

A special meeting of Middleton Town Council was held at the Town Hall on Monday, November 07, 2016, starting at 7 p.m.

PRESENT

Chairing the meeting, Mayor Calvin Eddy; Deputy Mayor Dan Smith; Councillors Darren Boates, Gail Smith, Marc Britney and Melinda den Haan; Chief Administrative Officer, Rachel Turner; Director of Finance, Marianne Daine; and Recording Secretary, Sharon McAuley.

Also in attendance were: Mayor-Elect Sylvester Atkinson; Councillors-Elect Michael Fairn, Clayton MacMurtry, Gary Marshall and Brad Reid; Director of Recreation and Community Services, Jennifer Coolen; Municipal Physical Activity Leader, Stephanie Wadden; Programs and Communications Coordinator, Andy Kerr; Larry Powell, Annapolis Valley Register; Town Crier Peter Davies and his Consort Valerie Davies; and nineteen (19) citizens.

16.11.01 CALL TO ORDER

Mayor Eddy called the meeting to order at 7:00 p.m.

16.11.02 APPROVAL OF THE AGENDA

161107.01: It was moved and seconded to approve the agenda, as circulated. Motion carried.

16.11.03 ANYTHING BY MEMBERS

Council members had nothing to report.

16.11.04 MAYOR'S REPORT

Mayor Eddy tabled his report for the month of November 2016 and thanked the many people who had supported him during his twenty-two years on Council, including council members, Town Hall staff, and the public. He also wished success to the newly-elected mayor and council and thanked all candidates for putting their names on the ballot.

16.11.05 NEW BUSINESS – MUNICIPAL ELECTION

.01 Declaration of Election

Rachel Turner, in her capacity as Clerk for the Town of Middleton, read a Proclamation of Election, declaring the following persons elected to the Council of the Town of Middleton for a four-year term:

Sylvester Atkinson as Mayor and Melinda den Haan, Michael Fairn, Clayton MacMurtry, Gary Marshall, Brad Reid and Gail Smith as Councillors.

.02 Swearing in of New Council Members

Town Crier, Peter Davies, and his Consort, Valerie Davies, proclaimed the opening of the Swearing-In Ceremony.

Rachel Turner, as Clerk, conducted the swearing-in of Mayor Atkinson and then administered the Oath of Allegiance and Office, to swear in the members of Council.

.03 Presentation to Outgoing Mayor and Councillors

Mayor Atkinson presented a plaque of appreciation and framed aerial photo of the Town of Middleton to former Mayor, Calvin Eddy, thanking him for his contribution over the past twenty-two (22) years, serving as both Councillor and Mayor.

Mayor Atkinson presented a plaque of appreciation and framed aerial photo of the Town of Middleton to former Councillor, Marc Britney, thanking him for his contribution over the past nineteen (19) years, serving as Councillor.

Service Recognition Awards were given to all outgoing Council members who were not returning to the Council.

16.11.06 ADJOURNMENT

161107.02: It was moved and seconded to adjourn the meeting at 7.26 p.m. Motion carried.


MAYOR


RECORDING SECRETARY