

NEWS FROM COUNCIL

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This edition of News from Council will bring you up to date on the following issues and resolutions that were adopted at Council's February 5th regular meeting.

- 1. Nomination of substitute mayor to represent North Hatley at the MRC of Memphrémagog;
- 2. Formation of a new Arts and Culture Committee;
- 3. Assignment of members to MADA Follow-up Committee;
- 4. Nomination of a representative to the Régie Intermunicipale du Parc Régional Massawippi;
- 5. Mandate given to Création NaturEden for the landscape architecture design of River Park.

1. Nomination of substitute mayor to represent North Hatley at the MRC of Memphrémagog

Council has named Marcella Davis Gerrish to represent North Hatley at the MRC of Memphrémagog, in the event that mayor Michael Page is unable to do so.

2. Formation of a new Arts and Culture Committee

In order to create more networking opportunities for our artists, to foster the exchange of ideas and to encourage new initiatives between organisations and the municipality that will promote our village's cultural activities, Council has created a new Arts and Culture Committee, made up of three councillors (Pauline Farrugia, Marcella Davis Gerrish and Alexandre-Nicolas LeBlanc), six members of the community (both individuals and cultural organisation representatives) and one member of the administration. The length of the committee's mandate is a period of two years and the committee will be chaired by Pauline Farrugia.

3. Assignment of members to MADA Follow-up Committee

The members of Council's Age Friendly Municipality Follow-up Committee (MADA) were named at Council's February meeting. The committee is made up of 9 members: councillors Pauline Farrugia and Marcella Davis Gerrish, citizens Judy Bean, Heather Bowman, Ouida Moliner, Mary Lynn Ross, Carole Martignacco and Eric Akbar Manolson, as well as a member of the administration. The committee's mandate is to ensure the follow-up of North Hatley's Age Friendly Municipality Policy and Action Plan. The length of the committee's mandate is a period of three years and the committee will be chaired by Pauline Farrugia.

4. Nomination of a representative to the Régie Intermunicipale du Parc Régional Massawippi

Council has named Marcella Davis Gerrish to represent North Hatley at the *Régie Intermunicipale du Parc Régional Massawippi*. The régie is made up of the five municipalities around Lake Massawippi : The Village of North Hatley, Hatley Township, Ste-Catherine-de-Hatley, Ayer's Cliff and the Municipality of Hatley.

5. Mandate given to Création NaturEden for the landscape architecture design of River Park

Council has given a mandate to *Création NaturEden* for the landscape architecture design of River Park which will include a new children's playground to replace the current playground. The cost of these plans are \$8,775.00 plus taxes.

Invitation to citizens who are interested in being members of the arts and culture committee

If you are interested in becoming a member of the new Arts and Culture Committee, Council would like to invite you to submit your candidacy in writing to communication@northhatley.org. The committee members will be named at Council's next regular meeting in the month of March

This completes the February 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.

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