Regular Council Meeting
Held at Council Chambers
March 18, 2025

Councillors in Attendance:	Councillors Absent:
Mayor Jessie Ann Marsh	Councillor Bonnie Intveld
Deputy Mayor Yvonne Keeping	Councillor Marilyn Buffett
Councillor Bruce Grandy	
Councillor Dave Yetman	

Also in attendance was Town Clerk/Manager Leslie Price.

Mayor Jessie Ann Marsh called the meeting to order at 6:35 PM.

Agenda

Motion 25-012 Deputy Mayor Yvonne Keeping / Councillor Dave Yetman
Be it resolved to adopt the agenda for the Regular Council Meeting dated March 18, 2025 as presented.
In Favor: Mayor Jessie Ann Marsh
Deputy Mayor Yvonne Keeping
Councillor Dave Yetman
Councillor Bruce Grandy
Opposed: 0
Motion Carried

Minutes

Motion 25-013 Councillor Bruce Grandy / Deputy Mayor Yvonne Keeping
Be it resolved to adopt the Minutes for the Regular Council Meeting dated February 17, 2025 as presented.
In Favor: Mayor Jessie Ann Marsh
Deputy Mayor Yvonne Keeping
Councillor Dave Yetman
Councillor Bruce Grandy
Opposed: 0
Motion Carried

Business Arising

Tomorrow's Towns – February 26 virtual by MNL, Councillor Dave Yetman attended – Assisting town's with small projects. Councillor Yetman will continue to stay up-to-date with this initiative.

Staff to measure and get quotes for 4 windows for the Community Centre.

Correspondence

a. Victoria Hodder – Wondering about snow clearing and property damage.

Reply through letter re clean up after snow clearing season.

b. Department of Transportation and Infrastructure – Approval of $84,814.72 project increase for project 17-GI-23-00028 Lift Station and Pumphouse Upgrades.

c. Department of Justice and Public Safety – Emergency Vehicle Traffic Management for Firefighters.

This has been forwarded to Councillor Bonnie and Fire Chief Drowns.

d. Catherine Dale, Birds Canada – Looking for a place to give a demonstration, a projector and screen and help with advertising on owls in towns across Newfoundland.

e. Royal Canadian Sea Cadets – Looking for a donation to place an ad in their booklet.

Matters Pending

Council would like to look at a microfiltration/bleach system for our water system as a next capital works project.

Committee Reports

a. Finance/Administration

Motion 25-014 Deputy Mayor Yvonne Keeping / Councillor Dave Yetman
Be it resolved to accept the Accounts Payable for the Town of Garnish in the amount of $34,532.11 from February 18, 2025 to March 18, 2025; bank statement for February; Mastercard for January and February; and budget vs actual for February as presented.

In Favor: Mayor Jessie Ann Marsh
Deputy Mayor Yvonne Keeping
Councillor Dave Yetman
Councillor Bruce Grandy

Opposed: 0

Motion Carried

Motion 25-015 Deputy Mayor Yvonne Keeping / Councillor Bruce Grandy
Be it resolved to accept the Annual Expenditure Report for the Local Government Canada Community Building Fund Agreement for 2024 as presented.
In Favor: Mayor Jessie Ann Marsh
Deputy Mayor Yvonne Keeping
Councillor Dave Yetman
Councillor Bruce Grandy
Opposed: 0
Motion Carried

b. Planning and Public Works

c. Recreation and Public Safety

$2000.00 donation from Suncor to the Garnish Recreation Committee has been received.

Motion 25-016 Deputy Mayor Yvonne Keeping / Councillor Dave Yetman
Be it resolved to issue a cheque for $2000.00 to Garnish Recreation Committee for the Suncor donation.
In Favor: Mayor Jessie Ann Marsh
Deputy Mayor Yvonne Keeping
Councillor Dave Yetman
Councillor Bruce Grandy
Opposed: 0
Motion Carried

Recreation Regulations

Motion 25-017 Councillor Dave Yetman / Deputy Mayor Yvonne Keeping
Be it resolved to accept the Garnish Recreation Regulations as presented.
In Favor: Mayor Jessie Ann Marsh
Deputy Mayor Yvonne Keeping
Councillor Dave Yetman
Councillor Bruce Grandy
Opposed: 0
Motion Carried

d. Energy Board

Councillor Yetman will replace Mayor Marsh on the Energy Board.

Applications

No Applications

New Business

a. Clean Up Week – May 27-30, Community Clean up on May 24

b. Rocky Lane – Ditching in the spring

Other Business

Next Meeting & Adjournment

Meeting was adjourned at 8:00 PM, the next Council meeting will be April 22, 2025 at 6:30 PM.

JMarsh
Mayor

Leslie Rivi
Clerk/Manager

Apr. 22/25.
Date