

Council Decisions – February 18, 2025

The following is a summary of actions and decisions from Council at its Regular Meeting held <u>February 18, 2025</u>. A recording of the meeting can be viewed on the <u>Town's YouTube channel</u>. If you have any questions or would like further explanation, please contact the Municipal Clerk at 705-567-9361 Ext. 238 or email clerk@tkl.ca.

- Council approved the Minutes of its Regular Meeting held on <u>February 4, 2025</u>, and received those as presented by Regional/Local Boards.
- The delegation by the District of Timiskaming Social Services and Administration Board was postponed.
- Council received a <u>Progress Report</u> on the Town's 2024 Corporate Business Plan.
- Council approved <u>Water Use Restrictions</u> for Lawn Watering in the jurisdiction of the Town of Kirkland Lake.

Notes:

- Council amended the proposed Outdoor Watering Schedule, as presented, by removing the odd and even addressing system.
- A governing by-law on Outdoor Water Monitoring, removing notations to the odd and even addressing system, will be presented for three readings on March 4, 2025.
- Council received information on Water Metering for New Construction Builds.
- Council deferred the Motion entitled "Safety Improvements at the Intersection of Second Street and Allen Avenue".
- Council deferred the Motion entitled "Traffic Safety Study for the Intersection of Taylor Avenue, Prospect Avenue, O'Meara Boulevard, and Brookbank Avenue".
- Council directed Administration to obtain quotes and report back in Q4 2025 for engineering consultancy services for a feasibility study related to traffic volumes at Government Road East & Allen Avenue in order to determine whether traffic signals are warranted.
- Council authorized (by <u>by-law</u>) the execution of a Transfer Payment Agreement with the Ministry of the Solicitor General for funding under the <u>Mobile Crisis Response Team</u> (MRCT) Enhancement Grant for 2025-2026.
- Council authorized (by <u>by-law</u>) the pre-budget 2025 Water and Wastewater Rates.
- Mayor Wight brought forward the following Notices of Motion which will be brought forward on March 4, 2025:
 - Safer Highways; and
 - Support for Canadian and Ontario Government Negotiations with the U.S. Government on Trade Tariffs.
- Council received <u>Administration's response</u> (1:22:00 1:23:39) to the Request for Update on the Fire Hall Request for Proposal.
- Mayor Wight <u>proclaimed</u> March 2025 as "*Epilepsy Awareness Month*" and March 26, 2025 as "*Purple Day*" in the Town of Kirkland Lake.

For your Information:

Next Regular Meeting:

• 2025 Budget Meeting Schedule

Tuesday, March 4, 2025 at 4:40 PM