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COUNCIL HIGHLIGHTS

October 28, 2025

Community Grants Policy FIN-2500-06– Municipal Council adopted the amendments to the Community Grants Policy. The amendments increase the amount that Council may allocate to community grants each year from 1% to 1.5% of total revenue. Based on the current revenue, this increase will allow Council to provide an additional \$63,000, for a total of approximately \$189,000 each year, towards community grants.

Water Voucher Program– Municipal Council agreed to apply to the Nova Scotia Department of Emergency Management for provincial assistance to purchase and distribute bottled water during a declared water shortage.

Digby Area Tutoring Pilot – Funding Request– Municipal Council approved the Digby Area Tutoring Pilot funding request in the amount of \$488.

Citizen Appointment Policy LEG-4000-04 – Municipal Council adopted the amendments to the Citizen Appointment Policy. The amendments concern the recruitment, resignation, and removal of citizen appointees.

Electric City Crosswalk Request– Municipal Council agreed to send a response letter to the Electric City/La Nouvelle France Society concerning their crosswalk request. The Department of Public Works conveyed that the site does not meet the conditions for a crosswalk based on the number of pedestrian units per hour.

Municipal Council Clothing– Municipal Council agreed that every member of staff and Council will receive one municipal shirt per year.

Digby & Area Housing Coalition – Letter of Support– Municipal Council agreed to provide a letter of support for the Digby & Area Housing Coalition.

Inter-Municipal Emergency Services Agreement– Municipal Council agreed to sign the Inter-Municipal Emergency Services Agreement. This Agreement joins the Municipality of Digby, Town of Digby, and Municipality of Clare as one Inter-Municipal Regional Emergency Management Organization.

GRID Application – Accessibility – Municipal Council authorized staff to apply for funding through the GRID (Growth and Renewal for Infrastructure Development) Program to support the planned accessibility improvements to the Municipal Office.



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Property Tax Rebate for Non-Profit Housing Co-op- Municipal Council agreed to send a response letter to the Community Housing Management Network explaining why the Municipality of Digby is not able to provide further tax relief for their property.

Letter from the Town of Digby- Municipal Council agreed to send a response letter to the Town of Digby explaining their decision to not cost share the shower facilities.

Western Regional Enterprise Network Inter-Municipal Agreement- Municipal Council approved and authorized the Warden and Chief Administrative Officer to execute the 2025-2030 Western Regional Enterprise Network Inter-Municipal Agreement on behalf of the Municipality of Digby.

Digby Area Recreation Commission Citizen Appointment- Municipal Council appointed Maria Hersey to the Digby Area Recreation Commission Board for a two-year term.

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