

**TOWN OF HAMPTON
SPECIAL MEETING OF COUNCIL
May 27th, 2011**

A special meeting of Council was held in the Council Chambers at 27 Centennial Road on May 27th, 2011 commencing at 4:00 pm.

Attendance:

Council:	Mayor Ken Chorley Councillor Peter Behr	Councillor Clara Lights Councillor Robert Doucet
Staff:	Richard Malone, CAO	Megan O'Brien Harrison, Town Clerk/Development Officer

1. CALLING THE MEETING TO ORDER:

- a. Mayor Chorley called the meeting to order at 4:05 pm.

2. DISCLOSURE OF CONFLICT OF INTEREST:

- a. It was noted that Deputy Mayor Bond previously disclosed a conflict of interest on this topic so was not in attendance.

3. NEW BUSINESS:

a. Wetlands Policy

In keeping with the Town of Hampton's Municipal Plan which states that natural features such as wetlands play a major role in defining the Town and that the Town will discourage development that may reduce or impair the quantity and/or quality of wetlands, and in light of a current lack of a Provincial wetlands management policy that is consistent with the Clean Water Act and the Clean Environment Act, Council wished to pass a resolution regarding development in delineated wetlands in the Town.

Moved by Councillor Doucet and seconded by Councillor Behr that the Town of Hampton declare a moratorium on the consideration of development in previously delineated wetlands until such time as the Wetland Stakeholder Engagement Initiative is complete and the new long-range strategy for wetland management in New Brunswick is implemented by the Province.

Motion Carried

4. ADJOURNMENT:

- a. There being no further business, the special meeting of Council was adjourned at 4:20 pm.

Moved by Councillor Behr that the meeting be adjourned.

Motion Carried.

Approval:

Megan O'Brien Harrison, Town Clerk

Ken Chorley, Mayor