

CITY OF IQALUIT
EMERGENCY CITY COUNCIL MEETING #34
NOVEMBER 23, 2021 at 12:00 p.m.
CITY COUNCIL CHAMBERS

PRESENT FROM COUNCIL

Deputy Mayor Solomon Awa, Chair
Mayor Kenny Bell, via visual conference
Councillor Sheila Flaherty, via teleconference
Councillor John Fawcett, via teleconference
Councillor Kyle Sheppard

ABSENT

Councillor Joanasie Akumalik
Councillor Simon Nattaq
Councillor Romeyn Stevenson

PRESENT FROM ADMINISTRATION

Amy Elgersma, Chief Administrative Officer
Tammy Ernst-Doiron, City Clerk
Jeanie Eeseemailee, Senior Interpreter/Translator
Stephanie Clark – Director of Recreation
Aleksey Cameron – Communications and Customer Service Manager

MOMENT OF SILENCE

Deputy Mayor Awa opened the meeting at 12:00 p.m. with a moment of silence.

ADOPTION OF AGENDA

Motion #21-380

Moved by: Councillor Sheppard
Seconded by: Mayor Bell

Adoption of agenda as presented.

Unanimously Carried

1. DECLARATION OF INTEREST

None

2. NEW BUSINESS

a) State of Emergency Extension – Verbal

Amy Elgersma, Chief Administrative Officer, advised that Administration is recommending that the City extend the Local State of Emergency, given that the Do Not Consume order is still in effect.

Stephanie Clark, Director of Recreation, provided an update on where residents could obtain potable water this week and the following are the highlights:

- Bottled water will be available today at the curling rink until 12:30 p.m., Thursday and Friday from 10:00 a.m. to 12:30 p.m.
- The filling stations that are available seven days a week are open from 11:00 a.m. to 6:00 p.m. daily. There are some buckets and jugs available at some locations if individuals need them.
- Depots are located inside at Abe Okpik Hall, inside the Elders' Qammaq and outside at the Arctic Winter Games Arena parking lot.

Motion #21-381

Moved by: Councillor Sheppard

Seconded by: Mayor Bell

Council extends the State of Local Emergency due to a city water quality issue within the City of Iqaluit.

Unanimously Carried

Councillor Sheppard wanted to reiterate some of the City's messaging that is currently out. He indicated that the City is looking for additional volunteers or staff to work at the water distribution points. He noted that if any residents were interested, he believed that these were paid positions and any efforts would be greatly appreciated.

3. IN CAMERA SESSION

() as per Section 22 (2) (a) CTV Act and By-law 526 Section 67

4. ADJOURNMENT

Motion #21-382

Moved by: Councillor Sheppard

Seconded by: Mayor Bell

Council adjourns at 12:05 p.m.

Unanimously Carried



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Solomon Awa
Deputy Mayor

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Tammy Ernst-Doiron
City Clerk

Approved by City Council on the 30th day of November 2021.

