

Council Highlights – November 4, 2025

This meeting took place the Township of South-West Oxford's Municipal office at 9:00 a.m. A summary of the happenings from Council is as follows:

- **2026 Community Grant Application – Ingersoll Minor Hockey:** Received a grant request from Jason Graham on behalf of Ingersoll Minor Hockey for consideration in the 2026 Budget.
- **2026 Community Grant Application – Tillsonburg & District Multi-Service Centre:** Received a grant request from Jen Olcsvary and Willa O'Hearn on behalf of Tillsonburg & District Multi-Service Centre for consideration in the 2026 Budget.
- **Committee of Adjustment Hearing – Minor Variance Application:** the Committee approved minor variance application A15-2025 (Arjan and Elise Van Genderen, 384453 Salford Road).
- **2026 Community Grant Application – GoodForTheSoll Music Festival:** Received a grant request from Jay Panaseiko on behalf of GoodForTheSoll Music Festival for consideration in the 2026 Budget.
- **Salford Hall Board – 2026 Budget Proposal:** Received a presentation from Trevor Finkenzeller and Dick Vantfoort on the proposed 2026 Budget for Salford Hall.
- **South-West Oxford Building Condition Assessment:** Received a presentation from Asset Management Specialist Conor Brennan regarding Building Condition Assessment for Township owned facilities.
- **2026 Community Grant Application – Big Brothers Big Sisters of Oxford:** Received a grant request from Kristen Ralph on behalf of Big Brothers Big Sisters of Oxford for consideration in the 2026 Budget.
- **Public Meeting – Zone Change Application ZN-4-25-11:** Council approved the application submitted by Bryan Yeung on behalf of Joanne and Russell Yeung for property located at 584458 Beachville Road.
- **Rural Oxford Economic Development Corporation:** Received a presentation from Economic Development Director Rhonda Stewart regarding the 2026 to 2030 Strategic Plan for Rural Oxford Economic Development Corporation.
- **2026 Community Grant Application – Rotary Club of Ingersoll:** Received a grant request from Ted Comiskey on behalf of the Ingersoll Rotary Club for consideration in the 2026 Budget.
- **2026 Community Grant Application – Oxford County 4-H Association:** Received a grant request from Shonna Ward on behalf of Oxford County 4-H Association for consideration in the 2026 Budget.
- **Hilltop Park Board – 2026 Budget Proposal:** Received a presentation from Adam Prouse on the proposed 2026 Budget for Hilltop Park.

- **Staff Reports:**
 - Concept Design Update and Construction Approach for the new Municipal Office, Library and Child Care Facility.
 - Noise By-law Exemption for Hi-Way Pentecostal Church for their “Christmas Bethlehem Walk”.
 - Approval to proceed and establish a Committee for the 2025 Mount Elgin Santa Claus Parade.
 - Update and next steps on the Centreville Dam.
 - Inclement Weather Policy for Township employees.
 - 2026 Council Meeting Schedule.
 - 2025 Third Quarter Budget Update
 - 2024 Net Surplus/Deficit Allocation to be transferred in 2025
 - Special Event Permit By-law Implementation
 - 2026 Municipal Election Voting Services Provider
 - Summary of Supplementary Tax Billings Regarding ARB Decision
- **Resolutions of Support:** Council directed staff to send letters of support to the Town of Ajax and the City of Brampton regarding resolutions on Automated Speed Enforcement Cameras.

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