

Town of Greater Napanee Council Highlights

Regular Meeting of Council for January 28, 2025

Deputations

Council heard the following deputations:

- A request to adjust the times of the crossing guards at the crosswalks located near The Prince Charles School & NDSS.
- An update on a new proposed community non-profit called Greater Napanee Connect.



Proclamation - Heritage Week

Council proclaimed February 17th-23rd, 2025, as Heritage Week in the Town of Greater Napanee.

Approval of Medical Tiered Response Agreement with the County of Lennox and Addington

Council received a report on the Approval of a Medical Tiered Response Agreement with the County of Lennox and Addington. Council directed that the Mayor and Clerk enter into an agreement with the Town of Greater Napanee and the County of Lennox & Addington to provide medical tiered emergency services.

The report also outlined the new Medical Priority Dispatch System (MPDS) that will be implemented across Kingston, Frontenac, Lennox, and Addington areas by the Central Ambulance Communications Centre on February 5th, 2025. MPDS is designed to better triage a patient's condition through a series of detailed questions about a patient's signs and symptoms. The dispatching criteria for Land Ambulance will be more in depth and specific to a patient's overall condition. MPDS will replace the older priority code system, where code 4 was the most emergent of all medical emergencies.

2024 Access E11 Overview

Council received a report that provided an overview of Access E11 cases from January 1st - December 31st, 2024. The report highlighted total cases, a breakdown of cases by department, and the average days to close cases per month.



Deseronto Transit Partnership Agreement Extension

Council received a report on the Deseronto Transit Partnership Agreement Extension. Council voted that no extension be made to the Deseronto Transit Partnership Agreement in its current form and directed staff to explore alternate transit options while taking into consideration Greater Napanee's population and geography. A report will be brought back to Council before the approval of the 2026 budget.

Next Regular Session of Council: Tuesday, February 11th, 2025

This meeting will be live streamed via our [YouTube Channel](#)



What's to Come

A Community Engagement Consultation will be open from February 3rd-24th, 2025, to gather feedback from residents and community stakeholder groups regarding the types of municipal information they wish to receive and their preferred methods of communication. Learn more about the consultation by visiting [Let's Talk Greater Napanee](#) starting on February 3rd.

Take a Look at the [Agenda and Minutes](#) from the January 28th, 2025, Regular Session of Council

Bay of Quinte Regional Marketing Board Participation

Council received a report on the Bay of Quinte Market Board value assessment. Council directed staff to renew the agreement with the the Bay of Quinte Regional Marketing Board for a three year term.

Proposed Street Names

Council received a report on Proposed Street Names. Council directed that the list of proposed street names be brought back to the February 25th, 2025, Council meeting for final approval, subject to any public comments that may be received.

What's Happening in Our Municipal Departments:

Parks, Recreation, and Cultural Services

Areas of discussion included pre-school skating, spring/summer ice and ball diamond requests, 2025 event preparation that has begun, repairs at Town facilities, and a bar services summary for November and December of 2024. The complete Activity Report is available on the January 28th agenda.



Executive Services

Areas of discussion included the development of mandate letters for the CAO and members of the Senior Leadership Team, draft mandate letters for advisory committees, hiring for summer student positions, and annual taxi licenses that are being renewed. The complete Activity Report is available on the January 28th agenda.

Financial & Information Technology Services

Areas of discussion included 2025 Draft Operating & Capital Budget deliberations that have continued, the 2023 Year End Audit that is ongoing, and 2025 interim tax bill processing that is underway. The complete Activity Report is available on the January 28th agenda.

Fire Department

Areas of discussion included an update on the success of the Annual Food Basket and Toy Drive and the Fire Department Christmas calendar, year end statistics for the department, and Training Officer efforts for 2025. The complete Activity Report is available on the January 28th agenda.



Growth & Infrastructure Services

Areas of discussion included updates on a parking standards review, the Richmond Mobile Home Park Phase 2 & 3, and the Goodyear Expansion. Other updates included information on the blue box transition, bag tags that will be mailed out with January tax bills, roadside brushing on various roads in the north end of the municipality, and the installation of the designated 18 signs at various locations in Greater Napanee for the The Adolphustown-Fredericksburgh Heritage Society (AFHS). The complete Activity Report is available on the January 28th agenda.

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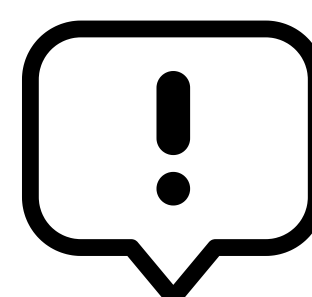
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