGUST 26

Bunker gear a Fire Fighter wears must be replaced every 10 years according to accepted North American Fire Industry Standards. As a result, the SWM Fire Department has adopted a policy of budgeting for the purchase of 5 sets of Bunker Gear annually. This controls the costs of replacing many sets of out of date bunker gear in any one year, by spreading the costs to replace 47 sets of bunker gear over 10 years. Funds for this purchase were previously approved by Council in the 2020 Fire Department budget. At the meeting council approved the purchase of five sets of Lakeland Brand Fire Department Stealth bunker gear through M&L Supply, Fire & Safety, in the amount of \$11,497.45.

Council deferred, at the request of the applicant, the Jireh Hills site plan approval due to the owners considering some potential changes to their original plan.

Quotes to complete the clean out of the top end of the Annett Drain were considered by council. The work includes approximately 600 meters of brushing and cleaning. The contract was awarded in the amount of \$6,510.00 to R&S Graham Contracting for the Annett Drain clean-out.

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