



HAMPTON COUNCIL MEETING JUNE 9, 2026

A closed session of Council was held preceding the regular Council meeting on June 9th, 2026, commencing at 5:32 p.m. and adjourned at 6:45 p.m. A regular meeting of Council was then held in the Council Chambers commencing at 7:00 p.m. and adjourned at 9:54 p.m.

ATTENDANCE:

COUNCIL:

Mayor Robert Doucet
Deputy Mayor Jeremy Salgado
Councillor Todd Beach
Councillor Brian Fowler
Councillor Rob Barrett
Councillor Kim Tompkins
Councillor David Goucher

STAFF:

Richard Malone, Chief Administrative Officer/Assistant Clerk
Lisa Richard, Clerk
Sherman St. Germain, Director of Finance and Human Resources/
Treasurer
Arthur McCarthy, Director of Planning, Engineering & Development
Chris White, Director of Economic Development & Tourism
Hannah Kindred, Tourism Coordinator
Jessie Dean, Executive Assistant to the CAO

DELEGATIONS:

Sgt. McCann, Hampton RCMP
Amanda Craig, Product Development Officer, Accommodation Lead,
Tourism New Brunswick (remotely via Teams)
Shelley Halliday, Resident of Walker Crescent
Jennifer Brown, Planning Director, Dillon Consulting

1. CLOSED SESSION

In accordance with Section 68(1) of the *Local Governance Act*, Mayor Doucet called the closed session to order at 5:32 p.m. and adjourned the closed session at 6:45 p.m. During that time, a number of issues were discussed and the confidential information from such discussions was classified as follows:

<u>Subsection of 68 (1)</u>	<u>Category</u>	<u># of Items</u>
a)	Information of which that confidentiality is protected by law	
b)	Personal information as defined by the <i>Right to Information and Protection of Privacy Act</i>	
c)	Information that could cause financial loss or gain to a person or the local government or could jeopardize negotiations leading to an agreement or contract	4
d)	The proposed or pending acquisition or disposition of land	2
e)	Information that could violate the confidentiality of information obtained from the Government of Canada or from the government of a province or territory	
f)	Information concerning legal opinions or advice provided to the local government by its solicitor or privileged communications between solicitor and client in a matter of local government business	1
g)	Litigation or potential litigation affecting the local government, or any corporation referred to in subsection 8(1), the local government's agencies, boards or commissions including a matter before an administrative tribunal	1
h)	Access to or security of buildings and other structures occupied or used by the local government or access to or security of systems of the local government, including computer or communications systems	
i)	Information gathered by police, including the Royal Canadian Mounted Police, in the course of investigating any illegal activity or suspected illegal activity, or the source of that information	
j)	Labour and employment matters, including the negotiation of collective agreements	2

OPEN SESSION

2. CALL TO ORDER

Mayor Doucet called the meeting to order at 7:00 pm.

3. LAND ACKNOWLEDGEMENT

Mayor Doucet recognized and paid respect to the First Nations on whose territories we live and work.

4. APPROVAL OF AGENDA

Moved by Councillor Beach and seconded by Deputy Mayor Salgado that the agenda of the June 9th, 2026, Council meeting be approved as presented.

MOTION CARRIED

5. DISCLOSURE OF CONFLICT OF INTEREST

Mayor Doucet asked that anyone who has a conflict of interest declare it when they reach that item on the agenda.

6. DELEGATIONS / PUBLIC PRESENTATIONS / PUBLIC HEARINGS

6.1. Hampton RCMP, Sgt. McCann – Monthly Report

Sgt. McCann reviewed the calls for Hampton for the month of May. Overall, there were a total of 291 calls for Hampton, compared to 302 for the same period last year. There were 111 warnings and 29 tickets issued with 12 check stops completed and 406 vehicles checked. Two impaired drivers were given immediate roadside suspensions. There were also 10 criminal code charges laid.

The Community Policing Officer completed 151 patrols, 10 school visits, and 2 risk assessments. The Detachment held an information session on crime reduction strategies with the Hampton Area Chamber of Commerce on June 9, 2026, which was well attended.

Councillor Fowler noted that Route 860 is currently being upgraded which may lead to increased speeds by drivers once the work is completed.

Councillor Tompkins inquired about motorized vehicles on town trails. Sgt. McCann advised that officers will talk to offenders and educate them if they encounter them while out on bike patrols.

Councillor Goucher noted that he attended the presentation on crime reduction strategies and found it very insightful.

Mayor and Council thanked Sgt. McCann for his presentation.

6.2. Amanda Craig, Product Development Officer, Accommodation Lead, Tourism New Brunswick

Amanda Craig presented an overview of Tourism New Brunswick's strategy for 2026-2031. The strategic priorities identified are outdoor, wellness and culture opportunities which are divided into three categories: well established, comparable but competitive, and emerging & ownable.

The Tourism Experience Development Program is a new targeted funding initiative designed to advance strategically aligned, market-ready tourism experiences to strengthen New Brunswick's competitiveness in priority markets. The program provides funding of up to \$15,000 with applicants required to contribute a minimum of 25% of total project costs. The projects must align with one or more of the following priorities:

- Address Market Gaps
- Support Year-Round & Shoulder Seasons

- Advance Indigenous Tourism Development
- Promote Regenerative Tourism

Data collected by Environics through cell phone tracking has identified an increase in visitor numbers to the Hampton area from 2024 to 2025 but due to a lack of accommodations it is difficult to measure these numbers. The Saint John area has seen an increase in occupancy rate for accommodations, hotel revenue, and hotel room night demand for this same period.

Under the Local Governance Act, local governments may establish a by-law to impose a tourism accommodation levy to be paid by guests of a lodging establishment within its territorial limits.

Councillor Beach asked if the lack of accommodations in Hampton is a gap that should be addressed. Amanda Craig advised that it has been identified as a gap, especially in terms of sports hospitality. Sports tourism would see a boost if accommodations were available within Hampton. There is an economic benefit to overnight vs. day trip visits.

Mayor and Council thanked Amanda for her presentation.

6.3. Shelley Halliday, Resident of Walker Crescent

Shelley Halliday addressed Council regarding an on-going flooding issue in her backyard on Walker Crescent. She previously met with Mayor Doucet and CAO Richard Malone to assess the issue in November of 2025. Ms. Halliday has been a resident for 35 years and has been fighting to clear drainage issues in the ditch in front of her house. She also wants issues in her backyard addressed as she feels they are a result of the lack of proper permitting for work done on the property behind her property. She advised that the flooding began around 2019 and her basement has flooded approximately 12 times since then.

Staff are aware of the issue and have been evaluating drainage solutions for this area.

Moved by Councillor Tompkins and seconded by Councillor Barrett that the information presented regarding backyard flooding at 14 Walker Crescent be referred to Staff to review and provide a response regarding Hampton's course of action.

MOTION CARRIED

6.4. Public Hearing, By-Law No. HAM-2026-28: Amendments to Zoning By-Law No. HAM-2023-16 regarding Industrial Zones, and By-Law No. HAM-2026-29: Rezoning of 27 Bloomfield Ridge Road South (PID 30195580).

Lisa Richard, Clerk, reviewed the procedure for the Public Hearing and noted that seven (7) letters of opposition were received from the public.

Jennifer Brown, Planning Director, Dillon Consulting Ltd., presented the proposed zoning by-law amendments, which were prompted by an application submitted for a recycling facility at 27 Bloomfield Ridge Road South. The proposal requires a Provincial Salvage Yard License, however the property is currently zoned Industrial (I), which does not contemplate the higher intensity use of a salvage yard. Staff are required to process the application and provide options for a path forward. In this case, it is recommended the application be addressed through a new Medium Industrial (IM) zone to tailor conditions to site context, limit intensity, and provide for industrial land uses that may require increased separation from neighbouring land uses due to increased potential for land use conflicts. The proposed zone will not be applied to any other properties within Hampton's boundaries and will only be applied on a case-by-case basis through a rezoning application.

Jennifer Brown then reviewed the proposed IM zone standards and conditions of use for a salvage yard. The application submitted is for a recycling facility that is proposed to include the recycling and processing of appliances and electronics with the intention of separating recyclable materials and other rare earth metals and materials for the purpose of landfill diversion. The proposed recycling facility includes public drop off of appliances and electronics with the processing of material undertaken within an existing shop building on the subject site. The site also includes a dwelling and an accessory structure. These would be permitted to continue as non-conforming uses which limits future reconstruction and renovation under the *Community Planning Act*. The subject site is bordered by an Industrial zoned property, the highway, and vacant lands on the opposite side. A Recycling Facility is currently a permitted use under the existing Industrial zone.

At the Regular Council meeting held on April 14, 2026, Council referred the proposed amendments to the Planning Advisory Committee for their views. The PAC reviewed the amendments at their meeting held on May 26, 2026, and noted the following:

- To minimize confusion regarding setback and separation distance, propose to update the Medium Industrial (IM) zone to clarify that setback refers to distance of structure/feature to property line and separation distance refers to the distance between land use activity and feature including but not limited to other zones or structures.
- Regarding feedback on potential noise, contamination, and land use conflict, propose to update the Medium Industrial (IM) zone to prohibit crushing and shredding activities.

The PAC made the following motions:

Moved by Councillor Kim Tompkins and seconded by Art Roy that the Planning Advisory Committee recommend Council adopt By-Law No. HAM-2026-28, A By-

law to Amend the Hampton Zoning By-Law No. HAM-2023-16, as presented, which would:

- a. Amend the Zoning By-law by creating the Medium Industrial (IM) zone.*
- b. Amend the Zoning By-law to rename the Industrial (I) zone to the Light Industrial (IL) zone.*

MOTION CARRIED

Moved by Councillor Tompkins and seconded by Jamie Mahoney that the Planning Advisory Committee recommend Council adopt By-Law No. HAM-2026-29 A By-law to Amend the Hampton Zoning By-Law No. HAM-2023-16, as presented, which would:

- a. Amend Schedule A of the Zoning By-law to rezone 27 Bloomfield Ridge Road South (PID 30195580) from Light Industrial (IL) to Medium Industrial (IM).*

MOTION DEFEATED

Key themes received through public feedback include:

- Zoning Compliance & Process – this is being addressed through the public hearing process currently underway that is in alignment with the necessary legislative process under the *Community Planning Act*. Zoning confirmation is required by the Province for licensing. The Provincial license is required as part of Hampton's permit application process.
- Environmental Concerns – impacts to watercourses and wetlands are managed through the Provincial license. Risk of contamination is mitigated through dismantling activities being undertaken in an enclosed structure. Stormwater is directed to the ditching system along Bloomfield Ridge Road South and Route 1 which is maintained by the Department of Transportation & Infrastructure.
- Noise and Safety Concerns – proposed to be mitigated by requiring mechanical dismantling within an enclosed structure. Staff are recommending an update to the proposed Medium Industrial (IM) zone to prohibit the crushing and shredding of materials on the subject site. A fire safety plan is a requirement of the Provincial license. Traffic concerns are mitigated by the proximity to Route 1, minimizing the need for travel along local roads.
- Property Value Impacts – existing development patterns demonstrate an established presence of industrial uses. Provisions for screening, setbacks, separation distances, and enclosure requirements are intended to maintain the current look and feel of the area.

In conclusion, staff are recommending that Council:

- Approve the creation of a new Medium Industrial (IM) zone with updates resulting from Public and PAC feedback;
- Approve the rezoning of the parcel at 27 Bloomfield Ridge Road South from Industrial (I) to Medium Industrial (IM); and
- Approve the renaming of the existing Industrial (I) zone to Light Industrial (IL).

Councillor Beach noted that the definition of a salvage yard is broad and asked how the municipality could be protected. Jennifer Brown advised that conditions could be imposed such as limiting activity to enclosed structures and by revising the list of excluded activities. Councillor Beach inquired if there are different types of licenses for these activities. Jennifer Brown advised that there is just one type of Provincial license, but conditions may apply based on the type of activity. He also asked if a development permit is required to which Jennifer Brown replied that the Provincial license would need to be obtained before a development permit is issued.

Councillor Tompkins inquired about the separation distance. Jennifer Brown advised that the separation distance for residential zone buffering is increased to 100m in the proposed IM zone.

Councillor Goucher asked if they are prohibited from expanding the current garage. Jennifer Brown advised that the current garage could not be expanded due to the non-conforming use conditions.

Councillor Tompkins inquired if the use could intensify. Jennifer Brown advised that in theory it could. They could expand or add additional buildings, but salvage activities would have to remain enclosed.

Mayor Doucet then called upon the applicant, Kyle Gillette of PickUpPro Appliance & Electronics Recycling Ltd. to address Council. Mr. Gillette advised he did not have anything to add to the information presented by Jennifer Brown but was happy to answer questions.

Councillor Fowler asked Mr. Gillette to describe his recycling process. Mr. Gillette advised that all equipment is taken inside and dismantled by hand inside the shop. He separates electronic components, and metal from appliances. His operations do not require shredding or crushing. The shop has a spill containment system and any rags used to clean up spills are disposed of as per environmental regulations. Freon is removed onsite by a licensed technician at a designated location at the top left corner of the property and then taken offsite. Appliances and electronics are moved by hand on dollies or off-loaded from a 16 ft trailer that is backed into the shop. Mr. Gillette advised that he resides in the mobile home on the property.

Councillor Tompkins inquired about the market for the material that is being recycled. Mr. Gillette advised that he has a bin on-site from Sussex Metal, who

purchases the metal and picks up the bin once a week. At this time, Gary Martin, the property owner, spoke up and offered that if there are concerns about trucks coming and going, the location was previously a 24 hour trucking operation.

Councillor Beach asked how the material is sourced. Mr. Gillette advised that he has a website where you can fill out a form to request pick up of appliances and equipment. He also collects material from Munro's and EasyHome and is currently in talks with Costco to collect their appliance returns.

Councillor Barrett asked if the business were to expand, what capacity would he like to reach. Mr. Gillette said he would like to expand to hire additional employees and create jobs in the area.

Councillor Goucher asked if the business was already operating. Mr. Gillette advised that he is already collecting residential materials and needs the provincial license for legitimacy to allow him to collect from businesses.

In following the proposed timeline for adoption of the Zoning By-Law amendments, Council then proceeded to hold a Public Hearing.

Mayor Doucet opened the floor to comments from the public. He called three times for those in favour to step forward. No one stepped forward. The Mayor then called for those in opposition to step forward. The following attendees addressed Council:

- Andy Hopkins, 9 Orchard Street
 - Noted that cars can be crushed with a front end loader. Raised concerns regarding operating hours and how they will be enforced. Also concerned about excessive noise and separation distances. This is a residential neighbourhood that the town should protect.
- Tim Wood, 50 Bloomfield Ridge Road South
 - Raised concerns regarding fencing, how separation distances are measured and if they are accurate, if licensing requirements have been met and if a criminal record check is required. He also noted concerns with burning that appears to be currently happening on the site.
- Tracy Savoie, 45 Heritage Lane
 - Has concerns about what could happen on the property if it is rezoned then sold, specifically could a bigger operation open on the site which in turn could open the door to other similar businesses moving into the area.
- Krista Bietz-Bielecki, 47 Bloomfield Ridge Road South
 - Has concerns regarding water courses and potential run off. The subject site sits on bedrock, and spills would be absorbed by the rock which in turn could affect the aquifer. Contamination will spread, ultimately affecting those who live there, their property values, and surrounding

natural habitats. She is concerned about the environment and the residential neighbourhood being swallowed up by commercial land use.

- Spenser & Emily Sherwood, 39 Bloomfield Ridge Road South
 - Due to their proximity to the site, they have concerns regarding their property line and are worried about security and the safety of their family. There is an increased risk of thefts due to the metals being processed on site. They have concerns about the future use of the property and what other businesses might be established that could disrupt residential life. They worked hard to build their house in a quiet setting and feel this is not the right property for this type of industrial use.
- James Tays, 51 Sands Road
 - A life-long resident who has concerns about how fires will be addressed, increased traffic and water runoff from the site.
- Pam Brayley-Healey, 246 Bloomfield Ridge Road South
 - Has concerns regarding contamination of water supply.
- Kathy Brideau, 234 Bloomfield Ridge Road South
 - Does not feel this business is needed in this area. There are other established businesses who are meeting this need. This a quiet neighbourhood and it should stay that way.
- Adam Bielecki, 47 Bloomfield Ridge Road South
 - Feels that the environment is more important than business.

When no one else stepped forward to address Council, Mayor Doucet adjourned the public hearing and called on Jennifer Brown to address the concerns raised. The following items were noted:

- The setback and separation distances are measured using GeoNB which is the default method;
- Other businesses could potentially move in based on the permitted uses and the secondary uses that are tied to the permitted uses however, they would have to adhere to the conditions of use. Council also has the option to impose conditions under section 59 of the *Community Planning Act*;
- There are risks regarding the containment of pollutants. A storm water plan can be a requirement, but it would be difficult to enforce;
- Could not comment on fire response times;
- Storage of high value items could be managed through section 59 conditions and monitored through by-law enforcement; if conditions are not met then a compliance order or stop work order could be issued.

Councillor Beach asked what the possible contaminants are. The applicant advised that freon removed from refrigeration and air conditioning units, and oil drained from compressors would be the main ones. The oil is recycled and the freon is removed and taken off site by a licensed technician.

Councillor Tompkins asked if batteries are recycled on site to which the applicant replied no.

Council then discussed the matter and made the following motions:

Moved by Councillor Tompkins and seconded by Councillor Fowler that Hampton Council refer draft By-Law No. HAM-2026-28: A By-Law to Amend the Hampton Zoning By-Law No. HAM-2023-16, which would amend the Zoning By-Law to create the Medium Industrial (IM) zone and rename the Industrial (I) zone to the Light Industrial (IL) zone, back to staff for revision based on the feedback received at the Public Hearing on June 9, 2026. The revised amendments are to be presented to Council at the regular meeting on July 14, 2026.

**MOTION CARRIED
NAY Deputy Mayor
Salgado**

Moved by Councillor Tompkins and seconded by Councillor Barrett that Hampton Council table draft By-Law No. HAM-2026-29: A By-Law to Amend the Hampton Zoning By-Law No. HAM-2023-16, which would rezone the subject property, PID 30195580 (27 Bloomfield Ridge Road South), from Industrial (I) to Medium Industrial (IM) in Schedule A: Zoning Map, until staff has presented the requested revisions to draft By-Law No. HAM-2026-28: A By-Law to Amend the Hampton Zoning By-Law No. HAM-2023-16.

**MOTION CARRIED
NAY Deputy Mayor
Salgado**

7. ADOPTION OF MINUTES

7.1. Regular Council Meeting May 12, 2026

Moved by Deputy Mayor Salgado and seconded by Councillor Beach that the minutes of the May 12th, 2026, Regular Council Meeting be adopted.

MOTION CARRIED

7.2. Special Council Meeting May 25, 2026

Moved by Deputy Mayor Salgado and seconded by Councillor Tompkins that the minutes of the May 25th, 2026, Special Council Meeting be adopted.

MOTION CARRIED

8. BUSINESS ARISING FROM MINUTES

8.1. Green Municipal Fund Grant Agreement LLCA-25-0860

Moved by Councillor Beach and seconded by Councillor Barrett that Hampton Council approve the Green Municipal Fund Grant Agreement LLCA-25-0860 between the Federation of Canadian Municipalities, acting as trustee of the Green Municipal Fund, and Hampton. The Agreement will provide funding for the Implementing Flood Adaption Solutions Project.

MOTION CARRIED

9. READING OF BY-LAWS

None

10. CORRESPONDENCE LIST

#	From	Subject Matter	Motion
26-032	Premier's Council on Disabilities	Disability Awareness Week – May 31 to June 6, 2026	Moved by Deputy Mayor Salgado and seconded by Councillor Tompkins that correspondence # 26-032 be received and filed. MOTION CARRIED
26-033	Horizon Community Health Assessment Needs Engagement Team	Request to share messaging regarding the Community Health Needs Assessment in the Kings and Fundy-St. Martins areas.	Moved by Councillor Fowler and seconded by Deputy Mayor Salgado that correspondence # 26-033 be referred to the Communications Manager. MOTION CARRIED

26-034	Ken Chorley	Thank you letter to Council and Staff	Moved by Deputy Mayor Salgado and seconded by Councillor Barrett that correspondence # 26-034 be received and filed. MOTION CARRIED
26-035	Sheree Trecartin	Thank you cards to Council and Staff	Moved by Councillor Tompkins and seconded by Councillor Fowler that correspondence # 26-035 be received and filed. MOTION CARRIED
26-036	Family of the Late Dale Somerville	Thank you card for floral arrangement in memory of former mayor Dale Somerville	Moved by Councillor Fowler and seconded by Councillor Beach that correspondence # 26-036 be received and filed. MOTION CARRIED
26-037	Scott Borden, Senior Director of Community Planning and Transportation, Fundy Regional Service Commission	Project notification letter regarding the preparation of a region-wide transit plan that provides a long-range strategy and proposed approach to public transportation options within the Fundy Region.	Moved by Councillor Fowler and seconded by Deputy Mayor Salgado that correspondence # 26-037 be received and filed with a copy sent to the Economic Development & Tourism Advisory Committee. MOTION CARRIED
26-038	Kathy Morrell	Concerns regarding an ongoing issue with the ditch in front of their property.	Moved by Deputy Mayor Salgado and seconded by Councillor Barrett that correspondence # 26-038 be referred to the Department of Transportation and Infrastructure with a request to work with the property owner to rectify the washout issue. MOTION CARRIED

26-039	Family of the Late Shirley Bettle	Thank you card for floral arrangement and donation made in memory of the Late Shirley Bettle.	Moved by Councillor Tompkins and seconded by Councillor Goucher that correspondence # 26-039 be received and filed. MOTION CARRIED
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11. REPORTS FROM COMMITTEES

11.1. Environment Advisory Committee

Councillor Beach advised that the Committee met on May 19, 2026, and referred to the minutes as presented.

11.2. Planning Advisory Committee

Councillor Tompkins advised that the Committee met on May 26, 2026, and referred to the minutes as presented.

11.3. Finance Committee

Councillor Tompkins advised that the Committee met on June 8, 2026, and referred to the minutes as presented.

Moved by Councillor Goucher and seconded by Councillor Fowler that Hampton Council, in accordance with AD2011 Donations Policy, approve a donation of \$100.00 to Gentle Path Counselling Services in support of the “Gentle Path Open” event on June 26, 2026, , as per the recommendation of the Finance Committee.

MOTION CARRIED

Moved by Councillor Beach and seconded by Deputy Mayor Salgado that Hampton Council, in accordance with AD2011 Donations Policy, approve a donation of \$150.00 to Yes We Can in support of the “Berries and Bands” event on June 25, 2026, at the Summit Centre, as per the recommendation of the Finance Committee.

MOTION CARRIED

Moved by Deputy Mayor Salgado and seconded by Councillor Tompkins that Hampton Council receive and file the request for support from the Kings County Agricultural Fair to be held on Aug 24-26, 2026, in Sussex, NB, as it does not meet the requirements under AD2011 Donations Policy, as per the recommendation of the Finance Committee.

MOTION CARRIED

Moved by Councillor Fowler and seconded by Councillor Tompkins that Hampton Council approve the request from the Hampton Soccer Club for financial assistance with the installation of the “Sanford Field Sign” at the Hampton High School soccer field, by having the Parks & Facilities and Public Works & Utilities departments complete the installation of the sign base, as per the recommendation of the Finance Committee. The installation work will be completed contingent upon the Hampton Soccer Club obtaining the permission of the property owner and the necessary permits from the Planning, Engineering & Development Department.

MOTION CARRIED

Moved by Councillor Barrett and seconded by Councillor Goucher that Hampton Council approve the request from the Hampton Fire-Rescue Department to purchase replacement Bunker Gear Class 1 Belts, for a price of \$11,693.97, plus tax, as per the recommendation of the Finance Committee.

MOTION CARRIED

Moved by Councillor Tompkins and seconded by Councillor Goucher that Hampton Council approve the revised Schedule C Program Registration & Facility Rates 2026, as per the recommendation of the Finance Committee.

MOTION DEFEATED
NAY all Council

Moved by Councillor Goucher and seconded by Councillor Tompkins to send a letter to Premier Susan Holt outlining Hampton’s Council concern and frustration regarding the recent property tax reforms announced by the Minister of Local Government, as per the recommendation of the Finance Committee.

MOTION CARRIED

11.4. Fundy Regional Service Commission Board

Mayor Doucet advised that the last meeting was held on April 23, 2026, and referred to the minutes as presented. The next meeting will be held on June 25, 2026, at which time an orientation session will be given for the newly elected Mayors in the region.

11.5. Hampton Seniors Resource Centre Board

Councillor Tompkins advised that the last meeting was held on May 24, 2026. The Board reviewed an operational update, the Age-Friendly community initiative, and securing a new tenant at the Centre once Lifestyles Gym moves out. The space will be available on August 1st, 2026.

11.6. Joint Health & Safety Committee

Moved by Councillor Goucher and seconded by Councillor Beach that Hampton Council appoint Lori McNiven to the Joint Health & Safety Committee as an alternate employee representative.

MOTION CARRIED

Acceptance of All Committee Reports:

Moved by Councillor Beach and seconded by Deputy Mayor Salgado that Hampton Council accept the minutes of the following Committees, as presented:

1. Environment Advisory
2. Planning Advisory
3. Finance
4. Human Resources
5. Joint Health & Safety

MOTION CARRIED

12. APPROVAL OF REPORTS

12.1. Dog Constable Report

Councillor Beach provided an overview of the Dog Control Reports for May, noting there were 9 patrols and 5 investigations completed. As per Councillor Tompkins' request at the May 12, 2026, meeting, the NBSPCA provided dates and times for the patrols that were completed in May. However, at this time they are unable to provide locations due to limitations of their reporting software.

12.2. Building Permit Report

Councillor Tompkins provided an overview of the Building Permit Report for May. There were a total of 40 permits issued for a construction value of \$1,923,691.00 and a permit value of \$12,212.00.

12.3. Fire-Reports (Hampton and Nauwigewauk)

Councillor Beach provided an overview of the Fire Reports from Hampton Fire-Rescue and Nauwigewauk Fire-Rescue Departments noting there were 41 calls for Hampton Fire-Rescue and 7 calls for Nauwigewauk Fire-Rescue in the month of May. Councillor Beach also noted that the members of each Department put in many hours for non-fire call activities for training and meetings.

12.4. Financial Reports

Councillor Tompkins noted the Financial Statements for May 2026 were reviewed at the Finance Committee meeting held on June 8, 2026.

Moved by Councillor Goucher and seconded by Councillor Fowler that Hampton Council accept the May 2026 Financial Statements as per the recommendation of the Finance Committee.

MOTION CARRIED

12.5. Communications Report

Deputy Mayor Salgado referred to the Communications Report as presented, noting that the top performing post on both Facebook and Instagram was the swearing in of the newly elected Council on May 25, 2026. It was also noted that the Participation Challenge video posted in early June was very well done.

Approval of all Reports:

Moved by Deputy Mayor Salgado and seconded by Councillor Beach that Hampton Council approve the Dog Constable Reports, Building Permit Report, Fire-Rescue Report (Hampton & Nauwigewauk), Financial Reports and Communications Report as presented.

MOTION CARRIED

13. APPROVAL OF ACCOUNTS

Moved by Councillor Goucher and seconded by Councillor Fowler that Hampton Council approve the May 2026 Approval of Accounts listing in the amount of \$444,447.02.

MOTION CARRIED

14. NEW BUSINESS

14.1. Tender for Project No. 25-1915 Pickwauket Road and Municipal Street Upgrades 2026

Moved by Councillor Tompkins and seconded by Deputy Mayor Salgado that Hampton Council award the tender for Project No. 25-1915 Pickwauket Road and Municipal Street Upgrades 2026 to Galbraith Construction Ltd. for a price of \$1,767,029.50 HST included.

MOTION CARRIED

14.2. 2025 Annual Report for Hampton

Moved by Councillor Fowler and seconded by Councillor Barrett that Hampton Council accept the 2025 Annual Report for Hampton pursuant to *Regulation 2018-54 of the Local Governance Act*. The Report will be made available on Hampton's website and in the Clerk's Office for review by the public pursuant to section 105(3) of the *Local Governance Act*.

MOTION CARRIED

15. OUTSTANDING ISSUES

15.1. Upcoming Meetings

Mayor Doucet noted the following:

- Committee of the Whole will resume in August.
- Next Regular Council Meeting is July 14, 2026, at 7:00pm in Council Chambers
- Hampton High School Grand March will take place on June 16, 2026, at 5:00pm in the Town Square

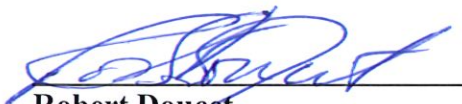
16. ADJOURNMENT

There being no further business, the meeting of Council was adjourned at 9:54 p.m.

Moved by Councillor Beach and seconded by Deputy Mayor Salgado that Hampton adjourn the council meeting of June 9th, 2026.

MOTION CARRIED

APPROVED BY:


Robert Doucet
Mayor


Lisa Richard
Clerk

