

# TOWN OF AURORA ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT ADVISORY COMMITTEE MEETING MINUTES

Date:	Thursday, June 12, 2014
Time and Location:	7 p.m., Leksand Room, Aurora Town Hall
Committee Members:	Councillor Michael Thompson (Chair), Councillor Paul Pirri (Vice Chair), Marilee Harris, Bruce Walkinshaw, and Mayor Dawe (arrived 7:39 p.m.)
Member(s) Absent:	Peter Dickens, Kent Dinning, and Lee Helkie
Other Attendees:	Anthony Ierullo, Manager of Long Range and Strategic Planning, Michael Logue, Strategic Programs Coordinator, Afshin Bazar, Manager of Building Services, and Raylene Martell, Council/Committee Secretary

The Chair called the meeting to order at 7:02 p.m.

# DECLARATIONS OF PECUNIARY INTEREST

There were no declarations of pecuniary interest under the Municipal Conflict of Interest Act.

# **APPROVAL OF AGENDA**

Moved by Bruce Walkinshaw

Seconded by Councillor Pirri

THAT the agenda as circulated by Legal and Legislative Services be approved.

# **ADOPTION OF MINUTES**

Economic Development Advisory Committee Meeting Minutes of April 10, 2014

#### Moved by Marilee Harris

# Seconded by Councillor Pirri

THAT the minutes of the Economic Development Advisory Committee meeting of April 10, 2014 be adopted.

# CARRIED

# DELEGATIONS

None

# MATTERS FOR CONSIDERATION

# 1. Memorandum from the Manager of Building Services Re: Temporary and Permanent Sign By-law Review

#### Moved by Councillor Pirri

#### Seconded by Bruce Walkinshaw

THAT the memorandum regarding Temporary and Permanent Sign By-law Review be received; and

THAT the Committee support *the intent behind* the proposed changes to the Permanent and Temporary Sign By-laws as outlined in this memorandum, *taking into account the comments and suggestions posed by the Committee*.

## CARRIED

## INFORMATIONAL ITEMS

2. Memorandum from the Manager of Long Range and Strategic Planning Re: Monthly Report

Moved by Councillor Pirri

Seconded by Bruce Walkinshaw

THAT the memorandum regarding Monthly Report be received for information.

## CARRIED

# 3. Memorandum from the Manager of Long Range and Strategic Planning Re: Economic Development Activities Outlook

## Moved by Bruce Walkinshaw

Seconded by Councillor Pirri

THAT the memorandum regarding Economic Development Activities Outlook be received for information.

# CARRIED

## 4. Memorandum from the Project Manager, Special Projects Re: Business Improvement Area (BIA) Update

## Moved by Councillor Pirri

#### Seconded by Marilee Harris

THAT the memorandum regarding Business Improvement Area (BIA) Update be received for information.

## CARRIED

# 5. Council Meeting Extract of May 6, 2014 Re: EDAC14-03 – Economic Development Advisory Committee Report of April 10, 2014

## Moved by Councillor Pirri

Seconded by Marilee Harris

THAT the Council meeting extract of May 6, 2014 regarding EDAC14-03 – Economic Development Advisory Committee Report of April 10, 2014 be received for information.

# CARRIED

6. Pending List

## Moved by Bruce Walkinshaw

Seconded by Councillor Pirri

THAT the Pending List be received for information.

# CARRIED

## **NEW BUSINESS**

Councillor Pirri announced that he was elected, by acclamation, to the Board of Directors of the Federation of Canadian Municipalities (FCM) and he looks forward to representing The Town of Aurora in this role.

Councillor Thompson noted that this was the Economic Development Advisory Committee's last meeting and expressed his appreciation to the members for their involvement.

Mayor Dawe expressed his gratitude to the members for their contributions to the Committee.

## ADJOURNMENT

#### Moved by Councillor Pirri

#### Seconded by Bruce Walkinshaw

THAT the meeting be adjourned at 8:04 p.m.

# CARRIED

THE REPORT OF THE ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT ADVISORY COMMITTEE MEETING OF JUNE 12, 2014 RECEIVED APPROVAL AND FINAL COUNCIL ENDORSEMENT OF THE RECOMMENDATIONS ON JULY 15, 2014.