

ADDITIONS AGENDA FOR THE REGULAR MEETING OF
THE COUNCIL OF THE TOWN OF ONOWAY
HELD ON THURSDAY, NOVEMBER 25, 2021 IN THE COUNCIL CHAMBERS OF
THE ONOWAY CIVIC CENTRE AT 9:30 A.M.
(in person public attendance is limited – virtual via Zoom)
MEETING IS BEING AUDIO/VIDEO RECORDED

7. ACTION ITEMS

- Pg 1 7a) Covid-19 Discussion
12. Nov. 22 email from resident Hazel Bourke

8. COUNCIL, COMMITTEE & STAFF REPORTS

- Pg 2-3 a) Mayor's Reports
Mayor Kwasny's Nov 23, 2021 Report

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From: cao@onoway.ca
Sent: November 22, 2021 12:37 PM
To: 'Jason Madge'; 'Debbie Giroux'; 'Penny Frizzell'; 'Shelley Vaughan'
Subject: FW: Covid Presentation - Council Meeting November 10th

Deb - let's add this email to the agenda as well.

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-----Original Message-----

From: Hazel Bourke <bhbourke@icloud.com>
Sent: November 22, 2021 10:21 AM
To: Wendy Wildman <cao@onoway.ca>
Cc: Len Kwasny <lkwasny@onoway.ca>; Lisa Johnson <ljohnson@onoway.ca>; Bridgitte Coninx <bconinx@onoway.ca>; Robin Murray <rmurray@onoway.a>; Robert Winterford <rwinterford@onoway.ca>
Subject: Covid Presentation - Council Meeting November 10th

Good day,

After viewing Councillor's Coninx's presentation on Covid, I have been doing some research on the links she presented. As we know you can find whatever you want on the internet but that doesn't make it a fact. I do have to agree with Councillor Winterford that Councillor Coninx had made a good presentation, however a good presentation does not make it accurate.

I am very concerned that the information in this presentation appears to be Town's position on Covid as there was no action taken to disclaim the information given.

I look forward to seeing what action Council, as a whole, will take.

Hazel and Brian Bourke



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From: cao@onoway.ca
Sent: November 23, 2021 9:59 AM
To: 'Debbie Giroux'
Cc: 'Jason Madge'
Subject: FW: Mayor report

Deb for our additions agenda.

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-----Original Message-----

From: Len Kwasny <lkwasny@onoway.ca>
Sent: November 23, 2021 8:52 AM
To: Wendy Wildman <cao@onoway.ca>
Cc: Bridgitte Coninx <bconinx@onoway.ca>; Robin Murray <rmurray@onoway.ca>; Robert Winterford <rwinterford@onoway.ca>
Subject: Mayor report

The following is information pertaining to the training and meeting I attended in the last month.

-Muni 101 training Nov 5 & 6 in Whitecourt, Excellent training on roles and responsibilities of elected officials. Presenters were well versed with a lot of interaction with the attendees. A lot of sharing of concerns from various municipalities.

-Nov 9 open house meeting with MLA Shane Getson. Issues such as reduction of MSI grants, poor ambulance service through the province, strain COVID-19 has put municipalities under, MLA is interested in our concerns and will assist us where possible.

-Attended the Nov 11 Remembrance Day service at the Legion, it was well attended and the weather was excellent.

-On Nov. 9 I presented the Onoway Fire Department with the Thank-You banner that was signed by the residents of our community in appreciation for the service they provide us. This was an initiative that Councillor Robert Winterford lead, it was well appreciated by Fire Chief David Ives and his staff. Again thank you Bob, that bring out the community spirit.

-Attended AUMA conference Nov17 to 19 in Edmonton, attended 3 sessions of which I saw some of other council members at. I will not go into detail. If you do want more info, I will be glad to discuss. Most concerns expressed at the conference are similar to ours. Also on Nov. 18, Councillor Winterford and myself attended a luncheon meeting with

Alberta Recycle Management Assoc. in regards to the recycling programs in the future. This association is an arm of Provincial government that is making recycling process sustainable and affordable.

-On Nov22 I participated in a Zoom meeting with the Sturgeon River Watershed Alliance and there are great concerns with the water levels in the lakes in the region, as well as the quality of water within them. Studies are being done and information being gathered as well as municipalities are putting into place policies around the use of road salt and calcium products for ice and dust control. This is all new to me as my previous time on council this group did not exist.

-I have a LSAF meeting tomorrow, Will report at the next council meeting.

Sent from my iPadRiver