



NEWS FROM COUNCIL

MARCH 2016

This March 2016 edition of *News from Council* will bring you up to date on the following topics and recently adopted resolutions.

1. Recognition of the contribution made by one of North Hatley's citizens, Mr. Morgan Quinn;
2. New assignments to North Hatley's Strategic Orientations Consultative Committee;
3. Retirement of Mrs. Danielle Gauvin, North Hatley's Assistant Secretary-Treasurer and the appointment of Mr. Bruno Bélisle as new Assistant Secretary-Treasurer;
4. Approval of federal, provincial and regional funding grants for upcoming North Hatley projects;
5. On-line subscription to the municipality's e-newsletter, now available.

1. Recognition of the contribution made by one of North Hatley's citizens, Mr. Morgan Quinn.

After many years as member of North Hatley's Town Planning and Heritage Committee (CCUP) and chair of the municipality's Strategic Orientations Consultative Committee, Mr. Morgan Quinn has recently made the decision to resign from these two committees. Council is extremely cognisant of Mr. Quinn's valuable contribution over these many years and wishes to thank him for the strong dedication that he has shown to our community.

2. New assignments to North Hatley's Strategic Orientations Consultative Committee.

In light of Mr. Quinn's recent resignation as chair of the Strategic Orientations Consultative Committee, Councillor Mrs. Pauline Farrugia has been assigned to chair the SOCC and Councillor Mr. Guy Veillette has been assigned as its newest member. Councillor Mrs. Marcella Davis-Gerrish will step down as member of the SOCC since she will soon be taking on her new assignment as chair of the Leisure, Culture and Community Life Committee.

3. Retirement of Mrs. Danielle Gauvin, North Hatley's Assistant Secretary-Treasurer and the appointment of Mr. Bruno Bélisle as new Assistant Secretary-Treasurer.

After many years of service to our municipality, Mrs. Danielle Gauvin will be retiring from her post as Assistant Secretary-Treasurer. Council would like to thank Mrs. Gauvin for her excellent work and loyal service and wishes her a very happy retirement. After a process of selection, Council has decided to appoint Mr. Bruno Bélisle to the post of Assistant Secretary-Treasurer. Mr. Bélisle has begun his duties on March 14th 2016. Council would like to extend a warm welcome to its new Assistant Secretary Treasurer.

4. Approval of federal, provincial and regional funding grants for upcoming North Hatley projects.

North Hatley has recently received some good news regarding the receipt of funding from three different government programs. A total of \$41,843.00 will be received from federal, provincial and regional funding programs in order to cover the following projects :

- \$25,000.00 from the federal government's *New Horizons for Seniors* Program in order to effectuate renovations and updates to North Hatley's Community Centre;
- \$12,343.00 from the provincial government's *Road Network Improvement* Program for the upkeep of our roads;
- \$4,500.00 from the MRC Memphrémagog's *Territorial Development Fund* Program for the preliminary work for the installation of a covered, open park pavillion in River Park in order to support and expand the existing farmers' market and to host a variety of outdoor social and cultural activities.

5. On-line subscription to the municipality's e-newsletter, now available

Council would like to inform citizens that on-line subscription to the municipality's e-newsletter is now available. This is the best way of staying up to date on the latest municipal issues and announcements. It is free and you can unsubscribe at any time. Information and announcements will also continue to be posted to North Hatley's web-site.

This completes the March edition of *News from Council*. Remember to send any questions and concerns to communication@northhatley.org or by mail to The Municipal Council, Village of North Hatley, 3125, ch. Capelton, North Hatley J0B 2C0. You can also continue to check our website and attend monthly Village Council meetings on the first Monday of each month at 7:00 pm at the North Hatley Community Centre : 3127, ch. Capelton.