# HAMPTON FINANCE COMMITTEE MEETING March 12, 2024

## MEMBERS PRESENT

Mayor Robert Doucet
Deputy Mayor Jeremy Salgado
Councillor Ken Chorley
Councillor Todd Beach
Councillor Kim Tompkins
Councillor Karin Boyé
Councillor Sheree Trecartin

#### **STAFF**

Sherman St. Germain, Director of Finance Richard Malone, CAO Katie Cameron, Assistant Treasurer Shawna Miller, Accounting Assistant

#### **GUESTS**

Peter Logan, Teed Saunders Doyle & Co. Chelsea Nicolls, Teed Saunders Doyle & Co.

## 1. CALL TO ORDER

Sherman St. Germain, Director of Finance, called the meeting to order at 6:17 p.m.

#### 2. APPROVAL OF AGENDA

**MOTION**: Moved by Councillor Karin Boyé and seconded by Councillor Sheree Trecartin to approve the agenda as presented.

#### MOTION CARRIED

#### 3. APPROVAL OF MINUTES

**MOTION**: Moved by Councillor Todd Beach and seconded by Councillor Kim Tompkins to approve the February 6<sup>th</sup>, 2024, meeting minutes.

#### MOTION CARRIED

#### 4. NEW BUSINESS

4.1 Elementary Literacy Inc.- Donation Request

**MOTION**: Moved by Councillor Kim Tompkins and seconded by Deputy Mayor Jeremy Salgado to recommend to Council to receive and file the donation request from Elementary Literacy Inc.

#### MOTION CARRIED

#### 4.2 Hampton Minor Basketball – Donation Request

**MOTION**: Moved by Councillor Todd Beach and seconded by Councillor Karin 'Boyé to recommend to Council to receive and file the donation request from Hampton Minor Basketball Association.

#### **MOTION CARRIED**

4.3 Program Registration & Facility Rates 2024 Schedule "C" (Amended)

**MOTION**: Moved by Councillor Ken Chorley and seconded by Deputy Mayor Jeremy Salgado to recommend to Council to approve the Program Registration & Facility Rates for 2024 as per schedule "C", dated March 12<sup>th</sup>, 2024.

#### MOTION CARRIED

#### 4.4 Tax Assessment Discussion

Sherman St. Germain, Director of Finance, provided Council with details regarding an information release from the New Brunswick Government pertaining to property tax rates. Council has requested that information be release to the public to clarify the difference between property assessment values and local tax rates. Staff have been asked to include a public notice in the April newsletter.

# 4.5 Approval of Accounts

**MOTION**: Moved by Councillor Todd Beach and seconded by Deputy Mayor Jeremy Salgado to recommend to Council to approve the February 2024 Approval of Accounts listing in the amount of \$827,221.00.

#### MOTION CARRIED

4.6 Audit Presentation – Teed Saunders Doyle & Co.

Peter Logan, Teed Saunders Doyle & Co., presented the DRAFT Financial Statements in conjunction with the 2023 Audit. The following recommendations were made to council:

**MOTION**: Moved by Councillor Kim Tompkins and seconded by Councillor Sheree Trecartin to recommend to council to accept the 2023 Audited Financial Statements as presented by Teed Saunders Doyle & Co.

## MOTION CARRIED

#### 4.7 Appointment of Auditors for 2024

**MOTION**: Moved by Councillor Sheree Trecartin and seconded by Councillor Karin Boyé to recommend to Council to appoint Teed Saunders Doyle & Co. as auditors for the 2024 fiscal year, as per appendix A.

#### MOTION CARRIED

5. The next Finance Committee Meeting will be held on April 2<sup>nd</sup>, 2024, at 4:30 p.m.

# **ADJOURNMENT**

Being no further business, the meeting adjourned at 7:01 p.m.

Moved by Councillor Todd Beach that the meeting be adjourned.

APRIL 2 , 2024

DATE MINUTES APPROVED:

**CHAIRPERSON:** 

**SECRETARY:**