The Regular Meeting of the St. John's Municipal Council was held in the Council Chamber, City Hall, at 4:30 p.m. today.

His Worship the Mayor presided.

There were present also Deputy Mayor O'Keefe, Councillors Colbert, Duff, Hickman, Hann, Puddister, Galgay, Coombs, Ellsworth and Collins.

The Chief Commissioner/City Solicitor, Associate Commissioner/Director of Engineering, Director of Planning, Acting City Clerk and Recording Secretary were also in attendance.

Call to Order and Adoption of the Agenda

SJMC2007-07-10/368R

It was moved by Deputy Mayor O'Keefe; seconded by Councillor Collins: That the Agenda be adopted as presented with the following additional items:

- 1. Special Events Committee Report dated July 6, 2007
- 2. Memorandum dated July 10, 2007 from the Director of Building and Property Management re: Request to Permit Motorized Mobile Vending in Residential Areas
- 3. Letter dated July 4, 2007 from Deputy Chief of Police, William J. Brown requesting waiver of building permit fees with respect to the New Royal Newfoundland Constabulary Stables, Government House
- 4. Memorandum dated July 10, 2007 from the Chief Commissioner and City Solicitor re: Bell Aliant OPI Sites – Easement Agreements
- 5. Tender Demolition of 2 & 4 Symes Bridge
- 6. Tender RFP for Provision of Digital Mapping
- 7. Tender Harbour Interceptor Sewer Harbour Drive East Contract 12
- 8. Memorandum dated July 6, 2007 from the Chief Commissioner and City Solicitor re: Harbour Clean-up Project, a. Harvey & Company

Adoption of Minutes SJMC2007-07-10/369R It was decided on motion of Councillor Ellsworth; seconded by Councillor Councillor Duff: That the Minutes of the June 26th, 2007 meeting be adopted as presented.

Proposed Rezoning of City-Owned Property, Civic Number 2-4 Syme's Bridge

Council considered a memorandum dated July 3, 2007 from the Director of Planning

regarding the above noted.

<u>SJMC2007-07-10/370R</u>

It was moved by Councillor Duff; seconded by Councillor Hickman: That the following Resolutions for St. John's Municipal Plan Amendment Number 47, 2007 and St. John's Development Regulations Amendment Number 405, 2007 be adopted:

RESOLUTION ST. JOHN'S MUNICIPAL PLAN AMENDMENT NUMBER 47, 2007

WHEREAS the St. John's Municipal Council wishes to amend the Municipal Plan designation of City-owned land located at Civic Number 2-4 Symes Bridge in order to retain the property as a passive City-owned open space.

BE IT THEREFORE RESOLVED that the St. John's Municipal Council hereby adopts the following map amendment to the St. John's Municipal Plan pursuant to the provisions of the Urban and Rural Planning Act, 2000.

Redesignate the land situated at 2-4 Symes Bridge from the Commercial General (CG) District to the Open Space (O) District as shown on Map III-1A attached.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that the St. John's Municipal Council requests the Minister of Municipal Affairs to register the proposed amendment in accordance with the requirements of the Urban and Rural Planning Act, 2000.

IN WITNESS THEREOF the Seal of the City of St. John's has been hereunto affixed and this Resolution has been signed by the Mayor and the City Clerk on behalf of Council this 10th day of July, 2007.

RESOLUTION ST. JOHN'S DEVELOPMENT REGULATIONS AMENDMENT NUMBER 405, 2007

WHEREAS the St. John's Municipal Council wishes to amend the land use zoning designation of City-owned land located at Civic Number 2-4 Symes Bridge in order to retain the property as a passive City-owned open space.

BE IT THEREFORE RESOLVED that the St. John's Municipal Council hereby adopts the following map amendment to the St. John's Development Regulations pursuant to the provisions of the Urban and Rural Planning Act, 2000:

Rezone the land situated at 2-4 Symes Bridge from the Commercial Local (CL) Zone to the Open Space (O) Zone as shown on Map Z-1A attached.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that the St. John's Municipal Council requests the Minister of Municipal Affairs to register the proposed amendment in accordance with the requirements of the Urban and Rural Planning Act, 2000.

IN WITNESS THEREOF the Seal of the City of St. John's has been hereunto affixed and this Resolution has been signed by the Mayor and the City Clerk on behalf of Council this 10th day of July, 2007.

And further, that Ms. Maura Hanrahan, a member of the City's Commissioners List, be appointed as the Commissioner to conduct a public hearing and to prepare a report with recommendations for Council's consideration on the amendments.

The motion being put was unanimously carried.

<u>Notice of Motion – St. John's Parks By-Law</u>

<u>SJMC2007-07-10/371R</u>

Pursuant to Notice of Motion, it was moved by Councillor Hann; seconded by Councillor Galgay: That the following St. John's Parks (Amendment No. 1 - 2007) By-Law be adopted:

BY-LAW NO. ST. JOHN=S PARKS (AMENDMENT NO. 1 - 2007) BY-LAW PASSED BY COUNCIL ON

Pursuant to the powers vested in it under the City of St. John=s Act, R.S.N.L. 1990 c. C-17, as amended and all other powers enabling it, the City of St. John=s enacts the following By-Law related to the regulation of parks.

ST. JOHN=S PARKS (AMENDMENT NO. 1 - 2007) BY-LAW

- 1. This By-Law may be cited as the ASt. John=s Parks (Amendment No. 1 2007) By-Law@.
- 2. (1) Section 2(e) of the St. John=s Parks By-Law is amended by repealing the definition of AParks@ and substituting:

2(e) AParks@ means Bowring Park, Bannerman Park, Victoria Park, Kent=s Pond, Kenny=s Pond, Rotary Park/Sunshine Camp, Long Pond, Mundy Pond, Quidi Vidi Lake, T=Railway, Grand Concourse and Play Lots and includes any land owned, leased or controlled by the City, designated and used as a park, playground, sport field, trail or public open space.

(2) Section 2 of the St. John=s Parks By-Law is amended by the addition of the following as section 2(g):

2(g) APlay Lot@ means an area in a residential subdivision having an area of not more than 1,000 m^2 which is designed and equipped for children's= play.

- 3. Section 3 of the St. John=s Parks By-Law is repealed and the following substituted:
 - 3. (1) Parks shall open at 7:00 a.m. and shall, with the exception of the Bowring Park Bungalow and the Rotary Park/Sunshine Camp Chalet, close at 11:00 p.m., unless otherwise permitted by the Director.
 - (2) Notwithstanding section 3(1) Play Lots shall close 30 minutes after sunset.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF the Seal of the City of St. John=s has been hereunto affixed and this By-Law has been signed by the Mayor and City Clerk this 10^{th} day of July, 2007.

The motion being put was unanimously carried.

Notice of Motion - Covering of Garbage Placed for Collection By-Law

Council considered a memorandum dated July 3, 2007 from the Chief Commissioner and

City Solicitor concerning Covering of Garbage.

<u>SJMC2007-07-10/372R</u>

Pursuant to Notice of Motion, it was moved by Councillor Coombs; seconded by Councillor Hickman: That the following Covering of Garbage Placed For Collection (Amendment No. 2 – 2007) By-Law be adopted:

BY-LAW NO. COVERING OF GARBAGE PLACED FOR COLLECTION (AMENDMENT NO. 2 – 2007) BY-LAW PASSED BY COUNCIL ON JULY 10, 2007

Pursuant to the powers vested in it under the City of St. John's Act, R.S.N.L. 1990 c.C-17, as amended and all other powers enabling it, the City of St. John's enacts the following By-Law relating to the covering of garbage placed for collection within the City of St. John's.

BY-LAW

- 1. This By-Law may be cited as the "St. John's Covering of Garbage Placed for Collection (Amendment No. 2 2007) By-Law".
- 2. Section 4 of the St. John's Covering of Garbage Placed for Collection By-Law is repealed and the following substituted:
 - "4. Garbage placed for collection shall be placed in a polyethylene garbage bag which shall have minimum dimensions of 66 cm x 91 cm and either:
 - (a) be placed in a metal or plastic watertight container having a minimum capacity of 90 litres which is designed for the storage of garbage and acceptable to the inspector;
 - (b) be covered with a weighted, solid colored, nylon or polyester net with a maximum mesh size of 25 mm x 25 mm acceptable to the inspector, or
 - (c) be covered with a blanket acceptable to the inspector."
- 3. Section 5 of the St. John's Covering of Garbage Placed for Collection By-Law is repealed and the following substituted:
 - "5. (a) Garbage containers containing garbage placed for collection shall be weighted at the bottom or be of sufficient weight so as to ensure they do not move once the garbage has been removed and the covers of such containers shall be affixed to or connected with the body of the container in a manner acceptable to the inspector so as to ensure ease of access to the contents and that the cover does not become separated from the body of the container.
 - (b) Blankets or nets used for the covering of garbage shall be designed and maintained in a manner acceptable to the inspector so as to ensure they provide adequate coverage, do not blow off the

garbage, are easily removable by the garbage collector and do not blow away once the garbage has been removed."

- 4. Section 6 of the St. John's Covering of Garbage Placed for Collection By-Law is repealed and the following substituted:
 - "6. The metal or plastic containers used to contain garbage placed for collection and blankets or nets used to cover garbage placed for collection shall be removed from the curb or street line no later than 8:30 p.m. on the day on which the garbage was placed for collection."

IN WITNESS WHEREOF the Seal of the City of St. John's has been hereunto affixed and this By-Law was signed by the Mayor and City Clerk on behalf of the City of St. John's this 10th day of July, 2007.

The motion being put was carried with Councillor Galgay dissenting.

SJMC2007-07-10/373R

It was moved by Councillor Coombs; seconded by Councillor Colbert: That the following Sanitation Regulations (Amendment No. 1 – 2007) By-Law be adopted:

BY-LAW NO. SANITATION REGULATIONS (AMENDMENT NO. 1 – 2007) BY-LAW PASSED BY COUNCIL ON JULY 10, 2007

Pursuant to the powers vested in it under the City of St. John's Act, R.S.N.L. 1990 c.C-17, as amended and all other powers enabling it, the City of St. John's enacts the following By-Law relating to the collection of garbage within the City of St. John's.

BY-LAW

- 1. This By-Law may be cited as the "Sanitation Regulations (Amendment No. 1 2007) By-Law".
- 2. Section 17(h) of The St. John's Sanitation Regulations is repealed and the following substituted:

"17(h) Garbage or refuse which has not been placed for collection in the manner provided by these Regulations, with the exception of garbage or refuse which has not been covered as required by the Covering of Garbage Placed for Collection By-Law."

IN WITNESS WHEREOF the Seal of the City of St. John's has been hereunto affixed and this By-Law has been signed by the Mayor and City Clerk this 10th day of July, 2007.

The motion being put was carried with Councillor Galgay dissenting.

Council Agenda

Under business arising, Council considered as information a memorandum dated June 28, 2007 from the Chief Commissioner and City Solicitor in response to the Mayor's request for an opinion on the contents of the Agenda and how it is established.

On a related matter, the Chief Commissioner and City Solicitor advised that he has asked the City Clerk to include in the Committee minutes which go to Council matters which were voted on but not approved at the Committee meeting.

Notices Published

1. A Discretionary Use Application has been submitted by JTM Holdings Limited requesting permission to establish and operate a hair salon as a Home Occupation in the residence located at Civic No. 129 Penney Crescent. The proposed hair salon will occupy a floor area of approximately 20 sq metres within the dwelling and will employ a staff of one in addition to the applicant (the applicant/operator will be resident of the dwelling). Off-street parking for two vehicles will be provided on the site. The hours of operation will be from 9:00 am to 5:00 pm, Monday to Friday. (WARD 1)

Petition of objection Email from Transportation Engineer

SJMC2007-07-10/374R

It was moved by Councillor Puddister; seconded by Deputy Mayor O'Keefe: That the application be rejected.

The motion being put was unanimously carried.

2. A Discretionary Use Application has been submitted by Nolan Hall Real Estate requesting permission to operate a four (4) guest Bed & Breakfast Establishment in the residence located at Civic No. 21 Rennies Mill Road. Off-street parking for three (3) vehicles can be accommodated on the site. (WARD 2)

One (1) letter of objection

SJMC2007-07-10/375R

It was moved by Councillor Duff; seconded by Deputy Mayor O'Keefe: That the application be approved.

During discussion Councillor Galgay tabled an email from Ms. Elizabeth Oliver, concerning B & B locations and asked that it be referred to the Director of Building and Property Management for consideration.

Following discussion, the motion being put was unanimously carried.

3. A Discretionary Use Application has been submitted by Ms. Elizabeth Tucker requesting permission to establish and operate an "Esthetic Service" as a Home Occupation in her residence located at Civic No. 1 Merasheen Place. The proposed business will occupy a floor area of approximately 42 sq metres within the dwelling and the applicant will be the sole employee. Esthetic services will be provided by appointment only. The hours of operation will be from 4:30 pm to 9:00 pm Monday to Friday; (9:00 am to 9:00 pm Saturday; and 2:00 pm to 7:00 pm Sunday. Off-street parking for four (4) vehicles will be provided on the site. (WARD 3)

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It was decided on motion of Councillor Coombs; seconded by Councillor Colbert: That the application be approved.

4. A Discretionary Use Application from Connie Parsons School of Dance requesting permission to construct a 65 sq metre extension to the existing building located at Civic No.77 Portugal Cove Road to accommodate additional dance studio space. In order to accommodate the proposed building extension, the applicant has requested that Council establish a 4 metre building line setback along the Kent Place frontage of the subject property. Off-street parking for nine (9) vehicles will be provided on the site. Additional overflow parking will be provided on the property of J. W. Allan Co. Ltd., located at Civic No. 94 Elizabeth Avenue. (WARD 4)

One (1) Submission of concern

SJMC2007-07-10/377R

It was moved by Councillor Ellsworth; seconded by Councillor Hann: That the application be approved on condition that if parking becomes a problem in the area the matter is to be revisited.

The motion being put was unanimously carried.

5. A Discretionary Use Application has been submitted by Bell Aliant requesting permission to install two (2) OPI units (telecommunication cabinets) in the Open Space area of Bill Rahal Park at Kent Place. The proposed cabinets will measure 1.5 ft x 5 ft in height. (WARD 4)

SJMC2007-07-10/378R

It was decided on motion of Councillor Coombs; seconded by Councillor Hann: That the application be approved.

6. A Discretionary Use Application has been submitted by Mr. Joe Lake & Ms.Lucy Viscount requesting permission to subdivide the property located at Civic No. 84 Heffernan's Line to accommodate two reduced single detached building lots fronting on Beaver Brook Drive. The proposed building lots will each have an area of 325.2 sq metres and 15.24 metres frontage on Beaver Brook Drive. (WARD 5)

SJMC2007-07-10/379R

It was decided on motion of Councillor Coombs; seconded by Councillor Hann: That the application be approved.

7. A Discretionary Use Application has been submitted by Jason & Ann Marie Chafe requesting permission to subdivide the property located at Civic No. 237 Bay Bulls Road to accommodate a reduced frontage single detached residential building lot. The proposed new lot will have 12 metre frontage on Bay Bulls Road and will have an area of approximately 1,400 sq. metres. (WARD 5)

SJMC2007-07-10/380R It was decided on motion of Councillor Coombs; seconded by Councillor Hann: That the application be approved.

Public Hearings

Council considered a Neighbourhood Meeting Report dated July 4th, 2007 which was held to discuss the problems associated with vandalism, loitering and general disorderly behavior taking place at Cowan Park, particularly at night, causing disturbance to the surrounding residents, not to mention damage to personal property.

Councillor Coombs noted that possible solutions to the problem would be: Surveillance cameras, cutting-down of wooded areas, installation of lighting, reporting incidents by calling 311, establishing a neighbourhood watch program etc. He advised that he will be proposing a plan to Council to deal with the situation.

Development Committee Report dated June 26th, 2007

Council considered the following Development Committee Report dated June 26th, 2007:

1. Proposed Extension to Accessory Building Stephen & Cindy Sheppard Civic No. 78 Camrose Drive Town of Paradise (Broad Cove River Watershed) The Development Committee recommends that Council reject the above noted application in accordance with the Development Agreement between the City of St. John's and the Town of Paradise.

2. Discretionary Use Application Proposed Auction House Operation Messrs. Cyril and Frank Fitzpatrick Redmond's Road (Ward 3)

It is the opinion of the Development Committee that the establishment of an Auction House on Redmond's Road is not in the best long-term interests of the future land use planning and development of this area. Therefore, it is the recommendation of the Development Committee that the application for the Auction House be rejected.

Ron Penney, Acting Chairperson Chief Commissioner and City Solicitor

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Regarding Item #1: It was decided on motion of Councillor Duff; seconded by Councillor Hickman: That the Committee's recommendation of rejection be approved.

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Regarding Item #2: It was decided on motion of Councillor Duff; seconded by Councillor Hickman: That the Committee's recommendation of rejection be approved.

Planning & Housing Standing Committee Report dated June 29, 2007

Council considered the following Planning & Housing Committee Report dated June 29,

2007:

In Attendance: Councillor Shannie Duff, Chairperson

Councillor Tom Hann **Councillor Sandy Hickman** Councillor Art Puddister Councillor Ron Ellsworth **Councillor Wally Collins** Mr. Ron Penney, Chief Commissioner & City Solicitor Mr. Cliff Johnston, Director of Planning Mr. David Blackmore, Director of Building & Property Management Mr. Paul Mackey, Director of Public Works & Parks Mr. Walt Mills, Acting Director of Engineering Mr. Joe Sampson, Manager of Development Mr. Jim Clarke, Manager of Streets & Parks Ms. Debbie Reid, City Internal Auditor Mr. Derek Coffey, Auditor I Mr. Dave Squires, Planner Ms. Kelly Butler, Recording Secretary

1. Delegation - Seanic Canada - Application for Proposed Personal Care Home - Old Petty Harbour Road (Ward 5)

The Committee met with representatives from Seanic Canada (Sean Callahan, Bill Callahan, and Robert Robere) regarding the above noted matter. The Committee also considered the **<u>attached</u>** memorandum dated June 26, 2007, from the Director of Planning.

The Committee agreed that the new Land Use Assessment Report for the revised proposal for a seniors personal care home be reviewed by staff. Upon completion of the staff review, the Committee recommends that the application be referred to a public meeting to be chaired by a member of Council. The Committee further agreed that the public meeting should be scheduled to take place sometime after the Labor Day holiday.

2. Proposed Rezoning of Property - Mr. Brian Broderick - Civic No. 28 Shoal Bay Road/Civic No. 10 Mill Road (Ward 5)

The Committee met with Mr. Brian Broderick to discuss his rezoning application. The Committee also considered the **<u>attached</u>** memorandum dated June 26, 2007, from the Director of Planning and the Manager of Planning and Information.

The Committee recommends that the rezoning application be rejected as the application site is outside the Goulds Ultimate Service Area, and the application is contrary to the policy adopted by Council in 2005 to allow only the Rural Residential Infill (RRI) Zone in the Shoal Bay Road area.

3. Proposed Rezoning of Property - Hart Homes - Civic No. 23 Shaw Street (Ward 2)

The Committee considered the **<u>attached</u>** memorandum dated June 27, 2007, from the Director of Planning and the Manager of Planning and Information regarding the above noted application.

The Committee recommends that the application be rejected as it does not believe that the proposed Residential High Density Zoning designation is appropriate to the lower Shaw Street neighbourhood in which the application site is situated.

4. Proposed Rezoning of Property - Salvation Army - Civic No. 43 Pearce Avenue (Ward 3)

The Committee considered the **<u>attached</u>** memorandum dated June 26, 2007, from the Director of Planning and the Manager of Planning and Information regarding the above noted application.

The Committee supports the rezoning application and has directed the Department of Planning to advertise the proposed rezoning for public review and comment. Upon completion of this process, the application will be referred to a future Regular Meeting of Council for consideration of approval.

5. Proposed Text Amendment to the St. John's Development Regulations re: Reduced Lot Housing

The Committee considered the **<u>attached</u>** memorandum dated June 26, 2007, from the Director of Planning and the Manager of Development regarding the above noted matter.

The Committee directed staff to draft and advertise the applicable text amendment to the St. John's Development Regulations regarding reduced lot housing. Upon completion of this process, the proposed text amendment will be referred to a future Regular Meeting of Council for consideration of adoption.

6. Proposed Text Amendment to the St. John's Development Regulations re: Accessory Buildings

The Committee considered the <u>attached</u> memorandum dated June 26, 2007, from the Director of Planning and the Manager of Development regarding the above noted matter.

The Committee directed staff to draft and advertise the applicable text amendment to the St. John's Development Regulations regarding accessory buildings. Upon completion of this process, the proposed text amendment will be referred to a future Regular Meeting of Council for consideration of adoption.

7. Proposed Text Amendment to the St. John's Development Regulations re: Urban Forest Management Master Plan

The Committee considered the **<u>attached</u>** memorandum dated June 26, 2007, from the Director of Planning and the Manager of Planning and Information regarding the above noted matter.

The Committee agreed that once staff has had an opportunity to prepare a discussion paper regarding the issue of buffering between residential and commercial uses for the Committee's review, that a public meeting be held on the proposed text amendments to the St. John's Development Regulations pertaining to the Urban Forest Management Master Plan and any proposed applicable amendments regarding buffering.

8. Proposed Rezoning of Property - Jeff Reardon - Civic No. 31 Shaw Street (Ward 2)

The Committee considered the **<u>attached</u>** memorandum dated June 29, 2007, from the Director of Planning regarding the above noted matter.

The Committee agreed to direct the Department of Planning to advertise the proposed application for public review and comment. Upon completion of this process, the application will be referred to a future Regular Meeting of Council for consideration of approval.

9. Status Report - Comprehensive Study of Affordable Housing

The Committee considered as information the **<u>attached</u>** memorandum dated June 21, 2007, from the Director of Building and Property Management regarding the above noted matter.

Councillor Shannie Duff Chairperson

<u>SJMC2007-07-10/383R</u> It was moved by Councillor Duff; seconded by Councillor Ellsworth: That the Committee's recommendations be approved.

During discussion Councillor Hann expressed concern that new developments may be required to have trees planted, however, it was pointed out that the Urban Forest Master Plan is in the proposal stages only and staff will be presenting recommendations for Council's consideration.

Following discussion, the motion being put was unanimously carried.

Joint Committee of Council and the Downtown Development Commission Report dated June 13th, 2007

Council considered the following Report of the Joint Committee of Council and the Downtown Development Commission dated June 13th, 2007:

Councillor Shannie Duff, Chairperson Attendees: Councillor Ron Ellsworth Bill Mahoney, Chair of the Downtown Development Commission Anita Carroll, Board Member, DDC Charlie Cook. Board Member. DDC Scott Cluney, Executive Director, DDC Ron Penney, Chief Commissioner/City Solicitor Art Cheeseman, Associate Commissioner/Director of Engineering Paul Mackey, Director of Public Works & Parks Jim Clarke, Manager of Streets & Parks Carol Kirkland, Supervisor of Inspection Services Robin King, Transportation Engineer Mark Stuckless, Traffic Operations Engineer John Barry, Senior Project Engineer Karen Chafe, Recording Secretary

Sub-Committee re: Downtown Parking Issue

The Committee had referenced the possibility of implementing a long-term parking plan for the Downtown. As a result, the City's Transportation Engineer compiled information including a complete inventory of parking in the downtown core, several example Terms of Reference for similar studies that have been conducted by other municipalities, and the information that had been requested from the Planning Department. A copy of this information is on file with the City Clerk's Department and has been forwarded to the Downtown Development Commission. A number of short and long-term issues were raised with regard to Downtown parking, and the following recommendation is hereby submitted to Council:

The Committee recommended that a sub-committee be established to consider the short and long-term parking issues of the Downtown area, with a view to bringing together the various components of planning regulations for new development; enforcement issues; the future revamping of public transportation and the identification of space and opportunity for increased parking. The Committee may also consider the idea of developing a Terms of Reference to conduct a parking study which would encompass the above noted issues as well as how the three major populations will be most effected: residents, customers and downtown employees.

Members of the Sub-Committee would include the following:

Representing the Downtown Development Commission:

- Bill Mahoney
- Scott Cluney
- Anita Carroll

Representing the City of St. John's:

- **Councillor Shannie Duff**
- Robin King, Transportation Engineer
- Representative from the Dept. of Planning

Councillor Shannie Duff Chairperson

> **SJMC2007-07-10/384R** It was decided on motion of Councillor Duff; seconded by Councillor Colbert: That the Committee's recommendation be approved.

Special Events Committee Reports dated July 4th, 2007 and July 6, 2007

Council considered the following Special Events Committee Reports dated July 4, 2007 and July 6th, 2007:

<u>Re:</u> Special Events Advisory Committee Recommendation – July 4, 2007

1) Event: Jazz Festival

Location: Pier 7, Harbourfront

Date: July 20 – 21, 2007

The Organizer has also made application for an **extension to the Noise By-Law** to 12:00 midnight on both days of their event.

Recommendation:

It is the recommendation of the Committee that Council approve the above noted event, subject to the conditions set out by the Special Events Advisory Committee.

Robin King, P. Eng. Chairman, Special Events Advisory Committee

Re: Special Events Advisory Committee Recommendation – July 6, 2007

1) Event: Plaque Unveiling Ceremony Commemorating Shanawdithit Location: Bannerman Park Date: July 12, 2007

Recommendation

It is the recommendation of the Committee that Council approve the above noted event, subject to the conditions set out by the Special Events Advisory Committee.

Robin King, P. Eng. Chairman, Special Events Advisory Committee

> **SJMC2007-07-10/385R** It was decided on motion of Councillor Coombs; seconded by Councillor Puddister: That the Committee's recommendations be approved.

Nomenclature Committee Report dated July 5th, 2007

Council considered the following Nomenclature Committee Report dated July 5th, 2007: **Re:** Nomenclature Committee Report

Council approval is recommended for the following street names: (Location plans attached):

- (1) Yegappan Subdivision, Airport Heights Drive a. Galaxy Crescent
- (2) Balnafad Subdivision Stage 5 Proposed Residential Subdivision
 - a. Myrick Place
 - b. Tara Street

Phyllis Bartlett

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It was decided on motion of Deputy Mayor O'Keefe; seconded by Councillor Duff: That the Committee's recommendations be approved.

Mayor's Advisory Committee on the Status of Persons with Disabilities dated June 21st, 2007

Council considered the following report on the Mayor's Advisory Committee on the Status of Persons with Disabilities dated June 21st, 2007:

Attendees:Kelly Heisz, Co-Chairperson
Debbie Ryan, Co-Chairperson
Ann Malone
Nick Nash
John Dunn
Myrtle Barrett
Karen Westcott
Betty Osmond
Councillor Ron Ellsworth
Bob Wilson, Manager – Division of Property Management
Scott Winsor, Construction Engineer
Karen Chafe, Recording Secretary

1. <u>Committee Membership</u>

The following community organizations, currently represented on the Mayor's Advisory Committee on the Status of Persons with Disabilities, have confirmed their interest in continuing to serve on the Committee. The Committee recommends that they be reappointed, with the acceptance of their respective appointees, some of whom have yet to be determined:

Existing Organization:	Appointee:	
Coalition of Persons with Disabilities	Kelly Heisz	
Canadian National Institute for the Blind	Anne Malone	
Independent Living Resource Center	Marjorie Winsor	
Short Statured Association	John Dunn	
Canadian Hard of Hearing Association	Art Norris	
Canadian Paraplegic Association	Nick Nash	
CHANNAL	Ed Sawdon	
People First	Bob Mercer	
Canadian Council of the Blind	Betty Osmond	
The Committee further recommends that Councillor Ron Ellsworth		
be reappointed as Council's representative on the Committee.		

The following new organizations and one individual submitted nominations for committee membership:

Organization

Nominee

Cerebral Palsy Association	William Westcott
Newfoundland & Labrador Chronic Pain	
Association	Mrs. Emir Andrews
Eastern School District	Mary Kelsey
Partners for Workplace Inclusion	
Project (Canadian Council on Rehabilitation	
And Work)	Jamie Winter
Memorial University	Tina Hickey
Individual	Wendy Green

With regard to the above noted nominations, the Committee recommends that none be appointed. The Committee felt that the present contingent of organizations involved with the Committee provides a sufficiently varied cross-section of representation of people with disabilities. It was also felt that some organizations have a more province-based mandate beyond the scope of the Committee's terms of reference.

The Committee further recommends that representation from the youth sector would be considered, but that this should be referred to the Mayor's Advisory Committee on Youth, chaired by Councillor Ron Ellsworth.

Kelly Heisz Debbie Ryan Co-Chairs

SJMC2007-07-10/387R

It was decided on motion of Councillor Ellsworth; seconded by Councillor Coombs: That the Committee's recommendations be approved.

Economic Development Committee Report dated June 27th, 2007

Council considered the following Economic Development Committee Report dated June 27th, 2007:

Attendees:Councillor Art Puddister, Chairperson
Councillor Tom Hann
Councillor Ron Ellsworth
Councillor Shannie Duff
Ron Penney, Chief Commissioner/City Solicitor
Elizabeth Lawrence, Director of Economic Development,
Tourism & Culture
Vicki Button, Marketing & Business Development Officer
Wendy Mugford, Economic Development Coordinator
Heather Mills-Snow, Economic Development Coordinator

Karen Chafe, Recording Secretary

Report:

1. Proposal for Benchmarking the Competitiveness of Canada's CMAs

The Committee considered the attached information from the Conference Board of Canada wherein they propose "a new Metropolitan Outlook Service product that aims to analyse and benchmark the features that make Canadian cities attractive to highly-skilled workers and business investment." The Conference Board has already done a three year project which led to discussion on the hub city concept. There is a need for more benchmarking measures and the development of new criteria and economic forecasting. If the City deems this initiative to be viable and valuable, the cost to participate is \$5,000.

The Committee recommends that \$5000 be approved pending a final recommendation from the Director of Economic Development, Tourism & Culture, following the feedback she receives from the scheduled conference call which will determine the viability of this initiative.

2. North American Small Cities of the Future

Foreign Direct Investment (fDi) magazine, published by the Financial Times group in the United Kingdom, recently released an index that ranks the economic, business and financial strengths of cities across the NAFTA region.

After an extensive application process, prepared by the Department of Economic Development, Tourism & Culture, the City of St. John's is pleased to announce that St. John's, along with the City of Waterloo, ranked fifth in the category of best development and investment promotion for a small city. This ranking will assist the City in informing potential investors as to why St. John's is a key business and industrial location.

3. <u>Standing Committees and Referral of Full Minutes to Council</u>

The Rules of Procedure (By-Law No 1273) establish the process whereby committee reports are to be prepared and forwarded to Council for action. Paragraph 96 of the Rules of Procedure states in part: "Following every committee meeting the Secretary shall prepare for the Chairman, for submission to Council, *a report on all matters arising therefrom which require Council action.*" (emphasis added).

The Committee recommends that in the interest of full disclosure of public information, that all standing committee agendas be circulated to all members of Council, and not just the members of these committees, and that the full minutes from such be referred to the following regular council meeting. At present only recommendations requiring Council action are referred to Council.

Councillor Duff agreed to provide a notice of motion if so required in this regard.

4. Week in Waterford, 2007

The Committee considered background information on the organization and planning for a week in Waterford concept. Representatives from the following organizations have been involved in discussions:

- St. John's Board of Trade
- Ireland Business Partnerships
- Benevolent Irish Society
- Dept. of Recreation, City of St. John's
- Dept. of Economic Development, Tourism & Culture, City of St. John's
- Dept. of Tourism, Culture & Recreation, Government of Newfoundland & Labrador
- St. John's Port Authority
- St. John's Soccer Association

The City of Waterford agrees with the overall objective of developing the Week in Waterford to spur increased activity between the two cities with the possibility of a comparable event to be hosted in St. John's, the following year, 2008.

The Committee endorses the outline with respect to business, youth, sporting and historic connections. With respect to the timeframe for such an event to take place, the Committee recommends that the last week of October or the first week of November be scheduled, subject to confirmation by the Director of Economic Development, Tourism & Culture.

5. Ocean 07 Conference, Vancouver, British Columbia

The Director of Economic Development, Tourism & Culture referenced the above noted Conference which will be held in Vancouver, British Columbia. The eventual goal would be to attract similar conferences to the City of St. John's.

The Committee recommends approval to send two staff members from the Dept. of Economic Development, Tourism & Culture to the Oceans 07 Conference in Vancouver, British Columbia.

Councillor Art Puddister Chairperson

> **SJMC2007-07-10/388R** It was decided on motion of Councillor Puddister; seconded by Councillor Duff: That the Committee's recommendations be approved.

Audit Committee Report dated May 25th, 2007

Council considered the following Audit Committee Report dated May 25th, 2007:

In Attendance: Councillor Ron Ellsworth, Chairperson Councillor Tom Hann Councillor Art Puddister Mr. Bob Healey, Committee Member Mr. Ron Penney, Chief Commissioner/City Solicitor Mr. Robert Bishop, Director of Finance & City Treasurer Mr. Neil Martin, Associate Commissioner/Director of Corporate Services & City Clerk Mr. Paul Mackey, Director of Public Works & Parks Ms. Debbie Reid, City Internal Auditor Ms. Kelly Butler, Recording Secretary

1. Internal Audit Report B Follow-Up Review B Robin Hood Bay Control Issues (Assignment No. 07-02)

For the Committee's information, the City Internal Auditor reviewed in detail the above noted report. (A copy of the report forms part of these minutes and is on file with the City Clerk=s Department.)

The City Internal Auditor advised that the initial review and report were completed in July 2004 and adopted by Council in August 2004. The follow-up review was initiated and completed in early 2007. The report detailed several issues that were still in need of action, and provided recommendations for additional follow-up in the areas noted below:

- 1-3: Review of Credit Terms for Customers
- 1-4: Missing or Defaced Permits
- 2-1: Transactions Against Expired Permits
- 2-2: Access of Customers with an Overdue Account
- 2-3: Credits Issued Against Tipping Fee Revenue
- 2-7: Policy on Interest Accrual
- *3-2: Keys to Fuel Pumps*
- *3-3: Reconciliation of Fuel Inventory*

The Committee discussed the follow-up report's findings at length. It was noted that a formal credit policy for Robin Hood Bay should be developed and forwarded to the Finance and Administration Committee for review and consideration of adoption.

The Committee recommends that the <u>attached</u> follow-up report and its recommendations be adopted as presented.

2. Audit Response Protocol and Tracking Effectiveness

The Committee considered a memorandum dated May 23, 2007, from the City Internal Auditor regarding the above noted matter.

The City Internal Auditor advised that current practice has been to review audit reports with management in detail, and discuss how to address specific issues contained within the report. Following that, the audit report is printed and issued in draft form to management and contains any additional auditor comments on the management responses. She noted that it would be appropriate to establish a specific timeframe to respond to engagement observations and recommendations in order to facilitate a reasonable turnaround time on publishing audit results.

Therefore, she recommended that the following Audit Response protocols be established:

- 1.1 An audit response protocol to written audit observations and recommendations be given a 10 business day response time frame, with extensions for legitimate operational reasons given at the discretion of the City Internal Auditor;
- 1.2 An audit response protocol to the draft report be given a five (5) business day response time frame, with extensions for legitimate operational reasons given at the discretion of the City Internal Auditor;

Mr. Healey suggested that the response time in protocol 1.2 be changed from five (5) business days to 10 business days. The Committee agreed with this suggestion.

To enhance the effectiveness of action on responses and follow-up, the City Internal Auditor recommended the following Tracking protocols:

- 2.1 to enhance the effectiveness of actions taken to address audit issues it may be appropriate for all management responses to be given in a format that (a) identifies what action will be completed; (b) the specific position responsible for completing the action; and (c) the projected time of its implementation;
- 2.2 to determine whether the action taken is achieving the desired results, reporting on effectiveness should be incorporated in the Council Directive tracking system.

Discussion ensued regarding protocol 2.2, with it being noted that the use of the Council Directives database to track responses on audit report issues should be discussed with the Director of Corporate Services to see if the system can be used for such a purpose. It was also noted that the Lotus Notes calendar has a built-in reminder system which may be more appropriate for tracking responses.

The City Internal Auditor noted that it was her understanding that the Council Directive database had the capability to be used as a tracking system using flagged due dates, however, she indicated she would speak to the Director of Corporate Services in this regard.

The Committee recommends that the Reporting and Tracking Protocols 1.1, 1.2, and 2.1 as outlined above be approved, with the response time in Protocol 1.2 being changed from five (5) business days to 10 business days.

The Committee also recommends that approval of Protocol 2.2 be deferred to allow the City Internal Auditor an opportunity to discuss use of the Council Directive system for audit response tracking purposes with the Director of **Corporate Services.**

Councillor Ron Ellsworth Chairperson

<u>SJMC2007-07-10/389R</u> It was decided on motion of Councillor Ellsworth; seconded by Deputy Mayor O'Keefe: That the Committee's recommendations be approved.

Development Permits List

Council considered as information the following Development Permits List for the period June 22, 2007 to July 5, 2007:

Code	Applicant	Application	Location	Ward	Developme nt Officer's Decision	Date
Res.	Mr. Gary White	Four (4) Lot Residential Subdivision	Empire Avenue / Blackmarsh Road	Ward 3	Site Plan Approval	07 06 22
Ind.	Kirkland Balsom Associates Limited	Bell / Aliant OPI Site	Civic No. 170 Portugal Cove Road / Windemere Condominiums Site	Ward 4	Application Approved	07 06 26
Ind.	Kirkland Balsom Associates Limited	Bell / Aliant OPI Site	Gear Street / Boncloddy Street	Ward 2	Application Approved	07 06 26
Res.	City of St. John's	Residential Building Lot	Civic No. 17 Ottawa Street	Ward 1	Application Approved	07 06 26
Res.	Ms. Nancy Williams	Proposed Residential Building Lot	Thistle Place, Goulds	Ward 5	Application Rejected: Contrary to Section 10.41.3(1)(b)	07 06 27
Res.	Ms. Lillian Harding	Proposed Residential Building Lot	Civic No. 116 Doyle's Road, Goulds	Ward 5	Application Approved	07 06 27
Ag.	Ms. Brenda Frizzell	Proposed Subdivision of Property of Theresa Dinn- Hussey	Pipeline Road, Goulds	Ward 5	Application Rejected: As per the Decision of the LDAA	07 06 29

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Ed Murray Development Officer Department of Planning

Res.	Mr. Sean Vinnicombe	Proposed Side Extension to Dwelling	Civic No. 1 Whitty Place	Ward 5	Application Approved	07 07 03
CRes.	Mr. Shawn & Ms. Audrey Lee	Residential Building Lot	Main Road, Goulds	Ward 5	Application Rejected: Contrary to Sections 8.1.2 & 10.33	07 07 03
Res.	Mr. Mitchell Murphy	Residential Building Lot	Old Bay Bulls Road	Ward 5	Application Rejected: As per the Decision of the LDAA	07 07 03
Res.	Mr. Albert Jones	Demolition & Reconstruction of Single Detached Dwelling	Civic No. 134 New Pennywell Road	Ward 4	Application Approved	07 07 04
Ind.	Department of Natural Resources	Quarry Lease Referrals (Twelve Sites)	Various Locations	Ward 5	Application Approved	07 07 04
Com.	AE Consultants Limited	Proposed Parking lot Improvements	Canada Post Civic No. 98 Kenmount Road	Ward 4	Application Rejected: Contrary to Section 10. 20.3(1)(k)	07 07 04
Com.	Ms. Beverley Starr	Home Office for Internet Virtual Tour Site	Civic No. 58 Blackhead Village Road	Ward 5	Application Approved	07 07 4

NOTES:

*	Code Classification: RES	- Residential	INST	-
	СОМ	- Commercial Industrial	IND	-
	AG - Agriculture	industrial		
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Building Permits List

SJMC2007-07-10/390R

It was decided on motion of Councillor Ellsworth; seconded by Deputy Mayor O'Keefe: That the recommendation of the Director of Building and Property Management with respect to the following Building Permits lists be approved:

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2007/06/27

Permits List

CLASS: COMMERCIAL

PEAK INVESTMENTS LTD.	365-367 WATER ST, 2ND FLOOR	RN RETAIL STORE
PAR HOLDINGS LIMITED	120 LEMARCHANT RD, 1ST FLOOR	RN OFFICE
GRAFTON- FRASER	AVALON MALL, TIP TOP	RN RETAIL STORE
SOFT MOC	AVALON MALL, SOFT MOC DEMO	RN RETAIL STORE
FAIRVIEW INVESTMENTS LIMITED	273 PORTUGAL COVE RD	RN FENCE
TDL GROUP LIMITED	430 TOPSAIL RD TIM HORTONS	TI EATING ESTABLISHMENT
DOLLARAMA	29 O'LEARY AVE, DOLLARAMA	CR RETAIL STORE
SWILER'S RUGBY CLUB	100 CROSBIE RD	EX RECREATIONAL USE
		THIS WEEK \$ 1,375,800.00

TO DATE \$ 26,024,561.00

CLASS: INDUSTRIAL

THIS	WEEK	\$.00
то	DATE	\$ 1,524,967.00

CLASS: GOVERNMENT/INSTITUTIONAL

SALVATION ARMY	174 MUNDY POND ROAD	SW PARKING LOT
		THIS WEEK \$ 27,000.00 TO DATE \$ 11,678,758.00

CLASS: RESIDENTIAL

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63 SEABORN ST 23 SUNSET ST 8 GOWER ST 15 LODGE PL

NC FENCE NC FENCE SW APARTMENT BUILDING SW SINGLE DETACHED & SUB.APT THIS WEEK \$ 1,597,172.00 TO DATE \$ 50,199,765.00

CLASS: DEMOLITION

THIS WEEK \$.00 TO DATE \$ 260,956.00

THIS WEEK''S TOTAL: \$ 2,999,972.00

TOTAL YEAR TO DATE: \$ 89,689,007.00

REPAIR PERMITS ISSUED: 2007/06/21 TO 2007/06/27 \$ 80,900.00 2006/12/28 TO 2007/06/27 \$ 1,174,231.00 YTD

LEGEND

- CO CHANGE OF OCCUPANCY EX EXTENSION
- NC NEW CONSTRUCTION
- RN RENOVATIONS
- SN SIGN
- MS MOBILE SIGN
- CR CHNG OF OCC/RENOVTNS
- SW SITE WORK

- TI TENANT IMPROVEMENTS
- CC CHIMNEY CONSTRUCTION
- CD CHIMNEY DEMOLITION
- WS WOODSTOVE
- DM DEMOLITION

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Permits List

CLASS: COMMERCIAL

DOR ENTERPRISES BOGARTS JEWELLRY HEALTH GROUP ASSOCIATES INC. 179 HAMLYN RD PAT BUTLER MOORES LEGROWS TRAVEL MCDONALD'S RESTAURANTS CAN.LTD 54 KENMOUNT RD THE ROYAL GARAGE LIMITED 350 KENMOUNT RD WENDY'S RESTAURANT-ROBIN MOORE 35 KENMOUNT RD HICKMAN MOTORS LTD.85-95 KENMOUNT RDHICKMAN MOTORS LTD.85-95 KENMOUNT RDCHRISTMAS WAREHOUSE #2193 KENMOUNT RDBUDS FINE FOODS INC.207 KENMOUNT RD BUDS FINE FOODS INC.207 KENMOUNT RDBILL MATTHEWS' AUTOHAUS211 KENMOUNT RD ATLANTIC AUTO SALES INC. 497 KENMOUNT RD ATLANTIC AUTO SALES INC. 515 KENMOUNT RD SHOPPERS DRUG MART 244 LEMARCHANT RD EARL NORMAN MCDONALD'S RESTAURANTS OF 14 STAVANGER DR GOING MOBILE 10475 NFLD LTD. KARITSIOTIS ENTERPRISES LTD. 662 TOPSAIL RD BARNEY'S 1975 LTD.670 TOPSAIL RDSECOND PAGE BOOK STORE655 TOPSAIL RDMCDONALD'S REST.CAN.LTD.248 TORBAY RD JUNGLE JIMS GRECO/CAPTAIN SUB286 TORBAY RDHARVEY'S TRAVEL272-276 TORBAY RDMAPLE STREET HOLDINGS INC.272-276 TORBAY RDCOLORADOR272-276 TORBAY RD BARNEY'S 1975 LTD. DECORATING DESIGNS INC 445 TORBAY RD HEALY'S PHARMACY LTD. STARBUCKS COFFEE TOTALLY GREEK RALPH REID SMALLS HOLDING LTD HIBERNIA MNGT. & DEV. CORP. 100 NEW GOWER ST

383 DUCKWORTH ST, ROCK HOUSE OC TAVERN 40 ABERDEEN AVE MS RETAIL STORE
 152 AIRPORT RD
 MS CAR SALES LOT

 NUBODY'S FITNESS
 AVALON MALL, NUBODY'S
 SN CLUB

 SIMONI FOOT CLINIC INC.
 41 CASHIN AVE
 MS CLINIC

 BANK OF NOVA SCOTIA
 21 ELIZABETH AVE
 MS BANK

 NOOK AND CRANNY
 316-220 FDF1
 NUBODY'S FILMEDE SIMONI FOOT CLINIC INC. 41 CASHIN AVE BANK OF NOVA SCOTIA 21 ELIZABETH AVE MS BANK 316-320 FRESHWATER RD MS RETAIL STORE MS EATING ESTABLISHMENT ETTUR STORE MS RETAIL STORE 336 FRESHWATER RD MS CLUB SN OFFICE MS RETAIL STORE MS OFFICE MS RESTAURANT MS COMMERCIAL GAF MS RESTAURANT MS CAR SALES LOT MS RETAIL STORE MS RESTAURANT MS CAR SALES LOT MS CAR SALES LOT MS CAR SALES LOT MS CLUB 73 HAYWARD AVE 41 KELSEY DR 75 KELSEY DR MS COMMERCIAL GARAGE 244 LEMARCHANT RD SN RETAIL OTO-EARL NORMAN1-3 MILITARY RD COFFEE MATTERSSN EATING ESTABLISHMENTEARL NORMAN1-3 MILITARY RD COFFEE MATTERSSN EATING ESTABLISHMENTHEALTH QUEST INC.427 NEWFOUNDLAND DRMS RETAIL STOREBUDDY'S FISH AND CHIPS LTD445 NEWFOUNDLAND DRMS EATING ESTABLISHMENTPRO-GLO LIMITED33 O'LEARY AVEMS RETAIL STORE BUDDY'S FISH AND CHIPS BID PRO-GLO LIMITED 33 O'LEARY AVE GROUP HOLDINGS LIMITED 20 PEET ST MS CAR SALES -B.D.MEDICAL INC. 342 PENNYWELL RD MS OFFICE 10460 NEWFOUNDLAND INC. 180 PORTUGAL COVE RD MS RESTAURANT 279 PORTUGAL COVE RD SN RETAIL STORE 30 ROPEWALK LANE MS RESTAURANT MS RESTAURANT MS CAR SALES LOT MS RESTAURANT MS RETAIL STORE MS CLUB MS RESTAURANT MS EATING ESTABLISHMENT MS RETAIL STORE MS RESTAURANT MS RESTAURANT 15-27 STAVANGER DR 644 TOPSAIL RD 286 TORBAY RD 286 TORBAY RD MESTAURANT MS RESTAURANT MS SERVICE SHOP MS RESTAURANT MS RESTAURANT EXTREME PITA272-276 TORBAY RDMS RESTAURANTEXTREME PITA272-276 TORBAY RDMS RESTAURANTBRITON HOLDINGS INC.272-276 TORBAY RDMS RESTAURANTHAWKNO HOLDINGS LIMITED272-276 TORBAY RDMS RESTAURANTBANK OF NOVA SCOTIATORBAY RDMS BANKBARNEY'S 1975 LTD.61 TORBAY RDMS EATING ESTABARNEY'S 1975 LTD.61 TORBAY RDMS EATING ESTA MS EATING ESTABLISHMENT MS EATING ESTABLISHMENT MS RETAIL STORE 61 TORBAY RD DAKOTA'S SALON AND SPA INC. 611 TORBAY RD, DAKOTA'S SALON MS SERVICE SHOP TROPICAL AND MARINE PETS INC. 611 TORBAY RD MS RETAIL STORE 722 WATER ST MS CLINIC SN RESTAURANT 215 WATER ST 215 WATER ST, TOTALLY GREEK SN RESTAURANT 146 MAJOR'S PATH NC ACCESSORY BUILDING 131 DUCKWORTH ST, SMITTY'S CR RESTAURANT FACILITIES DESIGN GROUP INC. 25-39 HALLETT CRES - ICS COUR CR OFFICE SIMPLY FIT HEALTH12-20 HIGHLAND DRCR RETAIL STOREENTERPRISE RENT-A-CAR18 CRAIG DOBBIN'S WAYTI OFFICE RN OFFICE

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ATLANTIC DENTAL CLINIC SHOPPERS DRUG MART NEWCAP INC.

162 WATER ST 244 LEMARCHANT RD 244 LEMARCHANT RD 391 KENMOUNT RD - VOCM

CR CLINIC NC RETAIL STORE EX COMMUNICATIONS USE

> THIS WEEK \$ 1,313,360.00 TO DATE \$ 27,337,921.00

CLASS: INDUSTRIAL

THIS WEEK \$.00 TO DATE \$ 1,524,967.00

CLASS: GOVERNMENT/INSTITUTIONAL

SN DAY CARE CENTRE DAYBREAK PARENT CHILD CENTRE 74 BOULEVARD RCMP "B" DIVISION HEADQUARTERS 100 EAST WHITE HILLS RD RN ADMIN BLDG/GOV/NON-PROFIT RN OFFICE NL.& LAB.FEDERATION OF 460 TORBAY RD BAC MASONRY COLLEGE 472 LOGY BAY RD CR UNIVERSITY/POST SECONDARY PUBLIC WORKS & GOV. SERVICES WHITE HILLS, NAFC RN ADMIN BLDG/GOV/NON-PROFIT

> THIS WEEK \$ 654,677.00 TO DATE \$ 12,333,435.00

CLASS: RESIDENTIAL

BLATE JANES PRO TECH CONSTRUCTION PETER DWYER PIERRE & DANIELLE MORIN 19 DIEFENBAKER ST BRIAN D. & LINDA M. WITHERS 307 FRECKER DR GLEN POWER & FLORENCE KENNEDY 163 GOWER ST JASON NOLAN LLOYD MUSHROW DAMIEN COLLIER GLEN POWER & FLORENCE KENNEDY 29 HOLLOWAY ST COLTN MCNETL DEAN & JENNIFER KEARNEY 16 MACBETH DR CRAIG FINCH DAVID & ELLEN WALTERS SHANE FITZGERALD BRENDA BROWN HANN CONSTRUCTION HANN CONSTRUCTION LTD. DAVID WILKINS 56 PALM DR DAVID ADAMS & DEBORAH ROBBINS 109 PROWSE AVE PETER DWYFR

22 BRAD GUSHUE CRES - LOT 5-81 NC SINGLE DETACHED DWELLING PAIER DWIER22 BRAD GUSHUE CRESLOT 3-51 NC SINGLE DETACHED DWELLINGPAUL MURPHY29 BRAD GUSHUE CRESNC ACCESSORY BUILDINGPAUL WOODLAND66 BURRY PORT STNC ACCESSORY BUILDINGDONOVAN HOMES LTD.47 BURRY PORT ST, LOT 66NC SINGLE DETACHED DWELLINGCARMELA WALSH16 BUTTERWORTH PLNC PATIO DECKKENNETH & DEBORAH TAYLOR52 CABOT STNC ACCESSORY BUILDINGROCKWOOD HOMES56 CHEYNE DR, LOT 3.50NC SINGLE DETACHED DWELLINGWILLIAM ST.CROIX31 CORNWALL AVENC FENCEDINDER & DUBLING MORNING100 DUBLIND OFNO

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 19 DIEFENBAKER ST
 NC FENCE

 SEAN HARDING/LILLIAN HARDING
 116 DOYLE'S RD
 NC SINGLE DETACHED & SUB.APT

 RODNEY PAUL NORTH & SIDONIE
 95 EASTBOURNE CRES
 NC FENCE

 RICHARD FRANCIS FULLINGTON &
 49 EDISON PL
 NC PATIO DECK

 CARL ROBERTS
 1 ELLIOTT'S RD
 NC SINGLE DETACHED & SUB.APT

 MICHAEL SULLIVAN
 14 EXETER AVE, LOT 52
 NC SINGLE DETACHED & SUB.APT

 JEFFREY & SANDRA DAWE
 32 FRANKLYN AVE
 NC PATIO DECK

 PENIN D. S. LINDA M MITHERS
 307 EPECKER DR
 NC DATIO DECK

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 67 HEFFERNAN'S LINE

 151 HIGGINS LINE

 NC FENCE

 29 HOLLOWAY ST

 19 HOPEDDIE CDEC
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 MARK NICHOLS PL
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 RN

> THIS WEEK \$ 3,691,080.00 TO DATE \$ 53,890,845.00

CLASS: DEMOLITION

19-21 DOYLE'S RD DM SINGLE DETACHED

> 4,000.00 THIS WEEK \$ TO DATE \$ 264,956.00

THIS WEEK''S TOTAL: \$ 5,663,117.00

TOTAL YEAR TO DATE: \$ 95,352,124.00

REPAIR PERMITS ISSUED: 2007/06/28 TO 2007/07/05 \$ 134,840.00 2006/12/28 TO 2007/07/05 \$ 1,309,071.00 YTD

LEGEND

CO	CHANGE OF OCCUPANCY	SW	SITE WORK
NC	NEW CONSTRUCTION	ΕX	EXTENSION
OC	OCCUPANT CHANGE	TI	TENANT IMPROVEMENTS
RN	RENOVATIONS	CC	CHIMNEY CONSTRUCTION

AGNES RIDEOUT DWELLING

SN	SIGN	CD	CHIMNEY DEMOLITION
MS	MOBILE SIGN	WS	WOODSTOVE
CR	CHNG OF OCC/RENOVTNS	DM	DEMOLITION

Payrolls and Accounts

SJMC2007-07-10/391R

It was decided on motion of Councillor Ellsworth; seconded by Deputy Mayor O'Keefe: That the following Payrolls and Accounts for the weeks ending June 28th, 2007 and July 5th, 2007be approved as presented:

Weekly Payment Vouchers For The Week Ending June 28, 2007

PAYROLL

Public Works	\$ 292,121.88
Amalgamation	\$ 506,823.91
Bi-Weekly Administration	\$ 537,325.05
Bi-Weekly Management	\$ 488,865.22

ACCOUNTS PAYABLE

Cheque No. 118241 – 118508	\$1,868,681.50
(Includes Direct Deposits/Transfers/Eqp. Leasing)	

Total:

Weekly Payment Vouchers For The Week Ending July 5, 2007

PAYROLL

Public Works	\$ 307,109.19
Bi-Weekly Casual	\$ 62,846.07

ACCOUNTS PAYABLE

Cheque No. 118509 – 118828	\$2,732,410.61
(Includes Direct Deposits/Transfers/Eqp. Leasing)	

Total:

\$3,102,365.87

\$3,693,817.56

Tenders

- a. Tender Purchase of Two (2) Rubber Tired Sidewalk Plows and Attachments
- b. Tender Purchase of two (2) Rubber Tracked Sidewalk Plows with Snow Blower Attachments
- c. Tender Supply of Paint and Accessories
- d. Tender Veterinary Services (Euthanasia)
- e. Tender RFP for Provision of Digital Mapping
- f. Tender Harbour Interceptor Sewer Harbour Drive East Contract 12
- g. Demolition -2 & 4 Symes Bridge

SJMC2007-07-10/392R

It was decided on motion of Councillor Ellsworth; seconded by Deputy Mayor O'Keefe: That the recommendations of the Director of Finance and City Treasurer, the Associate Commissioner/Director of Engineering and the Director of Building and Property Management, be approved and the tenders awarded as follows:

- a. Saunders Equipment Ltd. in the amount of \$264,080.00 (HST Extra)
- b. S & S Supply Ltd. in the amount of \$322,980.00 (HST Extra)
- c. ICI Paints (Canada) Inc. in the amount of \$44,124.32 (HST Extra)
- d. Sunrise Animal Hospital Ltd. in the amount of \$63,960.00 (taxes not included)
- e. EnFor Consulting Services in the amount of \$55,403.00
- f. Modern Paving in the amount of \$6,516,963.00
- g. Kelloway Construction Ltd. in the amount of \$26,841.30 which includes HST

Notices of Motion, Written Questions and Petitions

Councillor Puddister tabled a petition the prayer of which reads as follows:

We, the undersigned residents of the Caribou Legion Manor, strongly protest the cancellation of Bus #4 which serviced our manor on Roosevelt Ave. We are now serviced by Bus #2 which completely bypasses Roosevelt Ave.

Our residents must now pick up Bus #2 on Charter Ave. which is approximately $1/8^{\text{th}}$ of a mile from our manor. We would like to remind you that our residents vary in age to 93 years and consist of war veterans and widows of war veterans who depend on bus service for their groceries, doctors appointments, etc.

Because of the distance to the new bus stop, many residents are not capable of using the current service due to age and physical health, therefore having to get a taxi at considerable cost.

We are asking you to review this situation as soon as possible. A simple solution would be to divert Bus #2 to include Roosevelt Ave.

Thank you very much.

Councillor Colbert advised that the Transportation Commission has been dealing with the issue and is working towards a solution to accommodate the residents, which will be communicated to the residents who signed the petition.

Letter dated June 28, 2007 to Members of Council from Clare Barry, Chair, <u>Tuckamore Festival requesting an annual grant of \$15,000.00 towards the Festival</u>

SJMC2007-07-10/393R

It was decided on motion of Councillor Duff; seconded by Councillor Puddister: That the City provide \$15,000.00 this year to the Tuckamore Festival.

The motion being put was carried with Councillor Ellsworth dissenting.

Public Meetings of Council

Council considered a memorandum dated June 28, 2007 from the Chief Commissioner and City Solicitor advising Council on the recent decision of the Supreme Court of Canada in London (City) v RSJ Holdings Inc. and outlined the facts of the case. The Chief Commissioner and City Solicitor advised that while he believes that Council is in general in compliance with the requirements outlined, both he and the City Clerk's office will work together to ensure that the agenda for the private meetings only includes those matters which meet the list of exemptions set out and met the public policy objective of having local government decisions made in an open and transparent manner.

Councillor Duff asked if it would be possible to provide advance notice to the general public through the City's website, the time, date and agendas of the Committee meetings. The matter was referred to the City Clerk for follow up.

137 Blackmarsh Road

Council considered a memorandum dated July 4, 2007 from the Chief Commissioner and City Solicitor regarding the above noted.

SJMC2007-07-10/394R

It was decided on motion of Councillor Duff; seconded by Deputy Mayor O'Keefe: That the recommendation of the Chief Commissioner and City Solicitor that approval be granted to purchase land required by the City at the corner of Blackmarsh Road and Hamilton Avenue Extension for the reconstruction of the intersection, at a cost of \$2,000.00 plus legal fees, be approved.

37 Quidi Vidi Road Boundary Line Agreement

Council considered a memorandum dated July 4, 2007 from the Chief Commissioner and City Solicitor regarding the above noted.

SJMC2007-07-10/395R

It was decided on motion of Councillor Puddister; seconded by Councillor Hann: That the Mayor and City Clerk be authorized to execute the Boundary Line Agreement with respect to 37 Quidi Vidi Road.

Estate of Edgar Tessier

Council considered a memorandum dated June 29th, 2097 from the Chief Commissioner and City Solicitor regarding the above noted.

SJMC2007-07-10/396R

It was decided on motion of Councillor Puddister; seconded by Councillor Duff: That the recommendation of the Chief Commissioner and City Solicitor that the Estate of Edgar Tessier be compensated in the amount of \$967.50 for its interest in the land at Martin's Meadow, be approved.

Moving Violations

Council considered a memorandum dated June 28, 2007 from the Chief Commissioner and City Solicitor advising that he met with officials of the Department of Justice and the RNC on June 13, 2007 to discuss the city's proposal to fund a traffic enforcement unit. At that meeting information was provided on the plans of the RNC to establish a dedicated traffic unit. He noted that he feels that the proposal will meet the City's enforcement objectives and it will not be necessary for the City to pursue its own proposal.

At this point Councillor Puddister expressed concern with respect to excessive motor cycle noise and encouraged the RNC to obtain proper equipment to control the noise. The Chief Commissioner and City Solicitor pointed out that the matter could be governed under the Highway Traffic Act with the policing being provincial responsibility. It was suggested during discussion that the Province be written requesting an amendment to the by-law in this regard.

Proposed Single Detached Residential Building Lot, Civic No. 17 Ottawa Street

Council considered a memorandum dated July 5, 2007 from the Chief Commissioner and City Solicitor regarding the above noted.

SJMC2007-07-10/397R

It was decided on motion of Councillor Coombs; seconded by Deputy Mayor O'Keefe: That the recommendation of the Chief Commissioner and City Solicitor that proposed single detached residential building lot at Civic No. 17 Ottawa Street be offered for sale by way of public tender, be approved.

Economic Update July 2007

Council considered as information the July 2007 Economic Update report.

Letter dated June 21, 2007 from Chris Nesbit re Garbage By-Law

Council considered as information a letter from Mr. Chris Nesbit in response to a letter of June 14, 2007 from the City in which he was advised that he was in contravention of the new covered Garbage By-law with it being noted that the latest amendments to the By-law will resolve Mr. Nesbit's concern.

Letter dated June 22, 2007 to His Worship the Mayor from Richard Day, Transport Canada, Safety and Security re: Environmental Risk Assessment Study of the South Coast of Newfoundland

Council considered the letter regarding the above noted study and the application of the results in the Federal Government's review of the Marine Oil Spill Preparedness and Response Regime.

Letter date June 19, 2007 to His Worship the Mayor from the Honourable Consiglio Di Nino, Senate, re Tibet flag raising during Dalai Lama upcoming visit to Ottawa and naming of street after Dalai Lama

Council considered the above noted letter and agreed that the request with respect to naming of street after the Dalai Lama ("Dalai Lama Way") be referred to the Nomenclature Committee for consideration.

Letter dated July 5, 2007 from His Worship the Mayor to The Honourable Gary Lunn, Minister of Natural Resources

Council considered as information the above noted letter.

Letter dated July 5, 2007 from His Worship the Mayor to The Honourable Loyola Hearn, Minister of Fisheries and Oceans

Council considered as information the above noted letter.

Bell Aliant OPI Sites – Easement Agreements

Council considered a memorandum dated July 10, 2007 from the Chief Commissioner and City Solicitor regarding the above.

SJMC2007-07-10/398R

It was decided on motion of Councillor Coombs; seconded by Councillor Puddister: That the recommendation of the Chief Commissioner and City Solicitor that fourteen Easement Agreements be executed by the City and that the compensation for each from Bell Aliant be based on \$2.00 per square foot, plus administration fees of \$150.00 per easement, which are required for the installation of Outside Plant Interfaces, be approved.

New Royal Newfoundland Constabulary Stables, Government House

SJMC2007-07-10/399R

It was moved by Councillor Colbert; seconded by Councillor Collins: That permit fees associated with the construction of a new horse stable to house the Royal Newfoundland Constabulary Mounted Unit on the Government House grounds, be waived.

The motion being put was carried with Councillors Coombs and Hickman dissenting.

Request to Permit Motorized Mobile Vending in Residential Areas

Council considered a memorandum dated July 10, 2007 from the Director of Building and Property Management regarding a request to permit motorized mobile vending in residential areas. The Director of Building and Property Management pointed out that Section 6 of the Mobile Vending By-Law prohibits a mobile vendor from operating in residential areas unless specifically permitted by Council. Deputy Mayor O'Keefe asked if Council would consider granting a permit. However, Council was not prepared to approve the application due to safety concerns as pointed out by the City's Transportation Engineer.

Harbour Clean-up Project - A. Harvey & Company

Council considered a memorandum dated July 6, 2007 from the Chief Commissioner and City Solicitor regarding the above noted.

SJMC2007-07-10/400R

It was decided on motion of Councillor Coombs; seconded by Councillor Puddister: That the recommendation of the Chief Commissioner and City Solicitor that approval be granted to enter into an agreement with A. Harvey Ltd. to lease a temporary parking lot from them for seventy spaces off Harbour Drive at a rental fee of \$50/space/month, totalling \$21,000.00 plus

HST, in order to minimize the effect of the next phase of the harbour clean-up project for downtown businesses, be approved.

Garbage Compliance

Council considered information concerning the 2007 Garbage By-Law Compliance.

Deputy Mayor O'Keefe

Deputy Mayor O'Keefe noted the arrival of the Cruise Ship *MS Maasdam* and the announcement by the Federal Minister responsible for the ACOA, Mr. Peter MacKay, of \$300,000.00 in funding for Cruise Newfoundland and Labrador.

Councillor Duff

Councillor Duff referenced the Bicycle Study the City is undertaking which is posted on the City's website and advised that staff are asking residents to feel free to post their comments on this matter. Councillor Duff also advised that a public forum in relation to the study is planned for July 30, 2007.

Councillor Duff referenced Festival 500 event and its huge success following which Council unanimously agreed that a letter of congratulations be written, on behalf of Council, to Mr. Harry Connors, Chairman of Festival 500.

Councillor Puddister

Councillor Puddister advised that he received a call from a resident of Charter Court, Pleasantville, complaining about potholes in Charter Court. He was advised that Charter Court is owned by NLHC, a private roadway, and he has referred the matter to the Province for follow-up.

Councillor Puddister noted a safety situation with respect to motorists stopping on bus stops on Water Street, especially places like Atlantic Place and Scotia Tower. The matter was referred to Associate Commissioner/Director of Engineering for follow up with enforcement personnel.

Councillor Galgay

Councillor Galgay advised that on July 17, 2007 the Community Centre Alliance in cooperation with Carolyn Power, Co-owner of Epicurean Kitchen, will be hiring six students and one supervisor to provide various picnic baskets etc. in the City's kiosk on the Boulevard and encouraged people to patronize this particular organization. The recent edition of the Community Centre Alliance newspaper called "Same Page" is now available for July and August, and highlights events taking place during the months of July and August in the various community centres.

Councillor Coombs

Councillor Coombs referenced the recent appearance of an otter in Bowring Park and advised that the City has contacted the Wild Life Division to have the otter removed.

Adjournment

There being no further business, the meeting adjourned at 5:30 p.m.

MAYOR

CITY CLERK