

Stratford City Council Special Council Open Session AGENDA

Meeting #: 4616th

Date: Friday, May 29, 2020

Time: 12:00 P.M. Location: Electronically

Council Present: Mayor Mathieson - Chair Presiding, Councillor Beatty, Councillor Bunting,

Councillor Burbach, Councillor Clifford, Councillor Gaffney,

Councillor Henderson, Councillor Ingram, Councillor Ritsma, Councillor Sebben,

Councillor Vassilakos

Staff Present: Joan Thomson - Chief Administrative Officer, Tatiana Dafoe - City Clerk,

Ed Dujlovic - Director of Infrastructure and Development Services,

Kim McElroy - Director of Social Services, Jacqueline Mockler -

Director of Human Resources, David St. Louis -

Director of Community Services, John Paradis - Fire Chief, Janice Beirness - Acting Director of Corporate Services, Michelle Pinto - Project Engineer,

Allison Jordan - Events Coordinator

Pages

1. Call to Order:

Mayor Mathieson, Chair presiding, to call the Council meeting to order.

2. Declarations of Pecuniary Interest and the General Nature Thereof:

The *Municipal Conflict of Interest Act* requires any member of Council declaring a pecuniary interest and the general nature thereof, where the interest of a member of Council has not been disclosed by reason of the member's absence from the meeting, to disclose the interest at the first open meeting attended by the member of Council and to otherwise comply with the *Act*.

Name, Item and General Nature Thereof

3.	Adoption of the Minutes:		1 - 15
	Motion by THAT the Minutes of the Regular Meeting of Council of The Corporation of the City of Stratford dated May 25, 2020 be adopted as printed.		
4.	Orders of the Day:		
	4.1	Resolution - Weekend Road Closures of Lakeside Drive (COU20-071)	16 - 19
		Motion by Staff Recommendation: THAT the information provided in the report titled Weekend Closures of Lakeside Drive (COU20-071) be received for the consideration of Council.	
	4.2	Resolution - Stratford Al Fresco Project During COVID-19 (COU20-072)	
		Report to be provided.	
5.	Reading of the By-laws:		
	The following By-law requires First and Second Readings and Third and Final Readings:		
	Motion by THAT By-law 5.1 be read a First and Second Time.		
	Motion by THAT By-law 5.1 be read a Third Time and Finally Passed.		
	5.1	Confirmatory By-law	20
		To confirm the proceedings of Council of The Corporation of the City of Stratford at its meeting held on May 29, 2020.	
6.	Adjournment:		
	Motion by THAT the May 29, 2020 Special Council Meeting adjourn.		



Stratford City Council Regular Council Open Session MINUTES

Meeting #: 4615th

Date: Monday, May 25, 2020

Time: 3:00 P.M. Location: Electronically

Council Present on Chambers:

Mathieson - Chair Presiding, Councillor

Council Present Electronically:

Councillor Beatty, Councillor Bunting, Councillor Burbach, Councillor Clifford, *Councillor Gaffney, Councillor Henderson, Councillor Ingram, Councillor Ritsma, *Councillor Sebben,

*Councillor Vassilakos

Staff Present

in Council Chambers: City Cle

Joan Thomson - Chief Administrative Officer, Tatiana Dafoe - City Clerk, Mike Beitz - Corporate Communications Lead

Staff Present Electronically:

David St. Louis - Director of Community Services, Ed Dujlovic - Director of Infrastructure and Development Services, Kim McElroy - Director of Social Services, Jacqueline Mockler - Director of Human Resources, John Paradis - Fire Chief, Janice Beirness - Acting Director of Corporate Services, Stephanie Potter - Policy and Research Associate, Quin Malott - Manager of Parks, Forestry and Cemetery, Mike Mousley - Transit Manager, Eden Grodzinski - Manager of Housing, Jeff Wilson - Manager of

Children's Services, Michelle Pinto – Project Engineer

Others Present Electronically

Media

1. Call to Order:

Mayor Mathieson, Chair presiding, called the Council meeting to order.

Moment of Silent Reflection

2. Declarations of Pecuniary Interest and the General Nature Thereof:

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Name, Item and General Nature of Pecuniary Interest

No disclosures of pecuniary interest were made by a member of Council at the May 25, 2020 Regular Council meeting.

3. Adoption of the Minutes:

R2020-229

Motion by Councillor Gaffney

Seconded By Councillor Ingram

THAT the Minutes of the Regular Meeting of Council of The Corporation of the City of Stratford dated May 11, 2020 be adopted as printed.

Carried

4. Adoption of the Addendum to the Agenda:

There was no Addendum to the May 25, 2020 Regular Council agenda to be adopted.

5. Report of the Committee of the Whole In-Camera Session:

5.1 From the May 11, 2020 Session, under the Municipal Act, 2001, as amended, a matter concerning the following item was considered:

Appointment of Director to Stratford Economic Enterprise Development Corporation

[Personal matters about an identifiable individual(s) including municipal employees or local board employees (section 239.(2)(b))]

R2020-230

Motion by Councillor Gaffney Seconded By Councillor Ritsma

THAT the following be appointed to the Stratford Economic Enterprise Development Corporation Board of Directors for a three-year term to June, 2023, with an option for an additional three years, or until successors are appointed by City Council:

 Christine McWebb as the representative for the Education Sector;

AND THAT an exemption be granted to the requirement to be an eligible elector.

Carried

- 5.2 At the May 25, 2020 Session, under the Municipal Act, 2001, as amended, matters concerning the following items were considered:
 - Security of municipal property of the municipality or local board (section 239.(2)(a)), AND A position, plan, procedure, criteria or instruction to be applied to any negotiations carried on or to be carried on by or on behalf of the municipality or local board (section 239.(2)(k)).

At the meeting, a second item relating to Labour relations or employee negotiations (section 239.(2)(d)) was considered.

Direction was given on both items.

6. Hearings of Deputations and Presentations:

None scheduled.

- 7. Orders of the Day:
 - 7.1 Resolution Update on Waste Management Concerns (COU20-059)

R2020-231

Motion by Councillor Beatty

Seconded By Councillor Ingram

THAT this report titled Update on Waste Management Concerns (COU20-059) be received for information.

It was noted there have been lineups at the landfill and a request was made for an extra hour to be provided. The Director of Infrastructure and Development Services advised a cost estimate would need to be obtained from the contractor and there would need to be an amendment to the certificate of approval.

Mayor Mathieson called the question on the motion.

Carried

R2020-232

Motion by Councillor Burbach Seconded By Councillor Sebben

THAT the extension of the hazardous waste collection landfill hours by 1-2 hours be referred to Infrastructure and Development Services staff for review.

Carried

7.2 Resolution - Suspension of Festival Hydro Dividends (COU20-060)

R2020-233

Motion by Councillor Bunting
Seconded By Councillor Ingram
THAT the report entitled "Suspension of Festival Hydro Dividends" (COU20-060) be received for information.

Carried

7.3 Proclamation - Gay Pride Month

R2020-234

Motion by Councillor Ritsma

Seconded By Councillor Vassilakos

THAT City Council hereby proclaims June 2020 as "Gay Pride Month" in the City of Stratford and authorizes the flying of the Pride Flag at Stratford City Hall for the month of June.

7.4 Resolution - 2019 Stratford Water Pollution Control Plant Annual Report (COU20-061)

R2020-235

Motion by Councillor Vassilakos

Seconded By Councillor Burbach

THAT the 2019 Stratford Water Pollution Control Plant Annual Report (COU20-061) be received for information.

Carried

7.5 Resolution - Community Garden at Britannia (COU20-062)

R2020-236

Motion by Councillor Sebben

Seconded By Councillor Bunting

THAT the report "Community Garden at Britannia" (COU20-062) be received as information by Council.

Discussion was held on the feasibility of installing a temporary garden for use by the residents. Issues such as a lack of water and storage were noted.

Mayor Mathieson called the question on the motion.

Carried

7.6 Resolution - Emergency Child Care to Support Eligible Workers in Stratford, Perth and St. Marys – Town of St. Marys (COU20-063)

R2020-237

Motion by Councillor Ritsma

Seconded By Councillor Ingram

THAT the Report "Emergency Child Care to Support Eligible Workers in Stratford, Perth and St. Marys – Town of St. Marys" (COU20-063) be accepted for information;

THAT Council authorize the Director of Social Services and Chief Administrative Officer to approve temporary emergency day care centres that have received approval from the Ministry of Education and Huron Perth Public Health and to enter into any Memorandums of Understanding for Temporary Emergency Daycares that may be required within the City of Stratford, Town

of St. Marys and Perth County during the Declaration of Emergency;

AND THAT Council amend Delegation of Authority By-law 135-2017 as amended to authorize this delegation of authority.

Discussion was held on how these sites are operating. The Director of Social Services advised these sites have been operating well and have received positive results.

Mayor Mathieson called the question on the motion.

Carried

7.7 Resolution - Active Transportation on Lakeside Drive (COU20-064)

R2020-238

Motion by Councillor Burbach Seconded By Councillor Ingram

THAT the information provided in this report titled Active Transportation on Lakeside Drive (COU20-064) be received.

Carried

A request was made to proceed with option #2, a full closure of Lakeside Drive on weekends only. It was further requested that the Queen Street parking lot be opened for use and that the parking spaces closest to the river be designated accessible parking spaces. Concerns were expressed regarding the number of cyclists riding on the path and the number of persons idling while parked along Lakeside Drive. A request was made for signage to be installed advised that individuals on wheels should be on the road and not the pathway.

R2020-239

Motion by Councillor Burbach

Seconded by Councillor Vassilakos

THAT Option 2, a full closure of Lakeside Drive on weekends from Saturday morning to Sunday evening be approved:

AND THAT the Queen Street parking lot be opened for use and the parking spaces closest to the river be designated accessible parking spaces.

Support for the weekend closure of Lakeside Drive was expressed. This is an opportunity to test drive weekend closures to see how it works and to leverage outdoor spaces for residents and visitors.

Concern was expressed with the full closure of Lakeside Drive. Accessibility concerns were outlined. It was suggested a portion of Lakeside Drive be closed with one lane open for vehicles.

Support for active transportation and a partial closure was expressed. Concern was expressed that the opening of the Queen Street parking lot and designating accessible spaces near the river will not achieve objectives as many seniors do not have accessible parking permits and will not be able to utilize these spaces. It was noted many seniors like to drive past and enjoy the riverside. Concern with limiting the demographics of this motion was noted. A request was made to review street closures in the core where people can be active and shop downtown.

It was questioned how the closure will work and what sort of staffing is required. The Director of Infrastructure and Development Services advised staff would be required to set up barricades to close the road. Due to the requested hours this work would be completed as part of overtime. Advertising of the closure would be required and there would need to be spot checks scheduled throughout the day.

Concern was expressed that many individuals drive along the river and do not have the ability to stop and walk. It was suggested the road does not need to be closed. The concern expressed in the report by Stratford Police Services was highlighted and it was suggested enforcement would be required. More information on enforcement was requested.

The importance of outdoor spaces going forward was noted. It was suggested the City needs to leverage the parks system as a selling feature to attract tourists.

*Councillor Vassilakos departed the meeting at 3:32 p.m.

The purpose of the initiative was highlighted. This initiative encourages active transportation and for people to actively move through the space. A limit on weekends ensures users can drive along the road during the week.

*Councillor Sebben departed and returned to the meeting at 3:33 p.m.

*Councillor Gaffney departed and returned to the meeting at 3:33 p.m.

A request was made by the mover to amend the motion to approve the closure of Lakeside Drive from Waterloo Street to Queen Street in both directions and to close the west bound lane on Lakeside Drive from the bottom of Snake Hill to Queen Street. A division between east and west bound lane would be required. It was suggested the closure could also end at Queen Street and permit two-way traffic for the remainder of the road. The need for signage was highlighted.

It was requested the closure be completed during staff hours and that it commence on Fridays in the evening until Monday mornings.

*Councillor Vassilakos returned to the meeting at 3:36 p.m.

Concern was expressed with installing and removing the barricades each week. Discussion was held on the options for closing Lakeside Drive at specific intersections.

It was questioned when this closure would end and a request was made for this initiative to proceed until the end of 2020. Discussion was held on previous closures of Lakeside Drive and the addition of parking during the hockey season.

A request was made for a recorded vote.

Concern with completing this initiative properly to ensure safety was expressed. It was suggested a full closure would be safer. It was noted staff would review the details for the closure and prepare a further report for Council's consideration.

Mayor Mathieson called the question on the motion as amended as follows:

THAT the closure of both lanes of traffic (east and west) on Lakeside Drive from Waterloo Street to Queen Street on weekends from Friday evenings until Monday mornings, until the end of 2020, be approved in principle;

AND THAT staff prepare a report outlining a plan for the closure of Lakeside Drive, including information on signage, availability of parking at the Allman Arena and the Queen Street parking lot for use by vehicles and costs associated with the closure.

Support (10): Councillor Bunting, Councillor Vassilakos, Councillor Ingram, Councillor Burbach, Mayor Mathieson, Councillor Henderson, Councillor Beatty, Councillor Ritsma, Councillor Clifford, Councillor Gaffney

Opposed (1): Councillor Sebben

Carried

7.8 Resolution - 2020 Building Inspection Budget (COU20-065)

R2020-240

Motion by Councillor Vassilakos Seconded By Councillor Ingram

THAT this report titled 2020 Building Inspection Budget (COU20-065) be received for information.

Carried

7.9 Resolution - Stratford Soldier's War Memorial Restoration (COU20-066)

R2020-241

Motion by Councillor Gaffney

Seconded By Councillor Beatty

THAT the City undertakes the restoration of the Stratford Soldier's War Memorial using the grant awarded by Veterans Affairs Canada's Commemorative Partnership Program Community War Memorial Fund and the Community Services Department parks facilities improvement budget;

THAT the Mayor and Clerk be authorized to enter into a Contribution Agreement with Veterans Affairs Canada to carry out the memorial restoration project;

AND THAT Council grants an exemption from the Purchasing Policy to award the restoration work directly to Andersons Cemetery Contracting.

It was clarified the subject memorial is the Cenotaph.

Mayor Mathieson called the question on the motion.

7.10 Resolution - COVID-19 Financial Position of the City Update (COU20-067)

R2020-242

Motion by Councillor Clifford

Seconded By Councillor Burbach

THAT Council receives the COVID-19 Financial Position of the City Update (COU20-067) report for information.

Carried

7.11 Resolution - Parking and COVID-19 (COU20-069)

It was suggested the charging of the daily rental rates for meter hoods is penalizing businesses in the downtown core attempting to provide services with a new model. A request was made for the daily rental rates for meter hood rentals by businesses in the downtown core be withdrawn and that they continue to be required to remit the refundable deposit. It was clarified the waiver of the rental rates would apply for two meter hoods per business.

R2020-243

Motion by Councillor Ingram

Seconded By Councillor Henderson

THAT the daily rental rates for meter hood rentals for businesses in the downtown core be waived until August 30, 2020;

AND THAT the waiver of rental rates apply to two (2) meter hood rentals per business.

Carried

R2020-244

Motion by Councillor Burbach

Seconded By Councillor Henderson

THAT free parking be extended until August 30, 2020;

AND THAT current parking permits that have been issued remain valid until August 30, 2020.

Concern was expressed that the provision of free parking will result in a lack of on-street parking spaces for residents and visitors. A request was made for the City to work with stakeholders on a communication encouraging the use of parking lots by downtown workers.

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7.12 Resolution - Resolution for Urgent Emergency Transit Funding (COU20-070)

R2020-245

Motion by Councillor Ritsma

Seconded By Councillor Gaffney

THAT The Canadian Urban Transit Association's resolution requesting emergency funding from the Government of Canada to provide immediate liquidity to transit agencies and on-going funding to alleviate revenue loss as ridership re-builds, be endorsed;

AND THAT a copy of this resolution be sent to the Prime Minister of Canada, the Minister of Transport Canada, the Minister of Finance Canada, the Premier of Ontario, the Member of Parliament for Perth-Wellington, Member of Provincial Parliament for Perth-Wellington and all Ontario municipalities.

Carried

8. Business for Which Previous Notice Has Been Given:

None scheduled.

9. Notice of Intent:

None scheduled.

*The meeting moved to Item 12 – New Business.

10. Reading of the By-laws:

The following By-laws, including the Confirmatory By-law, required First and Second Readings and Third and Final Readings and were taken collectively upon unanimous vote of Council present:

R2020-246

Motion by Councillor Ritsma

Seconded By Councillor Beatty

THAT By-laws 69-2020 to 72-2020 be taken collectively.

Carried unanimously

R2020-247

Motion by Councillor Henderson **Seconded By** Councillor Ingram

THAT By-laws 69-2020 to 72-2020 be read a First and Second Time.

Carried two-thirds support

R2020-248

Motion by Councillor Gaffney
Seconded By Councillor Burbach
THAT By-laws 69-2020 to 72-2020 be read a Third Time and Finally
Passed.

Carried

10.1 Appointments to Seed Co. - By-law 69-2020

To amend By-law 178-2018 to make appointments to the Stratford Economic Enterprise Development Corporation.

10.2 Amend Delegation of Authority By-law 135-2017 with respect to Approval of Temporary Emergency Daycares during a Declaration of Emergency - By-law 70-2020

To amend By-law 135-2017 to delegate Council's authority to the Director of Social Services and the Chief Administrative Officer to approve temporary emergency day care centres that have received approval from the Ministry of Education and Huron Perth Public Health and to enter into any Memorandums of Understanding for Temporary Emergency Day Cares that may be required within the City of Stratford, Town of St. Marys and Perth County during the Declaration of Emergency.

10.3 Commemorative Partnership Program Contribution Agreement with Ministry of Veterans Affairs - By-law 71-2020

To authorize the entering into and execution of a Commemorative Partnership Program Contribution Agreement, and any other necessary documentation, between Her Majesty the Queen in Right of Canada as represented by the Minister of Veterans Affairs and The Corporation of the City of Stratford to carry out the restoration of the Stratford Soldier's War Memorial.

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11. Consent Agenda: CA-2020-052 to CA-2020-053

11.1 CA-2020-053 - Huron and Huntingdon Pedestrian Crossing Update

It was questioned whether the construction of the pedestrian crossing at Huron and Huntingdon will be affected by the proposed construction. The Director of Infrastructure and Development Services advised there will not be any changes with its location and that staff do not see an issue.

12. New Business:

12.1 Active Transportation

It was noted there have been discussions on promoting active transportation as a way for people to get around the City and to work. In addition, the Federal Government has discussed the potential for specifically funding active transportation and cycling projects.

A number of active transportation projects have been approved by Council, but deferred in order to complete required pedestrian crossing work around schools. It was requested that shovel ready projects be identified so that the City can apply for any funding that becomes available. It was noted this is also a good time to complete construction.

The Director of Infrastructure and Development Services advised staff are compiling a list of projects that could be eligible. A request was made for the T.J. Dolan closure from St. Vincent Street be added to the project list. The Director advised it is but that it would be subject to approval of the closure.

12.2 Public Washrooms in Parks - Re-opening Update

An update was requested on the re-opening of public washrooms in the parks system. The Director of Human Resources advised staff have developed a phased-in approach for the re-opening of public washrooms. Prior to the re-opening there will need to be consultation with the City employee unions.

12.3 Transit Shelters

A request was made for transit shelters and benches to be constructed in a manner which would permit social distancing. R2020-249

Motion by Councillor Gaffney

Seconded By Councillor Burbach

THAT the construction of transit shelters and benches to permit social distancing be referred to staff in Community Services for review.

Carried

12.4 Classification of Lakeside Drive

It was questioned how the sidewalk on Lakeside Drive is classified. The Director of Infrastructure and Development Services advised it is classified as a trail.

12.5 Stratford Tourism Alliance Report Update

An update was requested on the report to be provided by the Stratford Tourism Alliance. The Acting Director of Corporate Services advised a report was submitted in May. Efficiencies were identified, however they are still projecting a deficit. It was noted a further report with additional efficiencies is anticipated.

13. Confirmatory By-law:

By-law 10.4 Confirmatory By-law - By-law 72-2020

To confirm the proceedings of Council of The Corporation of the City of Stratford at its meeting held on May 25, 2020.

14. Adjournment:

The next Regular Council meeting is June 8, 2020.

R2020-250

Motion by Councillor Vassilakos

Seconded By Councillor Bunting

THAT the May 25, 2020 Regular Council meeting adjourn.

^{*}The meeting then moved to Item 10 – By-laws and Item 11 – Consent Agenda.

Meeting Start Time: 3:00 P.M. Meeting End Time: 4:09 P.M.

Mayor - Daniel B. Mathieson

Clerk - Tatiana Dafoe



Infrastructure and Development Services Department

MANAGEMENT REPORT

Date: May 29, 2020

To: Mayor and Council

From: Michelle Pinto, Project Engineer

Report#: COU20-071

Attachments: Attachment 1 – Signage Plan for Lakeside Drive Weekend Closures

Title: Weekend Road Closures of Lakeside Drive

Objective: To provide Council with a plan for weekend road closures on Lakeside Drive from Waterloo Street to Queen Street for active transportation and to make use of the City's outdoor spaces.

Background: At the May 25, 2020 Council Meeting, the following motion was passed:

THAT the closure of both lanes of traffic (east and west) on Lakeside Drive from Waterloo Street to Queen Street on weekends from Friday evenings until Monday mornings, until the end of 2020, be approved in principle;

AND THAT staff prepare a report outlining a plan for the closure of Lakeside Drive, including information on signage, availability of parking at the Allman Arena and the Queen Street parking lot for use by vehicles and costs associated with the closure.

This report outlines a plan for the closure of Lakeside Drive on weekends including information about the required signage, costs and access to parking.

Analysis: The road closure setup would be implemented by Public Works staff. To avoid incurring overtime costs, staff recommends that the road closure begin on Friday at 3:30p.m. lasting until Monday morning at 7:00a.m.

Costs

Staff will implement advanced warning signs to inform motorists of the closure and reduce the number of cars turning around at the dead ends on Morenz Drive, North Street and Front Street at Lakeside Drive. Public Works staff would set up the barricades on Friday evening by 3:30p.m. and take them down on Monday morning by 7:00a.m.

The estimated cost of one weekend closure is a minimum of \$1,040 which can be broken down as follows: a one time cost of \$670 for signage, and a minimum of \$370 for staff time for each weekend that the road is closed. This does not include the cost for unforeseen callouts to inspect the area and ensure it is secure.

The fixed costs for weekend road closures on Lakeside Drive are as follows:

- Road Closed Signs \$370
- "Walk Your Bike" signs (including anchors and staff time to install) \$300

The variable costs are as follows:

- Staff time to implement the road closure on Friday by 3:30 p.m. and re-open the road on Monday by 7a.m. (depends on the number of weekends the road is closed)
 \$370 per weekend
- Unforeseen costs to inspect the area during the weekend minimum \$160, on average, per callout.

Instead of having a dedicated staff person visit the area on weekends which would incur overtime costs that may not be always necessary, staff have requested Stratford Police Services' help with patrolling the area and to inform Public Works on-call staff if any of the barricades or signage is out of place.

The earliest timeframe that the weekend closures could start is June 5th. If Council proceeds with road closures on Lakeside Drive until the end of the year, the cost would be \$11,770 to implement the closure every Friday and take it down on Monday including the required signage, plus an additional \$160 per callout for unforeseen circumstances. Assuming one call-out per weekend, staff overtime costs could be up to \$4,800.

Signage

A proposed signage plan is provided in Attachment 1. Advanced warning signs advising motorists of the road closure should be implemented on all side streets. The existing sidewalk along Lakeside Drive is 1.8 meters wide and is not meant to be used as a multiuse trail. Therefore, staff will implement signage recommending for cyclists to walk their bikes on the existing sidewalk. Staff has concerns with implementing pavement markings for this initiative on the roadway since it will be used by vehicles during the weekdays.

Parking

The Festival Parking Lot on Queen Street would be accessible for use from Queen Street. The parking lot to the Allman Arena would be accessible via North Street. All driveway accesses to Lakeside Drive from these lots would be blocked off. Staff will communicate with the contractor of the Tom Patterson Theatre so they are aware of the closures and can plan accordingly.

Financial Impact: Costs for the closure can be as high as \$16,600.

Alignment with Strategic Priorities:

Mobility, Accessibility and Design Excellence

Improving ways to get around, to and from Stratford by public transit, active transportation and private vehicle.

Staff Recommendation: THAT the information provided in the report titled Weekend Closures of Lakeside Drive (COU20-071) be received for the consideration of Council.

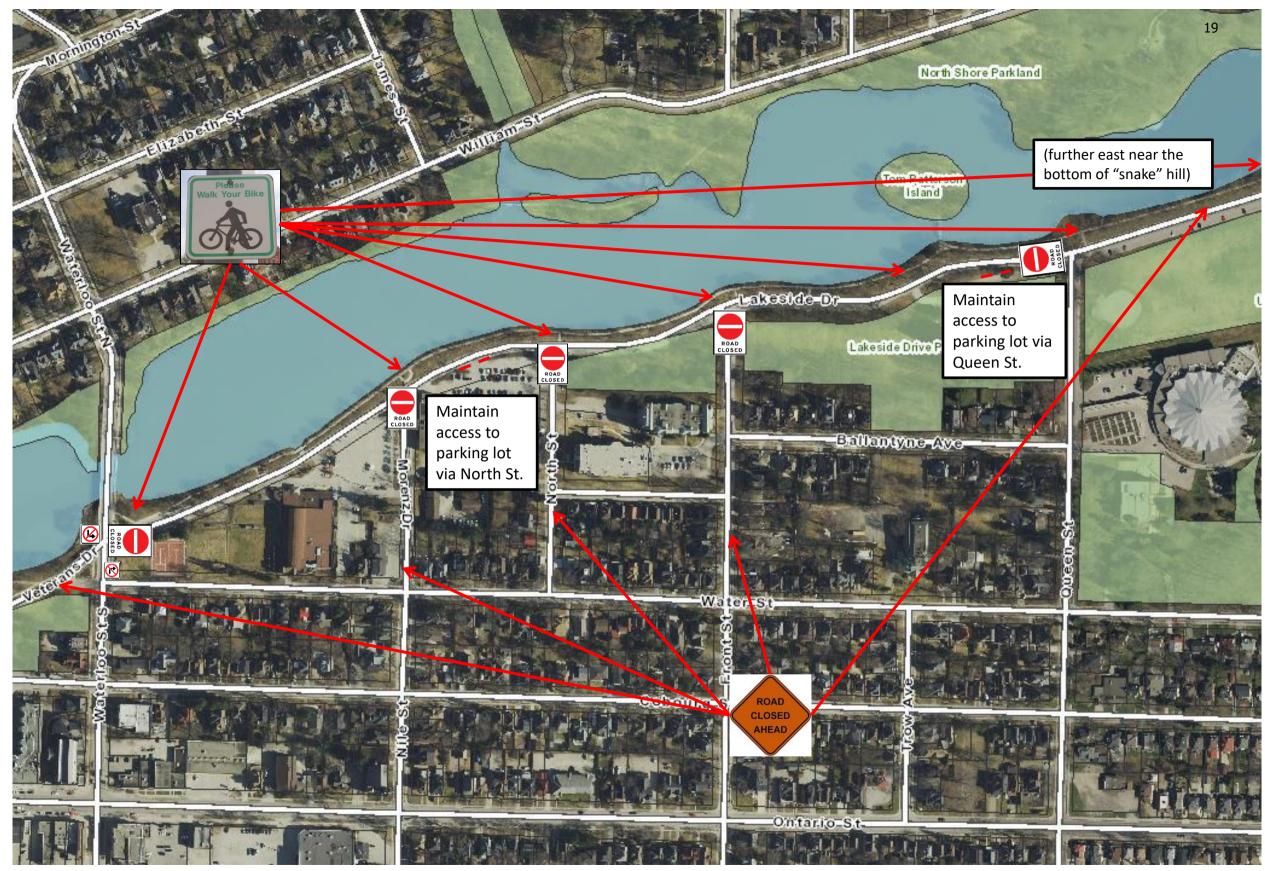
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Ed Dujlovic, Director of Infrastructure and Development Services

Joan Thomson, Chief Administrative Officer



Note: For illustration purposes. Location and look of signs subject to change



BY-LAW NUMBER _____-2020 OF THE CORPORATION OF THE CITY OF STRATFORD

BEING a By-law to confirm the proceedings of Council of The Corporation of the City of Stratford at its meeting held on May 29, 2020.

WHEREAS subsection 5(1) of the *Municipal Act, 2001, S.O. 2001 c.25* as amended, provides that the powers of a municipal corporation are to be exercised by its council;

AND WHEREAS subsection 5(3) of the *Act* provides that the powers of council are to be exercised by by-law unless the municipality is specifically authorized to do otherwise;

AND WHEREAS it is deemed expedient that the proceedings of the Council of The Corporation of the City of Stratford at this meeting be confirmed and adopted by Bylaw;

NOW THEREFORE BE IT ENACTED by the Council of The Corporation of the City of Stratford as follows:

- That the action of the Council at its meeting held on May 29, 2020 in respect of each report, motion, resolution, recommendation or other action passed and taken by the Council at its meeting, is hereby adopted, ratified and confirmed, as if each report, motion, resolution or other action was adopted, ratified and confirmed by its separate by-law.
- 2. The Mayor of the Council and the proper officers of the City are hereby authorized and directed to do all things necessary to give effect to the said action, to obtain approvals where required, and, except where otherwise provided, to execute all documents necessary in that behalf in accordance with the by-laws of the Council relating thereto.

Read a FIRST, SECOND and THIRD time and

FINALLY PASSED this 29th day of May, 2020.

Mayor – Daniel B. Mathieson
Clerk – Tatiana Dafoe