MUNICIPALITY OF THE DISTRICT OF ARGYLE
SPECIAL COUNCIL MEETING
Thursday June 4, 2020
Via Zoom NS 2:30 p.m.

Present: Warden Danny Muise; Deputy Warden Guy Surette; Councillors Glenn Digdgon, Nicole Albright, Richard Donaldson, Calvin d’Entremont, and Kathy Bourque; Chief Administrative Officer Alain Muise, and Municipal Clerk/Recorder Lori Murphy.

Regrets: Roderick Murphy Jr. and Lucien LeBlanc

The meeting was called to order at 2:38PM. by Warden Danny Muise.

Conflict of Interest Declaration
Warden Danny Muise asked for any declarations of conflict of interest from the floor.
None declared

Agenda:
On a motion by Kathy Bourque and seconded by Guy Surette the agenda was approved as amended, added YMCA
Motion Carried (7 in favour, 0 against)

In Camera – Rural Internet
It is moved by consensus to recess the Special Council Meeting and go In-Camera to discuss rural internet at 2:39PM.
Motion Carried (7 in favour, 0 against)

It is moved by Consensus to recess the In-Camera meeting and go back to the Special Council Meeting at 4:05PM.
Motion Carried (7 in favour, 0 against)

It is moved by Richard Donaldson and seconded by Kathy Bourque that the municipality of Argyle support an application for funding from Bell for the Develop NS rural internet initiative which will result in rural broadband improvements for many communities in our Municipality and that the Warden sign a letter of endorsement to support the application.
Motion Carried (7 in favour, 0 against)

CAO Muise clarified that there was an application previous to this for a CRTC application. This is two separate funding applications that the municipality is endorsing. This application is for additional communities. There are no guarantees that this application will be accepted by Develop NS but this is a strong endorsement of a Bell sponsored application that the Municipality of Argyle is putting forward.
There being no further business, it is moved by Richard Donaldson and seconded by Guy Surette to adjourn the Special Council Meeting at 4:13 p.m.

Recorder
Lori Murphy

Date Approved: ________________________________

Chairman/Warden ________________________________

Alain Muise, Chief Administrative Officer ________________________________