

SPECIAL PUBLIC MEETING of the EDMUNDSTON City Council

Tuesday, March 29th, 2011 Council chamber, City hall

Present:

Jacques P. Martin, Mayor

Daniel Gagné Ass. CAO

Doreen Banville, Assistant Clerk

Councillors

Ward 1: Ward 2: Aldéo Nadeau

Denis M. Pelletier

Ward 3: Ward 4:

Gerald Morneault

Jean Guy Marquis

André Lang

Ben Beaulieu Martin Albert (absent)

Michel Dubé

Councillor Lang proceeds with the prayer.

Mayor Martin called the meeting to order at 8:00 p.m.

It was moved by Jean Guy Marquis and seconded by Gerald Morneault that the agenda be adopted as presented. Carried.

Disclosure of interest: None

2011 -020

Mr. Ben Beaulieu moves that the following minutes be received for adoption, as presented:

> March 15th, 2011 - Regular public meeting

Seconded by Denis M. Pelletier.

Carried.

INVESTMENTS PLANS

2011 INVESTMENTS PLANS AND LOAN AUTHORIZATION REQUEST

LOCAL IMPROVEMENT FUND

2011- 021 Mr. André Lang moved to adopt the 2011 Investment Plan for the Local Improvement Fund as presented.

Seconded by Gerald Morneault.

Carried.

LOAN AUTHORIZATION REQUEST

2011- 022 Mr. Jean Guy Marquis moved that the Municipality of Edmundston submit to the Municipal Capital Borrowing Board an application for authorization to borrow money in an amount not to exceed \$4,000,000 for the following purposes:

Department	Term	Amount
Police protection Department	5 years	20,000 \$
Police protection Department	10 years	24,000 \$
Fire protection Department	10 years	170,000 \$
Community Planning Department	10 years	318,000 \$
Recreation and Culture Department	10 years	1,322,558 \$
Transportation Department	10 years	2,145,442 \$
Total	-	4,000,000 \$
Seconded by Aldéo Nadeau.		Carried.

WATER AND SEWER FUND

2011 -023 Mr. Aldéo Nadeau moved to adopt the 2011 Investment Plans for the Water and Sewer Fund as presented.

Seconded by André Lang.

Carried

LOAN AUTHORIZATION REQUEST

2011- 024 Mr. Gerald Morneault moved that the Municipality of Edmundston submit to the Municipal Capital Borrowing Board an application for authorization to borrow money in an amount not to exceed 900,000 \$ for the following purposes:

Water and Sewer Department	Term	Amount
Network improvement - water	10 years	650,000 \$
Network improvement - sewer	10 years	<u>250,000 \$</u>
Total	•	900,000 \$
Seconded by Ben Beaulieu.		Carried

ENERGY FUND

2011- 025 Mr. Ben Beaulieu moved that the 2011 Investment plan of Energy Fund, be adopt as presented.

Seconded by Aldéo Nadeau.

Carried

LOAN AUTHORIZATION REQUEST

2011- 026 Mr. Jean Guy Marquis moved that the Municipality of Edmundston submit to the Municipal Capital Borrowing Board an application for authorization to borrow money in an amount not to exceed 1,140,000\$ for the following purposes:

Energy service	Term	Amount
Distribution – network improvement Distribution – equipment Sub total	10 years 5 years	655,000\$ <u>128,000\$</u> 783,000\$
Production – network improvement Production – equipment Sub total Total Seconded by Denis M. Pelletier.	10 years 5 years	269,000\$

A press release was submitted.

LONG TERM LOAN FINANCING

LOCAL FUND

Be it resolved that the Clerk, the Treasurer or the Mayor be authorized to issue and sell to the New Brunswick Municipal Finance Corporation, in the name of the Municipality of Edmundston, debentures in the amount of \$10,895,000 under the terms proposed by the Corporation, and that it be also resolved that the Municipality of Edmundston agrees to issue post-dated cheques payable to the order of the New Brunswick Municipal Finance Corporation in the form and on the dates requested, as reimbursement of capital and payment of interest on these debentures.

Proposed by Gerald Morneault.

Seconded by André Lang.

Carried.

WATER AND SEWER UTILITY FUND

2011 -028 Be it resolved that the Clerk, the Treasurer or the Mayor be authorized to issue and sell to the New Brunswick Municipal Finance Corporation. in the name of the Municipality of Edmundston, debentures in the amount of \$2,533,000 under the terms proposed by the Corporation. and that it be also resolved that the Municipality of Edmundston agrees to issue post-dated cheques payable to the order of the New Brunswick Municipal Finance Corporation in the form and on the dates requested. as reimbursement of capital and payment of interest on these debentures.

> Proposed by Ben Beaulieu. Seconded by Aldéo Nadeau.

Carried.

ELECTRICAL UTILITY FUND

2011 -029 Be it resolved that the Clerk, the Treasurer or the Mayor be authorized to issue and sell to the New Brunswick Municipal Finance Corporation. in the name of the Municipality of Edmundston, debentures in the amount of \$9,088,000 under the terms proposed by the Corporation. and that it be also resolved that the Municipality of Edmundston agrees to issue post-dated cheques payable to the order of the New Brunswick Municipal Finance Corporation in the form and on the dates requested. as reimbursement of capital and payment of interest on these debentures.

> Proposed by Jean Guy Marguis. Seconded by Denis M. Pelletier.

Carried.

TENDER CALL - PUMPER TANKER TRUCK - ST BASILE FIRE DEPARTMENT

2011 -030 Mr. Ben Beaulieu moves that the St Basile Fire Department, District 3, be authorized to purchase a pumper tanker truck from Micmac Fire & Safety Ltd, lower bidder as of December 2nd, 2010. Seconded by Denis M. Pelletier. Carried

QUESTIONS AND COMMENTS:

No question or comment was brought.

Adjournment moved by Denis M. Pelletier at 8:14 p.m.

Doreen Banville, Assistant Clerk