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Monthly Council Meeting Highlights September 2022

Regular Council Meeting–September 6, 2022

Appointment of Auditors for 2023

Council appointed Seebach & Company as the auditor for the 2023 calendar year.

Century Heights Water Expansion EA- Update

The Township is currently undertaking a Municipal Class Environmental Assessment (MCEA) to investigate options for expanding the Century Heights Water System. The drilling of the new Century Heights Well was completed on August 23, 2022. The next step in the process is to complete a 72-hour pump test, this will be completed by the end of September. For more information on this project: www.acwtownship.ca/government/projects-initiatives/century-heights-class-ea

Sewage System Maintenance and Inspection Program

Council directed staff to proceed with investigating the implementation of a Sewage System Maintenance and Inspection Program. More information will be available to residents at a later date.

Regular Council Meeting–September 20, 2022

Development Charges By-Law

Council adopted By-Law 68-2022 being a by-law for the imposition of Development Charges. The *Development Charges Act, 1997* allows Council to impose development charges against land to pay for increased capital costs required because of increased needs for services arising from development of the area to which the by-law applies. Read the Background Study and additional materials on Development Charges at www.acwtownship.ca/government/projects-initiatives/development-charges.

Waste and Recycling Contract

Council directed Staff to ask Waste Management, the current service provider, on what the options and cost would be to provide household waste collection on a weekly basis for the entire municipality, and then bring those costs forward to the 2023 budget deliberations.

Road Activities By-Law

Council adopted By-Law 69-2022 being a by-law to amend By-Law 21-2001 which regulates road activities in the Township. The amendment removed the requirement that all coniferous trees, hedges and windbreaks must be situated a minimum of 20 feet from Township road allowance property line. While it was determined that the section in the by-law is not practical, the by-law still requires that any trees or brush that restrict road maintenance or construction, or endanger public safety be removed.

Upcoming Meeting Dates

- Regular Council Meeting- October 4th at 9:00 a.m.
- Regular Council Meeting- October 18th at 9:00 a.m.