

TOWN OF LUNENBURG
COUNCIL MEETING MINUTES
 June 27, 2023 | 6 pm
 Lunenburg Town Hall – Council Chamber



Present	Acting Mayor Peter Mosher, Councillors Jenni Birtles, Stephen Ernst, Ed Halverson, Melissa Duggan and Susan Sanford
Also present	Jamie Doyle, Chief Administrative Officer Arthur MacDonald, Director of Community Development Michael Best, Communications Manager Kayla Byrne, Municipal Clerk
Call to Order	The Acting Mayor called the meeting to order at 6 p.m.
Land acknowledgment	The Acting Mayor recognized Lunenburg's location on the unceded territory of the Mi'kmaq people.
Public input for Council meetings	Staff noted there will be a new standing agenda item which will allow time for public input at Council meetings. Under this agenda item, members of the public will be able to register to comment or inquire about municipal matters. This agenda item will be included on the next Council agenda.
Approval of Agenda	Moved and seconded that Council approve the agenda for the June 27, 2023 meeting. Motion carried unanimously
Approval of Minutes	Moved and seconded that Council approve the minutes of the June 13, 2023 meeting as amended: Note that Councillor Birtles left the June 13, 2023 at 6:15 p.m. Motion carried unanimously
Public Hearings, Presentations and Questions	None.
Concerns with Blockhouse Hill	Council received a letter from resident Emma FitzGerald, expressing feedback on the proposed Upper King Street and Blockhouse Hill developments.

Brighter Days	Council received a thank you letter from the Brighter Days Capital Campaign for the Town's contribution to the campaign.
Office of Fire Marshall	The Town received a request to provide a list of its current fire inspectors to the Nova Scotia Office of the Fire Marshal.
Business Arising from Minutes/Unfinished Business	None.
Committee Meeting Minutes, Reports & Notices of Motion	None.
New Business	None.
In camera	Moved and seconded that Council move in camera at 6:04 p.m. to discuss agenda item 10.1 Acquisition, sale, lease and security of municipal property, as per Section 22 (2) (c) of the Municipal Government Act. Motion carried unanimously
	Prior to any in camera discussions, the Mayor called a brief recess.
Revert to open session	Council reverted to open session at 6:28p.m. Following a discussion in camera, Council made the following motion with respect to a lease at a municipal property: Moved and seconded that Council approve the lease amendment between the Town of Lunenburg and the Class Afloat - West Island College International for premises at the Lunenburg Academy, and that the Mayor and CAO are authorized to execute the Lease on behalf of the Town and affix the municipal seal. Motion carried unanimously

Adjournment

There being no further business, the June 27, 2023 Council meeting adjourned at 6:29 p.m.

Minutes were read and approved.