

# Town of Greater Napanee

## Council Highlights

Special Meeting of Council for April 8, 2025

### Deputation - Local Transit Alternative

Council heard a presentation regarding a proposed local transit alternative. Council directed staff to include the local transit alternative in a report being brought back to Council on micro transit.



### Deputation - Hydroster - Noise Exemption Request

Council received a presentation from Hydroster regarding a noise exemption request and project update for the Quinte Energy Storage Centre. Hydroster representatives advised they would be seeking a future municipal support resolution under an upcoming IESO procurement for long term energy storage projects.

### 415-427 Bridge Street West Draft Plan of Subdivision, Official Plan Amendment & Zoning By-Law Amendment

Council received a report on the Draft Plan of a Subdivision, Official Plan Amendment, and Zoning By-Law Amendment for 415-427 Bridge Street West. Council approved the Draft Plan of the Subdivision that will be subject to the conditions as identified within the staff report. Residents can submit questions or comments throughout the development process to the Town by email at [developmentsservices@greaternapanee.com](mailto:developmentsservices@greaternapanee.com).

### 2023 & 2024 Annual Treasurer's Report (Development Charges)

Council received a report for information on the 2023 & 2024 Annual Treasurer's Report (Development Charges). Development Charges are collected by municipalities in accordance with the Development Charges Act, 1997 (the Act) to recover a portion of growth-related costs associated with the infrastructure required to service new development.



### 2024 Reserve Balance Update

Council received a report on the 2024 Reserve Balance Update. Council directed staff to bring back an amendment to By-Law No. 2023-0067 to reduce the reporting requirements from quarterly to annually. Staff were also directed to transfer \$60,643 from the Court Security Prisoner Transportation Grant to the General Stabilization Reserve and transfer a \$133,052 WSIB credit to the General Stabilization Reserve.

### Community Events Policy

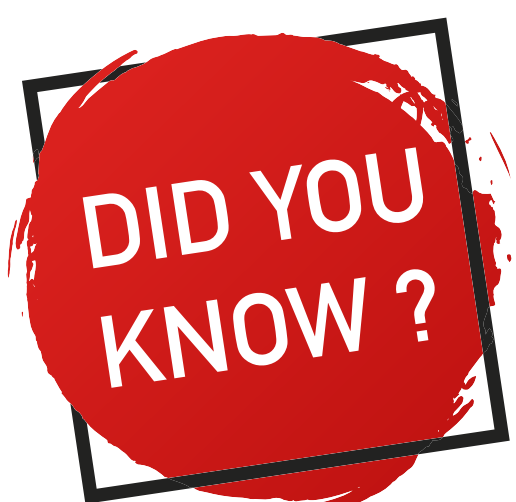
Council received a report on the Community Events Policy based on amendments to the Definitions and Municipal Support Services sections of the draft policy. Council approved the Community Events Policy as presented. Under the policy, Council approval will be required in the first year for each new large-scale community event held on Town property. The policy also defines the types of municipal support services that will be provided at no cost for events hosted by or partnered with local not-for-profit event organizers. A Community Events page will be available on the Town's website in the coming weeks with more information and resources for planning events.

### Proclamation - Lupus Awareness Day

Council proclaimed May 10, 2025, as Lupus Awareness Day in the Town of Greater Napanee.

**Next Regular Session of Council: Tuesday, April 22nd, 2025**

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



### What's to Come

Check out the [2025 Q2 - Forward Calendar](#) to find more information about upcoming meeting dates, staff reports, presentations, and by-laws.

**Take a Look at the [Agenda and Minutes](#) from the April 8th, 2025, Special Session of Council**