



TOWNSHIP OF STONE MILLS

Council Recap

Open Forum

Rodney Hughes - Ratti Rd. Closure

Rodney Hughes spoke to Council under Open Forum to express concerns with the Rattie Rd. Report and potential closure of the road.

Deputations

Friends of the Napanee River - Update on the Flowering Rush Eradication Project and Request for Township Funds in 2026

Ted Darby & Amanda Gray, on behalf of Friends of the Napanee River presented an update on the [Flowering Rush Eradication Project](#). After the presentation, Council received a Staff Report entitled "[Friends of Napanee River Request for Donation-Flowering Rush Eradication Project](#)" and agreed to a donation in the amount of \$2,000.00 towards the eradication project.

William Carroll - Closure of Ratti Road and Fire Filling Station Loss

Council received a deputation from William Carroll regarding the potential closure of Ratti Rd. and concerns about the loss of the Fire Filling Station.

Items for Consideration

Review of Special Event By-law

At the Regular Council meeting of June 16, 2025 Council passed a Resolution (5-691-2025) directing staff to review the existing Special Event Permit Policy. A report entitled "[Review of Special Event By-law](#)" was received at the November 3, 2025 Regular Council meeting and staff were directed to incorporate proposed changes into the Special Events By-law and bring back at a future meeting.

Beaver Lake Disposition Update

A Staff Report entitled "[Beaver Lake Disposition Update](#)" was presented to Council highlighting Infrastructure Ontario's (IO) intent to dispose of the Beaver Lake property. The property is going through a multi-stage circulation process with provincial ministries and municipalities. The Township will have an opportunity to express interest in purchasing the property when it becomes available.

Ratti Road

Council deferred the Staff Report entitled "[Ratti Road](#)" which addressed the recurring flooding on Ratti Road at the Mud Creek Crossing which has caused significant damage. The report will be brought back at the November 17, 2025 Council meeting for consideration.

Quinte Conservation Preliminary Budget

Council received correspondence from Quinte Conservation regarding the [Preliminary Budget; Asset Management Plan and Fee Policy and Schedules](#). Council comments are to be provided to the Clerk by November 28, 2025.

Consent Agenda

The following items were received under the Consent Agenda:

- Confirmation of the [Minutes of the 697th Session Regular Council - October 20, 2025](#)
- Township of Hudson Council Resolution re: [Request for Extension of Certification Deadline Under O. Reg. 343/22](#)
- City of Ajax Council Resolution re: [Provincial Decision on Automated Speed Enforcement](#)
- City of Brampton Council Resolution re: [Provincial Decision on Automated Speed Enforcement](#)
- Township of Edwardsburgh/Cardinal Council Resolution re: [Request to extend and enhance OCIF](#)
- Town of Bradford West Gwillimbury Council Resolution re: [Removing HST/GST from New Homes to Support Housing Affordability](#)

Consent Agenda Items Extracted for Separate Consideration

- Town of East Gwillimbury Council Resolution re: [Opposition to the Protect Ontario by Unleashing Our Economy Act, 2025](#)

Notion of Motion/Direct Motion

Councillor Lalande provided a Notice of Motion to be included on the November 17, 2025 agenda regarding the Townships Strategic Plan and the status of the Strategic Initiatives within the plan.

Announcements

Councillor Milligan provided notice that Remembrance Day is Tuesday, November 11 and there will be a ceremony in Tamworth at the Cenotaph. CAO Jason White noted the Municipal Offices will be temporarily closed on Remembrance Day to allow staff to attend the ceremony being held in Tamworth and communication to the public will be provided.

Council Passed Bylaws

- By-Law No. 2025-1322 - Confirm Proceedings November 3, 2025

The complete By-laws as presented and approved are available on the [November 3rd Council Agenda](#)

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