

MINUTES

THE SPECIAL MEETING OF THE COUNCIL OF THE CORPORATION OF THE TOWNSHIP OF SOUTH GLENGARRY WAS HELD ELECTRONICALLY ON JUNE 11, 2021.

PRESENT: Deputy Mayor Lyle Warden, Councillor Martin Lang, Councillor Stephanie Jaworski, and Councillor Sam McDonell

STAFF PRESENT: CAO Tim Mills, and Director of Corporate Services/Clerk Kelli Campeau

1. CALL TO ORDER

Resolution No. 202-2021

Moved by Councillor Jaworski
Seconded by Councillor Lang

BE IT RESOLVED THAT the Special Meeting of the Township of South Glengarry now be opened at 11:01 am.

CARRIED

2. APPROVAL OF AGENDA

Resolution No. 203-2021

Moved by Councillor McDonell
Seconded by Councillor Jaworski

BE IT RESOLVED THAT the Council of the Township of South Glengarry approve the agenda as circulated.

CARRIED

3. DECLARATION OF PECUNIARY INTEREST - None

4. CLOSED SESSION

Resolution No. 204-2021

Moved by Councillor Lang
Seconded by Councillor McDonell

BE IT RESOLVED THAT the Council of the Township of South Glengarry convene to Closed Session at 11:02 am to discuss the following item(s) under Section 239 (2) of The Municipal Act S.O. 2001:

(2) A meeting or part of a meeting may be closed to the public if the subject matter being considered is,

(b) personal matters about an identifiable individual, including municipal or local board employees;

CARRIED

Resolution No. 205-2021

Moved by Councillor McDonell
Seconded by Councillor Jaworski

BE IT RESOLVED THAT Council now rise and reconvene at 1:02 pm into Open Session without reporting.

CARRIED

Upon returning to open session, Deputy Mayor Lyle Warden made the following statement on behalf of Council:

With respect to the recent criminal charges against Mayor Prevost, it is acknowledged that this is a very difficult time for staff, Council, and members of the public. Council under the Municipal Act has no authority to

demand Mayor Prevost's resignation, nor is there any mechanism to remove a sitting member of Council.

Understandably, the nature of these charges against Mayor Prevost may cause significant upset to members of the community and staff. We remind those who are distressed that there are community resources available to you, which we will make available to the public shortly.

Given the options available to Council at this time, the following resolution is deemed to be in the best interest of the staff and residents of the Township of South Glengarry. This resolution will allow the day-to-day operations of the Township to remain the focus.

Resolution No. 206-2021

Moved by Councillor Lang
Seconded by Councillor McDonell

BE IT RESOLVED THAT the Council of the Township of South Glengarry approve the request from Mayor Frank Prevost to take a 6 month leave of absence, effective immediately, on an unpaid basis.

Deputy Mayor Lyle Warden Requested a Recorded Vote:

Recorded Vote:	Yes	No
Deputy Mayor Warden	X	___
Councillor Lang	X	___
Councillor Jaworski	X	___
Councillor McDonell	X	___

CARRIED

5. ADJOURNMENT

Resolution No. 207-2021

Moved by Councillor Jaworski
Seconded by Councillor Lang

BE IT RESOLVED THAT the Council of the Township of South Glengarry adjourn to the call of the chair at 1:04 pm.

Select Result

Acting Mayor

Clerk