

COUNCIL ADVISORY COMMITTEE October 15th, 2019 AGENDA

6:00 p.m.

- 1. CALL MEETING TO ORDER AND ROLL CALL
- 2. APPROVAL OF THE AGENDA
 - (a) Dashboard and action items
- 3. APPROVAL OF THE MINUTES
 - (a) Council Advisory Committee Minutes, September 9, 2019
- 4. PRESENTATIONS
 - (a) Regional Sewer Update County of Kings Scott Quinn
- 5. DEPARTMENT REPORTS AND RECOMMENDATIONS
 - (a) Finance
- (1) Director's Report
- (2) Projection Report
- (b) Planning and Development
 - (1) Director's Report
 - (2) Community Economic Development Coordinator's Report
- (c) Parks and Recreation
 - (1) Director's Report
- (d) Police
- (1) Chief's Report
- (e) Engineering and Public Works
 - (1) Director's Report
- (f) Administration
 - (1) Communications Report
 - (2) Chief Administrative Officer's Report
- 6. BUSINESS ARISING FROM THE MINUTES/OLD BUSINESS
 - (a) Capital Projects Update
- 7. CORRESPONDENCE
 - (a) New Horizons Club Appreciation for Grant Phonecall



8. **NEW BUSINESS**

- (a) Code of Conduct Policy Amendment
- (b) Deputy Mayor Election October 28, 2019
- (c) River Wall Project

9. PUBLIC COMMENTS

10. IN-CAMERA

- (a) Legal Hurricane Dorian
- (b) Legal Land Purchase
- (c) Labour CAO Committee

11. ADJOURNMENT



TOWN OF KENTVILLE COUNCIL ADVISORY COMMITTEE

Meeting Minutes: September 9th, 2019

1. CALL TO ORDER AND ROLL CALL

Mayor Snow called the meeting to order at 6:00 p.m., and CAO Phillips reported that all members of Council were present, in addition to all department heads.

PRESENT

Mayor Sandra Snow, Deputy Mayor Cate Savage, Councillor John Andrew, Councillor Eric Bolland, Councillor Craig Gerrard, Councillor Cathy Maxwell, and Councillor Lynn Pulsifer.

Also present: Solicitor Geoff Muttart, Chief Administrative Officer (CAO) Mark Phillips, Recording Secretary Jennifer West, Recreation Director Rachel Bedingfield, Deputy Police Chief Darryl Brown, Community and Economic Development Coordinator Lindsay Young, Recreation Facilities Manager Kevin Bennett, Finance Director Debra Crowell and Planning Director Beverly Gentleman.

REGRETS

DECLARATIONS OF CONFLICT OF INTEREST

There were no declarations.

Note: "Points from Discussion" below show various comments made by individual councillors during debate. They do not necessarily represent the opinion of the group.

2. APPROVAL OF THE AGENDA

It was moved by Councillor John Andrew and seconded by Councillor Craig Gerrard

That the agenda of September 9, 2019 be approved as presented **MOTION CARRIED**

3. APPROVAL OF THE MINUTES

(a) Council Advisory Committee meeting minutes of July 8th, 2019

That the Minutes of July 8, 2019 be approved as circulated. **MOTION CARRIED**

4. PRESENTATIONS

(a) Kings Regional Emergency Management Organization – Dan Stovel – Heat Advisory & Response System and Hurricane Preparedness & Response Plan

Dan Stovel, Kings REMO Coordinator, gave a presentation about the proposed Heat Advisory & Response System and Hurricane Preparedness & Response Plan. These plans will improve coordination and efficiency of resources during emergencies.

Report available

Points of Discussion



- What comfort stations were available for Kentville residents? None were activated in Kentville.
- Appreciation for the dedication and consistency during the recent hurricane activities.

(b) Kentville Business Community - Quarterly Report and Special Projects Request

Zach Best, Executive Director, and Wade Tibbo gave a presentation about the progress and activities at KBC from April to September 2019, including events, initiatives, board members and the strategic plan. Mr. Best also presented a request to special projects funding to support a marketing campaign for KBC.

Report available

- Points of Discussion
 - What area is represented by this initiative? The Downtown is the target, including up to Foodland.
 - What is your engagement with residents? The survey reached out to residents and received significant support.
 - How will the public see the videos? Social media, and google ads.

(c) Valley Regional Enterprise Network - Quarterly Report

Jennifer Tufts, Executive Director, gave a presentation on the progress and activities at the Valley REN, including the strategic plan, the annual general meeting, the BusinessNOW program, and a manufacturing industry showcase.

Report available

- Points of Discussion
 - What are some action plans around the Valley manufacturer task force? Many of the initiatives are linked and support the growing labour force in manufacturing.
 - Screening of the movie the Social Shift at the Waterville Drive In Theatre.

(d) Kentville Art Gallery Society – Arts Centre Proposal

Mr. Bob Hainstock gave a presentation about a potential arts centre in the town-owned Calkin Building on Cornwallis Street. The Kentville Art Gallery Society submitted a business plan that would support this activity, and asked Council to consider supporting the plan with an ad-hoc committee, and a 2-year lease.

Report available

Points of Discussion

- Would the lower recreation centre be appropriate for educational workshops? Part of the appeal is to have member artists on site offer the workshops.
- What is the basis for the Town's poor reputation for artists? Artists and the arts community have seen galleries leave, cooperatives close down. The only gallery is at the Valley Regional Hospital which is not a professional space. There may be some negative attitudes toward artists in Kentville.
- Are both options intertwined or could only one option proceed? Each would contribute traffic to the other. The gallery could be successful, but would benefit from the upper workshop space.



 It is possible that increased education around the arts would increase appreciation of the arts as well. There are art educators in the region who are very supportive of this project. It is difficult to measure the progress and success of art education and appreciation but this building may be an opportunity for a larger positive initiative for the Town.

5. DEPARTMENT REPORTS AND RECOMMENDATIONS

(a) Finance

(1) Director's Report

Director Crowell presented her report for the period ending August 30, 2019. Highlights included revenue exceeding the average of 42% at 81% of the budget recorded, and expenditures are under the average at 41%.

See report for more information

(2) Temporary Borrowing Resolution – Sanitary Sewer Area Service 2019-2020 Director Crowell presented her report to support the sanitary sewer capital program.

See report for more information

It was moved by Deputy Mayor Cate Savage and seconded by Councillor Eric Bolland

THAT COUNCIL ADVISORY COMMITTEE RECOMMEND TO COUNCIL:

That Council authorise the temporary borrowing resolution TBR 19/20-02 for Sewer in the amount of \$125,000. Following approval it will be sent the Minister For Department of Municipal Affairs for the Provincial authorization.

MOTION CARRIED

To be ratified at the September 30, 2019 meeting of Council Councillors who voted in favour of this motion: Andrew, Bolland, Gerrard, Maxwell, Pulsifer, Savage and Snow

(3) Temporary Borrowing Resolution – Town of Kentville Capital Works 2019-2020 Director Crowell presented her report to support the capital program for various purposes.

See report for more information

It was moved by Deputy Mayor Cate Savage and seconded by Councillor Lynn Pulsifer

THAT COUNCIL ADVISORY COMMITTEE RECOMMEND TO COUNCIL:

That Council authorise the temporary borrowing resolution TBR 19/20-01 for various purposes for capital in the amount of \$1,081,500. Following approval it will be sent the Minister For Department of Municipal Affairs for the Provincial authorization.

MOTION CARRIED

To be ratified at the September 30, 2019 meeting of Council Councillors who voted in favour of this motion: Andrew, Bolland, Gerrard, Maxwell, Pulsifer, Savage and Snow

(b) Planning and Development

(1) Director's Report



Director Gentleman presented her report for July and August 2019. Highlights included a building valuation of \$1,111,530 for a year total of \$18,213,786. Seven special events permits were granted and 3 zoning certificates were issued.

Points of Discussion:

- What uses did staff determine about potential uses for the Calkin Building?
 Change of use could trigger building code improvements.
- The entrances to Parsons Green development will be realigned and the wall will be adjusted if necessary at the builders expense.

See report for more information

Councillor John Andrew leaves his seat due to a conflict of interest at 7:40pm.

(2) Staff Report on 118 Oakdene Avenue Public Engagement Process

Director Gentleman presented her report on the public engagement process for the development of the site at 118 Oakdene Avenue.

Points of Discussion:

- Some councillors believe there may be greater benefit for the use of these funds than for consulting services.
- Some councillors believe this is the wrong location for this project.
- Some councillors will not support this motion because it is not inclusive as previous discussions which were in camera.
- Some councillors are surprised about the high cost of this project however Council is not being asked to approve the expenditure, it is part of the budget. Staff decide how to spend the budget.
- Staff are being proactive to find other uses that are not currently permitted but which could be permitted for that property.
- Staff have been directed to proceed with this activity. Council must decide whether this is their course of action.

See report for more information

It was moved by Councillor Eric Bolland and seconded by Deputy Mayor Cate Savage

THAT COUNCIL ADVISORY COMMITTEE RECOMMEND TO COUNCIL:

That Council recommend support of the consultation process for future development of the 118 Oakdene property.

MOTION FAILED

Councillors who voted in favour of this motion: Councillors who voted against this motion: Bolland, Savage and Snow Gerrard, Maxwell, and Pulsifer

Please refer to Council meeting minutes for September 30, 2019 for follow up discussion on this topic.

Councillor John Andrew returned to his seat at 7:57pm.

(2) Community Economic Development Coordinator's Report



Lindsay Young presented the CEDC report for July and August 2019. Some of the highlights included the new gateway sign, multicultural festival, the Visitor Information Centre, planning for the Pumpkin People, World Council on City Data designation as a Smart Region, and a new tenant in the Calkin Building.

Points of Discussion:

 There are 4 locations for smaller scale gateway signs which will be installed in coming years.

See report for more information

Council took a break during the meeting from 8:02pm to 8:14pm.

(c) Parks, Recreation and Community Development

(1) Director's Report

Director Bedingfield presented her report for July and August 2019. Some of the highlights included Canada Cup, arena events at the arena, summer camp programs, youth employment programs, Kentville Marlins swim team, and new arena staff Mike Dauphinee.

Points of Discussion:

- Kentville Marlins are invited to a future Council Advisory Committee meeting.

See report for more information

(d) Police Report

(1) Chief's Report

Deputy Chief Brown presented the police report for June, July and August 2019. Some of the highlights included roadside checkpoints, support of Special Olympics at Acadia University, Canada Cup, and the Multicultural Festival.

Points of Discussion

- Have the two electric bikes (diesel, not charged) been stopped? If they are under a certain CC, they are permitted. The excessive noise is undesirable.

See report for more information

(e) Engineering and Public Works

(1) Director's Report

CAO Phillips presented his report for July and August 2019. Some of the highlights include asphalt placement, hiring of the Director of Public Works, traffic calming, tour of the regional sewer facility, demands on the stormwater system, Kentville Bridge, significant rain events on August 30 and September 7.

See report for more information

(2) Condon Avenue Stormwater Pipe Renewal Award

CAO Phillips presented an update on the stormwater pipe renewal for Condon Avenue in relation to recent flooding in that area.



- Points of Discussion
 - Review of the work to be completed for this project.

It was moved by Deputy Mayor Cate Savage and seconded by Councillor Lynn Pulsifer

That Council recommend the following project: Town of Kentville Capital Works – Condon Avenue to the low bidder, Howard Little Excavating Ltd, a unit price contract in the amount of \$187,450 HST included.

MOTION CARRIED

To be ratified at the September 30, 2019 meeting of Council Councillors who voted in favour of this motion: Andrew, Bolland, Gerrard, Maxwell, Pulsifer, Savage and Snow

See report for more information

(f) Administration

(1) Communication Report

CAO Phillips presented the report for July and August 2019. The focus of the recent months has been finalizing the new website.

See report for more information

(2) Chief Administrative Officer's Report

CAO Phillips presented his report for July and August 2019. Some of the highlights included a legal action against Annapolis County regarding Valley Waste, union negotiations, appointment of the Town Clerk and the Responsible Officer for Freedom of Information and Protection of Privacy, Kentville Business Park, and storm-related activities. Appreciation to Council and staff for years of service for the benefit of the Town.

See report for more information

- Points of Discussion
 - Why does the Town only use one realtor? In the past the Town has sought tenders for realtor services.

It was moved by Councillor John Andrew and seconded by Councillor Craig Gerrard

That the reports from the directors be received.

MOTION CARRIED

Councillors who voted in favour of this motion: Andrew, Bolland, Gerrard, Maxwell, Pulsifer, Savage and Snow

6. UNFINISHED BUSINESS

(a) Multi Purpose Complex Strategy

CAO Phillips gave a verbal report on this issue in the absence of a written report. Council has many good resources for this project: the regional recreational needs assessment, a community group, and funding. Council has many options but is well-positioned to pursue a facility in this community.



(b) Funding Opportunities Including a Deed Transfer Tax

CAO Phillips gave a verbal report on this issue in the absence of a written report. Council has a report from June that defines many financial options. Would not recommend a deed transfer tax for operations, but significant infrastructure requires additional revenue which may include a deed transfer tax. Citizen response has been positive around a deed transfer tax associated with a specific return.

(c) Policy Revision: Committees of Council (Accessibility Advisory Committee)

CAO Phillips reviewed the proposed amendments to Policy Statement G57 Committees of Council which would reflect the changes made to support the new Accessibility Advisory Committee.

See report for more information

It was moved by Deputy Mayor Cate Savage and seconded by Councillor Lynn Pulsifer

THAT COUNCIL ADVISORY COMMITTEE RECOMMEND TO COUNCIL:

That Council approve the attached changes to Policy Statement G57 Committees of Council which reflect the new Accessibility Advisory Committee.

MOTION CARRIED

To be ratified at the September 30, 2019 meeting of Council
Councillors who voted in favour of this motion: Andrew, Bolland, Gerrard, Maxwell, Pulsifer, Savage and Snow

(d) Kings Transit Request for Operating Reserve

CAO Phillips reviewed the report to Council Advisory Committee on July 8, 2019 from the Kings Transit Authority regarding a request to create an Operating Reserve at that organization.

See report for more information

Points of Discussion

- Have other municipal units approved this? Kings has approved it and Wolfville and Berwick have not supported it.
- If Kings Transit can't afford something, they can request for funding allocation. A reserve gives them flexibility, but municipal partners can ask for funding at any time.
- A confidential report may have indicated that Kings Transit may not have been following accounting best practices. They may have also used capital assets to cover operating expenses inappropriately. The date for this report was addressing the 2018-2019 audit.
- Kings Transit seems to be under good financial oversight and may have overcome these financial barriers.

It was moved by Councillor Eric Bolland and seconded by Councillor John Andrew

THAT COUNCIL ADVISORY COMMITTEE RECOMMEND TO COUNCIL:

That Council approve the request by the Kings Transit Authority for the creation of an Operating Reserve for \$83,000, with the Town of Kentville share of this reserve totaling \$16,600 from the 2019-2020 Operating Budget.

MOTION FAILED

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Councillors who voted in favour of this motion: Bolland and Pulsifer

Councillors who voted against this motion: Andrew, Gerrard, Maxwell, Savage and Snow

(e) Capital Projects Update

CAO Phillips reviewed the ongoing capital projects in each department as they relate to the 2019-2020 Capital Works Plan.

See report for more information

7. CORRESPONDENCE

(a) Letters from residents regarding 118 Oakdene Avenue

CAO Phillips presented letters from Sherry Harvey, Shelby Vanderhoning and Brenda Wood regarding the property at 118 Oakdene Avenue, however this property is not officially before council for any decision or approval.

Specific portions of the letter from Brenda Wood regarding the conduct of Councillor John Andrew.

Letters available

(b) David Archibald – Appreciation for Student Bursary

CAO Phillips read the card from Mr. Archibald with appreciation for this bursary from the Town.

Card available

(c) Kings County Planning – Source Water Protection

CAO Phillips read the letters between Mayor Sandra Snow and the County of Kings Planning Office regarding Source Water Protection Planning and the development of the County's Municipal Planning Strategy and Land Use Bylaw.

Letters available

(d) Kings Point to Point – Financial Reports

CAO Phillips read the letter from Faye Brown, Manager at Kings Point to Point Society expressing appreciation to Council for their ongoing support of their operations, and sharing their 2018-2019 Financial Statements for their information.

Letter available

(e) Robinsons Cannabis – Amendment to License

CAO Phillips read the letter from Andrew Robinson informing Council of the change in their licence to operate under the *Cannabis Act* and *Regulations*.

Letter available

(f) Medic Monday – September 30, 2019

CAO Phillips read the letter from Remo Zaccagna, Communications Specialist with Emergency Health Services regarding September 30 as a day to honour Nova Scotia paramedics.

Letter available



(g) Regional Emergency Management Organization (REMO) - Timeline

CAO Phillips read the letter from Dan Stovel, Coordinator of the Kings County REMO, regarding the 2019-2020 timeline for activities and adoption of policies.

Letter available

(h) Right to Know Week - September 23 to 29, 2019

CAO Phillips read the letter from Catherine Tully, Information and Privacy Commissioner for Nova Scotia, regarding Right to Know Week from September 23 to September 29, 2019.

Letter available

8. NEW BUSINESS

(a) Appointment of Interim Chief Administrative Officer

Finance Director Debra Crowell was appointed as the Interim Chief Administrative Officer for the Town of Kentville.

It was moved by Councillor Eric Bolland and seconded by Deputy Mayor Cate Savage

That Council approve the Appointment of Director Debra Crowell as the Interim Chief Administrative Officer.

MOTION CARRIED

To be ratified at the September 9, 2019 special meeting of Council Councillors who voted in favour of this motion: Andrew, Bolland, Gerrard, Maxwell, Pulsifer, Savage and Snow

(b) Appointment of Traffic Authority

Public Works Superintendent Richard Boyd was appointed as the Traffic Authority for the Town of Kentville.

It was moved by Deputy Mayor Cate Savage and seconded by Councillor Lynn Pulsifer

That Council approve the Richard Boyd Public Works Superintendent as the Traffic Authority and that Policy Statement G57 Appointment of Traffic Authority be amended.

MOTION CARRIED

To be ratified at the September 9, 2019 special meeting of Council Councillors who voted in favour of this motion: Andrew, Bolland, Gerrard, Maxwell, Pulsifer, Savage and Snow

(c) Kings REMO - Heat Advisory & Response System and Hurricane

CAO Phillips reviewed the request by Kings REMO to approve the proposed plans for Heat Advisory and Response System, and Hurricane Preparedness and Response Plan.

It was moved by Deputy Maybe Cate Savage and seconded by Councillor Eric Bolland

That Council approve the Kings REMO Draft Heat Advisory & Response System and Hurricane Preparedness and Response Plans.

MOTION CARRIED

To be ratified at the September 30, 2019 meeting of Council



Councillors who voted in favour of this motion: and Snow

Andrew, Bolland, Gerrard, Maxwell, Pulsifer, Savage

(d) Kentville Business Community Special Projects Request

CAO Phillips reviewed the request by KBC for a grant of \$20,091.

It was moved by Deputy Mayor Cate Savage and seconded by Councillor Lynn Pulsifer

THAT COUNCIL ADVISORY COMMITTEE RECOMMEND TO COUNCIL:

That Council approve the Kentville Business Community's request for a grant of \$20,091 to support a special project.

MOTION CARRIED

To be ratified at the September 30, 2019 meeting of Council Councillors who voted in favour of this motion: Andrew, Bolland, Gerrard, Maxwell, Pulsifer, Savage and Snow

(e) Bob Hainstock Arts and Culture Request

CAO Phillips reviewed the request by Bob Hainstock for Council to support an arts centre in the Calkin Building.

- Points of Discussion
 - Is this something that Council would like to happen. How it happens can occur through the committee.
 - There is some interest in this project, and curiosity in the details.
 - Solicitor recommends that staff discuss the current tenant's lease regarding an extension of their lease during this period of discussion. Council supports the concept but the building is still for sale. If the building receives an offer of sale, Council will make a decision about the sale and this project.
 - What will this arts group need to do to move this idea forward? A committee to discuss and support this concept.

It was moved by Councillor Eric Bolland and seconded by Deputy Mayor Cate Savage

THAT COUNCIL ADVISORY COMMITTEE RECOMMEND TO COUNCIL:

That Council support in principle the concept as presented by Mr. Hainstock.

MOTION CARRIED

To be ratified at the September 30, 2019 meeting of Council
Councillors who voted in favour of this motion:

Andrew, Bolland, Gerrard, Maxwell, Pulsifer, Savage and Snow

9. PUBLIC COMMENTS

(a) None

10. IN-CAMERA

It was moved by Councillor Craig Gerrard and seconded by Councillor Lynn Pulsifer

That council move into a closed session at 10:17 pm to discuss a legal issue.



MOTION CARRIED

It was moved by Councillor John Andrew and seconded by Councillor Craig Gerrard

That Council return to open session at 11:17pm

MOTION CARRIED

Councillors who voted in favour of this motion:

Andrew, Bolland, Gerrard, Maxwell, Pulsifer, Savage and Snow

11. ADJOURNMENT

It was moved by Councillor Eric Bolland and seconded by Councillor Craig Gerrard

That Council Advisory Committee adjourn. MOTION CARRIED Adjourned at 11:17p.m.



Odour Investigation

Presentation to Town of Kentville

Scott Quinn, Director EPW, Lands & Parks Kentville Council Advisory Committee October 15, 2019



Outline

Background Situation Report

Mitigation Measures

Conclusion



Background



Regional Sewer System Overview



Regional Sewer System consists of:

- Regional STP treatment works located in NW New Minas between Jones Road & Middle Dyke Road
 - Over 20 acres of Aerated Lagoons
- Trunk Collection System that extends from Coldbrook to New Minas/Greenwich border
- Total catchment area includes Kentville, New Minas, North Kentville, Coldbrook, Greenwich, parts of Canaan/North Alton

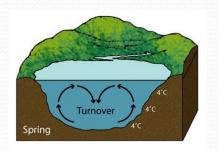
Assets owned and operated by Municipality

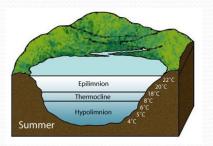
System is funded and overseen by Four Partners (listed in order of usage)

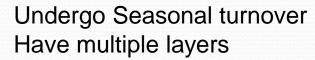
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- Pepsico
- Municipality



Lagoons Behave Similar to Lakes

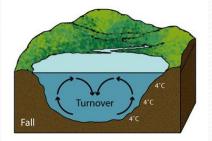


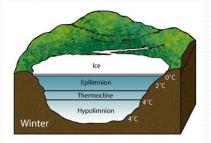




Anaerobic bacteria in bottom layers Aerobic bacteria reside in top layers

• Acts as a blanket trapping Odours





Regional STP spring turnover usually start mid-May

- Lasts 2-3 weeks
- Some Odour but usually not overly strong and short duration

Finding the Right Balance



Regional System designed to handle High Strength Discharges (HSD)

Regional STP based on aerobic bacteria being dominant

But...

Like any ecosystem, need right balance of nutrients, oxygen, etc.

For Lagoons, too much HSD will "strip" oxygen turning them anaerobic => Odour

Potential for septic conditions in parts of Collection System and Lift Stations



Situation Report



Situation Report

Update Odour Complaints seem to have fallen off in August

Persistent Odour complaints received since May

- Initially issue for Kentville and New Minas
- Situation has seemingly improved for Kentville
- Complaints from New Minas persist

Staff has been investigating the root causes

Interim mitigation measures have either already been deployed or will be deployed soon

Some longer term are already being worked on, others will be examined



A Combination of Factors...

There is no one factor that we can pinpoint the issue on

Confluence of key factors

- Reoccurrence of HSDs from industrial users
- Unusual Weather Patterns this Spring/Summer
- Weather related conditions within the Trunk Collections System

Industrial Discharges

Staff has observed "slugs" in the lagoons

Some similar to previous discharges from vegetable storage facility

Real-time monitoring probe in Lift Station RG 5 (Kentville Bridge) has been recording "spikes" similar to graph below



Unusual Weather Patterns

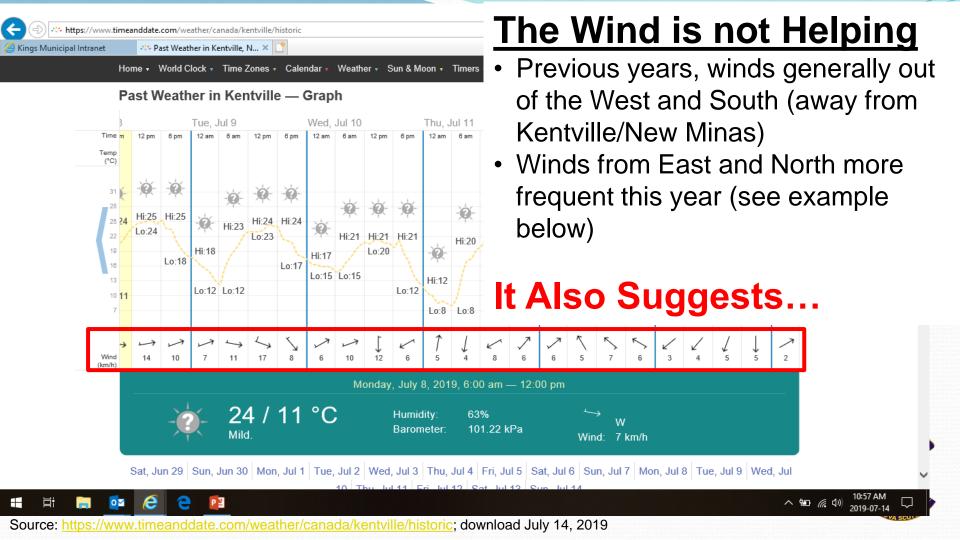
Colder and wetter than normal thru May and first part of June

- Delayed normal lagoon "turnover" cycle
- Media reports of other weather related delays for field preparation and planting, Museum of Natural History report delays in ecosystem (e.g., flies)

Changes in Prevailing Wind Patterns

Rapid Transition to Unusually Warm Summer conditions





Another Odour Source

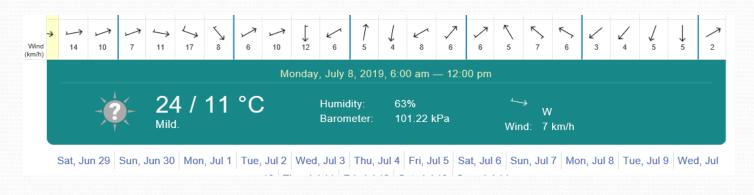
Odour reports in New Minas when winds from East prevail

 Regional STP downwind of most of New Minas in this case

Can Regional STP be the source in this case?



Photo of Presumed Brush Fire taken July 13, 2019





NEW Another Odour

Source

Coop Feed Mill (New Minas)

Odours reported in this area

Understand active NSE file for drainage

related issues









Rapid Transition to Summer

So far, summer has been unusually warm and humid

- Harder to keep proper oxygen levels in lagoons
- Additional industrial discharges compounding problem

Lower than normal flow in Collection System leading to septic conditions

- System design allows for storm water infiltration
 - No system is 100% tight
- Recent rain events shorter, higher intensity
 - Less storm water getting into System



In Other Words...









May - Mid June



Late June - Early July

To End of July...

HSD "slugs" have returned stronger than before

Weather conditions kept lagoons turning over

Temperature spikes and HSD "slugs" added to problem

 Lagoons looking better

corner!

Solid oxygen levels

 Break from Temperature and HSD "slugs"

Higher than normal temperatures and humidity

Rain only in short intense bursts



NEW Improvement!

Weather has stabilized

Allowed lagoons to settle

Monitoring Equipment in place since early Aug show low odour levels along STP boundary



Mitigation Measures



We are working on it...

Number of interim and mid-term measures Staff are working on to mitigate items that are within our control

We will be working with Regional Partners on measures that require their assistance or is fully dependent on them

Some factors that Regional Partners cannot readily deal with



Interim Measures Already Implemented

Monitoring/recording of industrial discharges

Added industrial "perfume" into Collection System

Increased air flow into cells

Examining vents at Trunk Lift Stations

Increased maintenance around lagoons

Adding air monitoring equipment at Regional STP

Increased monitoring of lagoons and lift stations

Retrofitting vents at Trunk Lift Stations

Coordination between available Partner Technical staff



Interim Measures to be Deployed by Aug

Putting "Lagoon Masters" horizontal aerators back into service



- Increase air content in lagoons
- Put sludge back into suspension for treatment

Add more industrial "perfume" into Collection $\sqrt{}$ System

Mid-Term Measures

Item	Comments	Implementation
By-Law/Agreement Enforcement	• Will require coordinated effort between Partners	Q3 FY19-20
Regional STP Aeration System Replacement	 Already in approved Capital Plan Detailed engineering work in progress Multi-Year, Multi-million dollar program Phase 1 scheduled for FY 2020-21 (subject to budget approval) 	Tender could be issued by Q3-Q4 FY 2019-20 (subject to budget approval)
Headwork HVAC Filtration Unit	 Not in approved Capital Plan Require external engineering consultant 	Design could start late Aug/early Sept (subject to budget approval)
Collection System Masking & Treatment Agents	2018 Pilot study identify potential sitesNot in approved Operating Budget	Q1 FY20-21
 Collection System Infiltration/Illegal Connection Investigation Industrial Pre-Treatment Study 	 Can be joint project of Technical Sub-Committee Will require MoK Sewer Inspection team or similar external capacity May require external consultant support (not in budget) 	Q3 FY19-20

Conclusion



Conclusion

We appreciate the impact Odours are having on our customers

Municipal Staff are working to mitigate the factors we can control

Some factors simply beyond our direct control

There are longer term solutions already in the works

We'll continue to explore other potential options





FINANCE DEPARTMENT REPORT TO COUNCIL ADVISORY COMMITTEE September 30, 2019

I am pleased to report from the Finance Department of the Town of Kentville for the month ended September 30, 2019.

Finance Department Update

- The final tax levy was due September 30, 2019.
- The 2nd quarter utility bills will be released middle of October.
- The Request for Proposals for External Audit Services was released on the Provincial Procurement site and the Town's website. Closing date for proposals is October 23, 2019 at 3:00 pm.

Attachments

<u>Schedules A & B</u> (Revenue and Expenditures) are included for the month ended September 30, 2019.

Schedule C (and graph) (Outstanding Taxation) is attached for the month ended September 30, 2019.

Schedule D (Sanitary Sewer Area Service) is **not** included for the quarter ended September 30, 2019. The next report will be tabled after the billing has occurred.

Schedules E and F (Perpetual Investment Fund) are included for the month ended August 31, 2019.

Schedules G (Town of Kentville Capital Investment Plan-2019-2020) are included.

Schedule H (Account Receivable- Due from the Municipality of the County of Kings) is included for the month ended September 30, 2019.

Analysis

Revenue (see Schedule A)

If revenue were averaged evenly over the year, 50% of the budget would be consumed. To September 30, 2019, overall revenue exceeds the average at 83.8% recorded. Items worth noting are:

Taxes-The final tax levy due date of September 30, 2019 has passed. Total taxation is reporting at 99.8% of budget.

Payments in Lieu- Both the Federal and Provincial claims for *Payments in Lieu of Tax* have been tabled with the respective government agencies. The Federal government remitted in July. The amount received exceeded budget by \$7,052. We await payment from the Province. Payment was received from Kings County related to its rental of the Provincial property in Kentville.

Services to Other Governments- This section records the KPS seconded officer along with services to Kings County for snow removal, cultural and recreation. One quarter of the secondment is recorded along with 100% of the County's share of the library lease.

Sales of Services- This section records reallocations to other funds and is updated by journal entry. It also records the sales of services by KPS. Five months are recorded as revenue. This section also accounts for the sale of financial services to KVFD. Six months of sales are recorded.

Other Revenue-Own Sources-This section is reporting fines, rentals, interest and miscellaneous revenue. "Fines, fees, permits" is reporting above the guideline due to the collection of animal licenses, taxi licenses and Provincial court fines. "Interest" exceeds the benchmark due to increased deposit interest. "Rentals" will report below the guideline as arena ice rentals account for the larger portion of this section.

Unconditional Transfers- The Province forwarded the first quarter Equalization payment in June, along with the annual Power Corporation grant. The NSP HST rebate arrived in July \$2,537 under budget.

Conditional Transfers- 25% of Provincial Law Enforcement is recorded along with 80% of Provincial cost-sharing for Active Living. Recreation Nova Scotia forwarded cost-sharing of \$680. Rotary Club of Kentville gave Kentville Police Service \$ 800 to purchase bike helmets. Valley Waste

Resource Management returned consulting management fees paid by the Town last fiscal year. All of these were unexpected revenues.

Financing & Transfers (Revenue) All budgeted transfers from various reserves have been transacted.

Expenditures (see schedule B)

To date, overall expenditures are slightly over the benchmark at 52.9% expended. Some departments have exceeded the 50% guideline due to annual payments and bulk ordering of supplies. Items to note are as follows:

General Administration- exceeds the yardstick due to change in staff complement in September. In addition, payment of insurance premiums and bulk purchases of office supplies have added to the indicator. As well, 75% of the mandatory payment has been issued for assessment services and 100% of tax exemptions related to Sections 69 and 71 are recorded.

Protective Services- Emergency Measures exceeds the benchmark due to wages and materials used regarding post tropical storm Erin in August and Hurricane Dorian in September.

Transportation Services—Public Transit exceeds the benchmark but reflects the payment schedule forwarded by Kings Transit Authority. The Town received its share of the 2018/2019 deficit position \$17,407, which will add to the budget overage. Payment to Kings Point to Point is complete for the year.

Environmental Health Services exceeds the benchmark but reflects the funding schedule set out by Valley Waste Resource Management Authority.

Environmental Development Services- Planning and zoning exceeds the guideline due to payment of the annual insurance premium and conference attendance.

Recreation- Administration exceeds the benchmark due to the expenditures related to summer staff and payment of the annual insurance premiums for liability and vehicles. **Programmes** exceed the benchmark because most Recreation programs are held during the summer months. **Cultural** exceeds the yardstick, as 50% Provincial mandatory funding has been made for the Regional Library, along with full payments of budgeted grants to cultural organizations.

Financing and transfers- Expenditures- Debt Charge- principal exceeds the benchmark but accurately reflects the debt repayment schedule. **Transfers to allowance and reserves** exceed the standard as all transfers to various reserves have been transacted. Capital paid out of current revenue is partially expended.

Summary of Outstanding Taxes (see Schedule C)

As at September 30, 2019, 92.5% of the 2019/2020 levy is collected (last year-92.5%). Total property tax outstanding as at September 30, 2019 is \$720,181 (last year- \$713,351). This equates to 92.3% collected in total (last year- 92.2%).

Perpetual Investment Fund- (see Schedules E and F)

The Investment Advisory Committee (IAC) met on September 11, 2019 to discuss the report for the month ended August 31, 2019. The *Statement of Financial Position (Schedule E)* for year-end shows that investments total \$13. million (at cost) with the breakdown as follows:

	COST	MARKET
Cash and short-term	\$899,743	\$898,088
Fixed income securities	8,520,388	8,362,038
Equities	4,015,899	4,262,072
Total investments	\$13,436,030	\$13,522,198

The Statement of Reserves (Schedule F) reports that at August 31, 2019, interest paid is \$42,577, dividends paid into the fund total \$80,730; capital gains are \$127,877 (last year-\$135,733). At August 31, management fees totaled \$11,937 (last year-\$14,180).

Income budgeted for 2019/2020 is \$ 430,000 interest and dividends, \$30,000 capital gains and \$ 70,000 supplement (if required). The supplement will be withdrawn only if the Town is in a deficit position end of year 2020.

Town of Kentville Capital Investment Plan- 2019-2020

Information on the 2019/2020 Town of Kentville capital program is updated. The program is ongoing with \$ 276,371 recorded at September 30. The program details are updated monthly.

Accounts Receivable- Due from the Municipality of the County of Kings- (see Schedule H)

Schedule H summarizes the outstanding financial receivable matters between the Town and the Municipality of the County of Kings. This report cites the amounts due as at September 30, 2019. (Please take note that the 2019 Recreation Service invoices have not been released and, therefore, is not added into the total).

The total due from the County is offset by amounts due to the County.

This concludes the monthly report from the Finance Department for September 30, 2019.

Respectfully submitted,

Debra Crowell
Director of Finance
Kentrille

Month ended September 30, 2019

Revenue	Budget Amount \$	Year to Date Amount	% consumed
TAXES			0.
Tax (including Industrial Park)			
Assessable property	8,791,500	8,761,116	99.7%
Resource	43,700	42,868	98.1%
Economic development	111,800	109,728	98.1%
	8,947,000	8,913,712	99.6%
Area rates and frontages			
Area rates	576,600	587,058	101.8%
Special assessments	8,500	8,500	100.0%
	585,100	595,557	
Based on revenue			
Business property	39,200	39,208	100.0%
TOTAL TAXATION	9,571,300	9,548,477	99.8%
PAYMENTS IN LIEU OF TAXES			
Federal and agencies	392,600	399,652	101.8%
Provincial and agencies	107,800	51,154	47.5%
	500,400	450,806	90.1%
SERVICES TO OTHER GOVERNMENTS			
Provincial government	113,600	33,226	29.2%
Local government	97,900	40,337	41.2%
	211,500	73,563	34.8%
SALES OF SERVICES			
Agencies	1,112,700	423,829	38.1%
OTHER REVENUE-OWN SOURCES			
Fines, fees, permits	42,300	28,615	67.6%
Rentals	419,000	105,628	25.2%
Interest	115,000	64,964	56.5%
Return on investments	630,000	-	0.0%
Other	41,900	21,023	50.2%
	1,248,200	220,231	17.6%
UNCONDITIONAL TRANSFERS	226,900	98,591	43.5%
CONDITIONAL TRANSFERS	141,200	51,638	36.6%
FINANCING AND TRANSFERS			
From reserves	252,800	252,833	100.0%
	252,800	252,833	100.0%
TOTAL REVENUE 2019/2020	13,265,000	11,119,969	83.8%

Town of Kentville Operating Fund

Month ended September 30, 2019

Expenditures	Budget	Year to Date	
	Amount	Amount	% consumed
GENERAL ADMINISTRATION	\$	\$	
	240,000	121 761	40.40/
Legislative	248,000	121,761	49.1%
General administration	1,350,100	745,271	55.2%
DDOTECTIVE CEDITION	1,598,100	867,032	54.3%
PROTECTIVE SERVICES			
Police- core program	2,341,500	1,155,998	49.4%
Police-sales of service	148,300	63,059	42.5%
Law enforcement	229,500	84,235	36.7%
Fire fighting	760,200	302,000	39.7%
Protective service- debt charge	21,200	10,079	47.5%
Emergency measures and other	116,900	89,189	76.3%
	3,617,600	1,704,561	47.1%
TRANSPORTATION SERVICES			
Common services	928,500	405,581	43.7%
Road transportation	782,300	249,811	31.9%
Public transit	205,300	129,215	62.9%
Transportation- debt charge	74,300	37,124	50.0%
Other	96,800	42,001	43.4%
	2,087,200	863,732	41.4%
ENVIRONMENTAL HEALTH SERVICES			
Solid waste collection and recycling	701,400	404,614	57.7%
PUBLIC HEALTH			
Public health and housing	99,500	9,500	9.5%
ENVIRONMENTAL DEVELOPMENT			
Planning and zoning	239,500	129,551	54.1%
Other community development	442,300	229,243	51.8%
	681,800	358,794	52.6%
RECREATION AND CULTURAL			
Recreation-Administration	480,700	259,481	54.0%
-Programmes (net)	129,300	69,822	54.0%
-Facilities	589,700	283,364	48.1%
-Debt charge	31,800	15,504	48.8%
Cultural	128,900	69,848	54.2%
	1,360,400	698,019	51.3%
EDUCATION	1,556,300	778,128	50.0%
FINANCING AND TRANSFERS			
Debt charge- principal	974,200	787,360	80.8%
Transfers to allowances and reserves	588,500	550,000	93.5%
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TOTAL EXPENDITURE 2019/2020	13,265,000	7,021,739	52.9%

Summary of Taxes Collected & Outstanding

This report provides information for Council's perusal concerning outstanding taxes.

	CURRENT	ARREARS 1	ARREARS 2	TOTAL OUTSTANDING
	\$	\$	\$	\$
Balance, April 1, 2019	(200,057)	106,207	4,000	(89,850)
Billed 2019	9,439,754	0	0	9,439,754
19/20 net adjustments	2,086	0	0	2,086
Total collectible	9,241,783	106,207	4,000	9,351,990
Total collected	8,545,080	83,025	3,704	8,631,809
Outstanding	696,703	23,182	296	720,181
Percentage collected 19/20	92.5%	78.2%	92.6%	92.3%
Percentage collected 18/19	92.5%	69.0%	88.8%	92.2%



Town of Kentville Perpetual Reserve Fund

Month ended August 31, 2019

Statement of Financial Position	2019	2018
	Actual	Actual
	\$	\$
FINANCIAL ASSETS		
Cash (at cost)		
Cash and equivalents (net) - (at market-\$898,088)	899,743	1,942,536
Receivables		
Accrued		
Accrued interest and dividends		
Due from own funds and agencies		
General operating fund	2,050	2,344
Investments (at cost)		
Long Term		
Fixed income securities (at market- \$8,362,038)	8,520,388	8,433,261
Equities (at market- \$4,262,072)	4,015,899	2,952,586
Total assets	13,438,080	13,330,727
Fund Balance		
Due to Town Operating		
Reserve		
Reserve	13,438,080	13,330,727
Total fund balance	13,438,080	13,330,727

Town of Kentville Perpetual Reserve Fund

Month ended August 31, 2019

Statement of Reserves	2019	2018
	Actual	Actual
	\$	\$
Balance, beginning of year	13,198,833	13,100,897
Add:		
Interest	42,577	44,436
Dividends	80,730	67,067
Accrued interest and dividends		
Capital gains		
Equities	148,472	135,733
Fixed income securities	(20,595)	
	251,184	247,236
	13,450,017	13,348,133
Less:		
Management fees (net)	11,937	14,180
Return of capital		3,226
Due to Town of Kentville operating fund		
Transfer to Town of Kentville operating fund		
	11,937	17,406
Balance, end of year	13,438,080	13,330,727

	Budget	Year to Date	
	Amount	Amount	% consumed
Part of the second second second second	\$	\$	
PROJECTS			
Gas Tax Infrastructure	478,200	0	0.0%
General Administration	88,500	15,091	17.1%
Protection	108,500	54,158	49.9%
Transportation	958,200	46,753	4.9%
Planning	15,000	0	0.0%
Development	67,000	26,610	39.7%
Recreation	723,100	133,759	18.5%
Cultural	0	0	0.0%
	2,438,500	276,371	11.3%
FUNDING			
OUTSIDE SOURCES			
Other governments			
Federal	The office of the latest and the		0.0%
Province of Nova Scotia	87,500	0	0.0%
	87,500	0	0.0%
Capital Contributions			
Betterments			Commence of the Commence of th
Contributions			0.0%
Sale of surplus equipment	29,500	9,500	32.2%
	29,500	9,500	32.2%
INTERNAL SOURCES			
Cash			
Capital fund cash		0	0.0%
Reserves			
Restricted			
Gas Tax Funds	478,200	0	0.0%
Own Sources			
Equipment Capital	59,000	25,167	42.7%
Town Capital			
General allocation	589,400	83,614	14.2%
Recreation	74,900	27,466	36.7%
Necreation	1,201,500	136,247	11.3%
Operations	1,201,300	130,247	11.370
Capital from revenue- KPS	38,500	37,729	98.0%
Capital Holli revenue- KF3	38,500	37,729	
	30,300	31,129	98.0%
BORROWING	1,081,500	92,895	8.6%
	2,438,500	276,371	11.3%

GENERAL	The state of the s		
LEDGER	GAS TAX INFRASTRUCTURE		
#	Description	Budget	Actual
	Transportation		
	Sidewalks		
05-35-71-250	Main Street (East End)	73,200	0
05-35-71-340	Canaan Ave	80,000	
	Park Street West sidewalk	200,000	
	Streets		
05-35-71-200	School Street	30,000	
	Business Park		
05-35-71-400	Storm sewer laterals	55,000	0
	Recreation & sport infrastructure		
05-35-74-100	Trail- Bridge canoe launch	40,000	0
	PROJECTS	478,200	0
	FUNDING		
	Reserve- Gas Tax Interest		
	Reserve- Gas Tax 18-19	24,600	
	Reserve- Gas Tax Current 2019-2020	453,600	
	Reserve- Gas Tax Interest		
	Reserve - Town capital		
	Borrowing		
	TOTAL	478,200	0

GENERAL ADMINISTRATION		
Description	Budget	Actual
IT INITIATIVE ANNUAL		
Server system and SAN	55,000	2,668
Integration manager	8 500	
integration manager	8,300	
TOWN HALL		
Exterior upgrades		
Town hall exterior staircase	25,000	12,423
PROJECTS	88,500	15,091
FUNDING		
CASH		
Capital Reserve- Town General allocation	88,500	15,091
Borrowing		
TOTAL	88,500	15,091
	IT INITIATIVE ANNUAL Server system and SAN Integration manager TOWN HALL Exterior upgrades Town hall exterior staircase PROJECTS FUNDING CASH Capital Reserve- Town General allocation Borrowing	Description IT INITIATIVE ANNUAL Server system and SAN Integration manager 8,500 TOWN HALL Exterior upgrades Town hall exterior staircase 25,000 PROJECTS 88,500 FUNDING CASH Capital Reserve- Town General allocation Budget 8,500 88,500 88,500

GENERAL			mint de la Sala
LEDGER	PROTECTIVE SERVICES		
#	Description	Budget	Actual
	Police services		
	Police vehicles		
05-35-75-650	Marked car	48,000	47,229
	Equipment		
05-35-75-700	Mobile speed signs (2)	7,800	6,866
	Building		
05-35-75-600	New Roof	42,700	63
	Information technology		
05-35-75-800	Server replacement	10,000	0
	PROJECTS	108,500	54,158
	FUNDING		
	Cash		
	Capital from revenue	38,500	37,729
	Proceeds on sale	9,500	9,500
	Reserves	60,500	6,866
	Borrowing		63
	TOTAL	108,500	54,158

GENERAL			
LEDGER	TRANSPORTATION SERVICES		
#	Description	Budget	Actual
	Yearly Projects		
05-35-71-100	Equipment	134,000	25,167
05-35-71-450	Public Works building	15,000	0
	Downtown improvements		
05-35-71-350	Ornamental lights	25,000	0
05-35-71-490	Flood mitigation (Dyke)	175,000	0
05-35-71-460	Streets		0
	Chester Ave	200,000	
	Campbell Road	100,000	
05-35-71-480	New bridge approaches	97,500	1,970
	Parking lots		
05-35-71-470	Arena	15,000	0
	"Home Hardware"	5,000	
	Storm sewer		
05-35-71-500	New bridge- Duck bill/Storm drain	141,700	19,616
05-35-71-510	Shannex/GVJ	50,000	0
	PROJECTS	958,200	46,753
	FUNDING		
	CASH- OVERRUN		
	Equipment capital reserve	59,000	25,167
	Proceeds on sale	10,000	
	Province of Nova Scotia -NDMP	87,500	
	Capital reserve- general allocation	237,500	
	Borrowing	564,200	21,586
	TOTAL	958,200	46,753

GENERAL			
LEDGER	PLANNING SERVICES		
#	Description	Budget	Actual
05-35-75-260	IT initiatives	15,000	0
	PROJECTS	15,000	0
7711	FUNDING		
	Capital Reserve- Town General	15,000	
	TOTAL	15,000	0

GENERAL	DEVELOPMENT CERVICES		
LEDGER #	DEVELOPMENT SERVICES	Budest	Andread .
#	Description	Budget	Actual
	Downtown betterments		
05-35-75-500	Seasonal lighting-\$7,500	7,500	0
05-35-75-100	Downtown benches- \$5,000	5,000	0
05-35-75-150	Public Garden-\$6,500	6,500	4,314
	Signage		
05-35-75-400	Rebranding signage (Gateway) -\$25,000	25,000	13,536
05-35-75-250	Kentville Business Park signage-\$8,000	8,000	8,760
	Buildings		
		TO SECURITION	
05-35-75-170	Remediation- Calkin building	15,000	0
			0
			0
	PROJECTS	67,000	26,610
	FUNDING		
	CASH		
	Capital Reserve- Town General	54,500	25,574
	Borrowing	12,500	1,036
	TOTAL	67,000	26,610

GENERAL			
LEDGER	RECREATION SERVICES		
#	Description	Budget	Actual
	Soccer		
05-35-74-300	Soccer nets	8,000	5,944
	Green Areas		
05-35-73-250	Wayfinding- AT Plan Station Lane signage	5,000	0
	Tennis Court		
05-35-72-360	Clubhouse and washrooms	10,000	0
	Parks/Playgrounds		
05-35-72-500	Various playgrounds- Bonavista	10,000	4,161
05-35-72-550	Oakdene Park- Gazebo	16,000	0
05-35-73-200	Memorial Park- Skateboard park- bowl	200,000	8,604
05-35-72-600	Memorial Park- Playground	27,000	7,227
05-35-74-200	Memorial Park- Fencing	8,000	6,081
05-35-72-650	Memorial Park- New mountain bike trail	11,000	10,011
	Pool		
05-35-73-500	Pool coating	30,000	7,357
05-35-74-600	Pool Change rooms and door	69,600	48,855
-74-400,05-35-7	Equipment	220,000	13,997
05-35-73-300	Studies (WIP & New)	108,500	21,522
	PROJECTS	723,100	133,759
	FUNDING		
	CASH		
	Proceeds on sale	10,000	
	Capital reserve- General allocation	133,400	36,084
	Capital reserve- Recreation	74,900	27,466
	Borrowing	504,800	70,210
	TOTAL	723,100	133,759

GENERAL			
LEDGER	CULTURAL SERVICES		
#	Description	Budget	Actual
	Library		
	Library		
05-35-74-750			
		A-1	
	PROJECTS	0	
	FUNDING		
	Capital reserve- Town General		
	Borrowing		
	TOTAL	-	

Town of Kentville

Accounts Receivable- Due from the Municipality of the County of Kings Month ended September 30, 2019

Capital Billing Hydrant Charge Town Capital Kentville Water Utility Other Recreation Town Operating Fund Sanitary Sewer Outstanding Billing Inte 171,500 677,792 45,344 59,832 232,836 247,360 (79,080) 2018/2019 (staus quo bill) Paid- August 13, 2019 aid- July 9, 2018 2015/16 2017/18 2014/15 2016/17

25,028 29,101 1,386

Sanitary Sewer	ver	Recreation		Other	Capital Billing	Hydrant Charge	harge	ALLF	ALL FUNDS
ng Billing	Interest	Outstanding Billing.	Interest	Outstanding Billing		Outstanding	Interest	Outstanding	Interest
45,344	25,028							45,344	25,02
59,832	16,759	8,378	1,819			14,864	10,523	83,074	29,10
232,836		3,946		2,106	54,112	16,905	1,386	309,905	1,38
247,360		58,422				188,968 (168,041)	·	494,750 (168,041)	
171,500		(Bill not released yet)**				188,968		360,468	
(79,080)		(58,422)				(234,134)		(371,636)	
677,792	41,787	12,323	1,819	2,106	54,112	7,530	11,909	753,864	55,51
(258,122)	(41,787)							(258,122)	(41,787
419,670	0	12,323	1,819	2,106	54,112	7,530	11,909	495,742	13,72
		14,142		*(invoice #17591)		19,439	6		509,470

13,728

509,470

55,515 (41,787)

Accounts Receivable- Due to the Municipality of the County of Kings Month ended September 30, 2019

Wrkten out of ledger due to age But still collectible)

Regional Sewer		Building & Fire inspection Disposal site	Sewer Connections
Current Billing 4 quarters		Current Billing	27,218
703,000		81,916	34,349
363,500	Q 1+2	38,870 Q.1+2 (120,786)	
1,066,500		0	61,567

PAID September 2019

2017/2018 2018/2019 2019/2020

TOTAL DUE COUNTY	27,218	819,265	402,370 (120,786) 1,128,067	(618,597) ver write offs	(318,688) ver write offs
	2017/2018	2018/2019	2019/2020 PAID	NET TOTAL (618,59 Including sewer write offs	NET TOTAL (318,68 excluding sewer write offs



Memo

To: Council Advisory Committee

From: Debra Crowell, A/CAO, Director of Finance

CC: Directors of Town of Kentville

Date: October 9, 2019

Re: PROJECTION REPORT- March 31, 2020 as at September 30, 2019

The first projection report to March 31, 2020 (as at September 30, 2019) is attached to this memo.

In this report, the Town of Kentville is in a deficit position of **\$60,100**.

However, everything known to date has been scraped up and reported.



TOWN OF KENTVILLE OPERATING FUND PROJECTIONS TO MARCH 31, 2020 As at September 30, 2019

<u>REVENUE</u>

Overall, actual revenue is projected to end the year under budget \$10,200. The particulars are as follows:

- **2 TAXES** (budget \$9,571,300; projected \$9,540,000; **UNDER BUDGET \$31,300**)
 - Taxation is **under budget \$31,300**. Reduction is related to successful assessment appeals received (to date).
- **3 PAYMENTS IN LIEU** (budget \$500,400; projected \$507,500; **OVER BUDGET \$7,100**)

Payments in Lieu of Taxation will exceed budget by 1.4%.

- Federal Payment in Lieu re: the Federal Research Farm arrived \$ 7,100 over budget.
- 4 SERVICES PROVIDED TO OTHER GOVERNMENTS (budget \$211,500; projected \$211,000; UNDER BUDGET \$500)

This section falls slightly short of its budget.

Local- slight decrease in the actual library contribution by the County of Kings.

5 SALES OF SERVICE (budget \$1,112,700; projected \$1,113,300; **OVER BUDGET \$600**)

This section is expected to slightly exceed its budget.

- Recreation- Capital records \$ 600 which reflects reallocation of Recreation staff to capital works projects.
- 6 REVENUE-OWN SOURCES (budget \$1,248,200; projected \$1,257,800; OVER BUDGET \$9,600)

Own source revenue is projected to be over budget by 0.8%.

- Fines, Licenses and Permits will be **over budget \$ 100** due to a permit issued by Administration.
- Rentals- VIA Rail building exceeds budget by \$700, space is rented.
- Rentals- Calkin building exceeds budget by \$7,800 due to new tenant.
- Miscellaneous-Police exceeds budget by \$1,000 due to billing the province for transport of prisoners.

7 UNCONDITIONAL TRANSFERS (budget \$226,900; projected \$224,500; **UNDER BUDGET \$2,400**)

- NS Power Inc. (HST rebate) falls below budget by \$2,500.
- NS Power Grant also exceeds its budget by \$100.

8 CONDITIONAL TRANSFERS (budget \$141,200; projected \$147,900; OVER BUDGET \$6,700)

This section will be over budget by 4.7%.

- Recreation Nova Scotia cost shared in Recreation personnel attendance at a conference- \$700.
- Tourism Industry Association of Nova Scotia (TIANS) forwarded \$3,200 for expenditures at the Visitor Information Center.
- Kentville Police Service received funding from the Rotary Club for bike helmets-\$800.
- Valley Resource Waste Authority paid back funds released the prior year for management services- \$2,000.

24 FINANCING AND TRANSFERS (revenue portion) (budget \$252,800; projected \$252,800)

This section is projected to meet its budget.

EXPENDITURES

Overall, expenditures are projected to **exceed budget by \$49,900**. The Town Operating Fund is projecting **a current deficit of \$60,100**. The particulars are as follows:

9 LEGISLATIVE (budget \$248,000; projected \$248,000)

This sector is projecting to meet its budget.

10 GENERAL ADMINISTRATION (budget \$1,350,100; projected \$1,380,200; OVER BUDGET \$30,100)

This department is projected to end the year over budget by 2.2%.

- Remuneration will exceed budget \$29,500 due to changes in personnel.
- Office expenses will fall under budget by \$ 2,000. Advertising and promotion will exceed budget by \$1,100 due to the CAO search. Expenses-CAO will fall under budget \$3,000 for the same reason.
- Programmes exceeds budget \$2,600 due to an increase in Reduced taxes Section 69A (reductions due to loss by fire) offset by savings in Reduced taxes Section 71.

11 12 13 PROTECTIVE SERVICES (budget \$3,617,600; projected \$3,688,300; **OVER BUDGET \$70,700**)

Police Protection- core program is projecting to be over budget \$24,500.

- Office expenditures exceed budget by \$19,500 due to DNA testing and software maintenance. Under Other Administration purchases were made for bulk ammunition, a pistol and taser cartridges.
- Operations-vehicle will exceed budget by \$5,000 due to vehicles involved in traffic accidents.

Sales of Service- KPS

This section is projected to be under budget \$3,000.

• Remuneration will be under budget due to the reallocation of Back Check wages to other parts of the budget.

Law Enforcement

This section should meet its budget.

Fire Protection

This section is projected to meet its budget.

Protective services- Debt charge.

This section is projected to be slightly over budget by \$ 100, due to term loan interest.

Emergency Measures/Other Protection.

This section is projected to exceed its budget by \$49,100.

- Emergency measures- wages are projected over budget \$23,400 due to extra costs incurred re: Post Tropical storm Erin and Hurricane Dorian.
- Emergency measures- materials & supplies is projected to be over budget \$17,000 due to Post Tropical storm Erin and Hurricane Dorian.

14, 15 TRANSPORTATION SERVICES (budget \$2,087,200; projected \$2,105,600; **OVER BUDGET \$18,400**)

Transportation Services is projecting to end the year over budget 0.9%.

- Common Services is projecting savings of \$ 2,400. Remuneration/Benefits will be under budget by \$30,100, due to timing for the engineer's arrival. Office expenditures will exceed budget \$27,700 in total due legal expenses over budget \$30,000 and insurance exceeding budget by \$1,100.
- Road Transport is projecting to meet its budget.
- Public transit will exceed budget by \$20,800, due to Kings Transit Authority tabling its final 18/19 budget in September. Our budget figure fell short by \$3,400. KTA also forwarded our share of its 2018/19 deficit- \$17,400, after its year-end process was finalized.

16 ENVIRONMENTAL HEALTH SERVICES (budget \$701,400; projected \$701,400)

This section is projected to meet its budget.

17 PUBLIC HEALTH AND HOUSING (budget \$99,500; projected \$59,000; UNDER BUDGET \$40,500)

 This section is projected to end the year under budget, as accruals for the prior years exceeded the actual prior year's cost from the Province.

18, 19 ENVIRONMENTAL DEVELOPMENT (budget \$681,800; projected \$681,800)

Environmental Development expects to meet its budget.

20, 21, 22 RECREATION & CULTURAL (budget \$1,360,400; projected \$1,331,600; **UNDER BUDGET \$28,800**)

This department is projected to be under budget by 2.1%.

- Administration is projects exceeding budget by \$2,000. Office expense will be over budget in the Training account; however, there will some offset in revenue support.
- "Programmes" are projected under budget by \$14,000. Savings are found in Swimming Pool, Day Camp and Tennis offset by increases in Canada Cup program. As well, Council granted \$2,900 to the Kentville Wildcats, which placed the grant segment over budget.
 - "Other- Parks Division" will provide **savings of \$ 6,000** as the horticulturalist left early due to personal reasons.
- "Recreation Facilities" (overall) are projected **under budget by \$10,800.** Segments under budget include Swimming pool, Tennis Courts and Other parks.

23 EDUCATION (budget \$1,556,300; projected \$1,556,300)

This section is expected to meet its budget.

24 FINANCING AND TRANSFERS (expenditure portion) (budget \$1,562,700; projected \$1,562,700)

This section is expected to meet its budget.

Budget		% over
Amount	Projected	(under)
9 522 600	0 402 200	-0.3%
		0.0%
	•	0.0%
33,200	39,200	0.07
9 571 300	9 540 000	-0.3%
3,371,300	3,340,000	-0.57
392,600	399,700	1.8%
107,800	107,800	0.0%
500,400	507,500	1.4%
113,600	113,600	0.0%
97,900	97,400	-0.5%
211,500	211,000	-0.2%
1,112,700	1,113,300	0.1%
		0.2%
		2.0%
		0.0%
		0.0%
		2.4%
1,248,200	1,257,800	0.8%
226,900	224,500	-1.1%
141,200	147,900	4.7%
252.800	252.800	0.0%
252,800	252,800	0.0%
13.265.000	13,254.800	-0.1%
	107,800 500,400 113,600 97,900 211,500 1,112,700 42,300 419,000 115,000 630,000 41,900 1,248,200 226,900 141,200	8,500 39,200 39,200 39,200 - - 9,571,300 9,540,000 392,600 399,700 107,800 107,800 500,400 507,500 113,600 97,900 97,900 97,400 211,500 211,000 42,300 42,400 419,000 427,500 115,000 630,000 41,900 42,900 1,248,200 1,257,800 226,900 224,500 252,800 252,800 252,800 252,800

	Expenditures	Budget		% over
	Experiences	Amount	Projected	(under)
	GENERAL ADMINISTRATION			
9	Legislative	248,000	249 000	0.0
э 10	General Administration		248,000	
10	General Administration	1,350,100	1,380,200	2.2
	PROTECTIVE SERVICES	1,598,100	1,628,200	1.9
11	Police- Core program	2 241 500	2 200 000	1.0
	. 0	2,341,500	2,366,000	1.0
1-1	Police- Sales of service	148,300	145,300	-2.0
1-2	Law enforcement	229,500	229,500	0.0
12	Fire protection	760,200	760,200	0.0
13	Protective services- debt charge	21,200	21,300	0.9
13	Emergency measures & other	116,900	166,000	42.0
		3,617,600	3,688,300	2.0
	TRANSPORTATION SERVICES			
14	Common services	928,500	926,100	-0.3
15	Road transportation	782,300	782,300	0.0
15	Public transit	205,300	226,100	10.
15	Transport- debt charges	74,300	74,300	0.0
15	Other transportation	96,800	96,800	0.0
		2,087,200	2,105,600	0.9
	ENVIRONMENTAL HEALTH SERVICES			
16	Solid waste collection and recycling PUBLIC HEALTH	701,400	701,400	0.
17	Public health and housing	99,500	59,000	-40.
	ENVIRONMENTAL DEVELOPMENT			
18	Planning and zoning	239,500	239,500	0.
19	Other community development	442,300	442,300	0.
		681,800	681,800	0.
	RECREATION AND CULTURAL			
20	Recreation-Administration	480,700	482,700	0.
21	-Programmes & other	129,300	109,300	-15.
22	-Facilities	589,700	578,900	-1.
22	-Recration- Debt charges	31,800	31,800	0.
22	Cultural	128,900	128,900	0.
-		1,360,400	1,331,600	-2.
3	EDUCATION	1,556,300	1,556,300	0.
	FINANCING AND TRANSFERS			
4	Debt charges (principal)	974,200	974,200	0.
4	Transfers to allowances and reserves	588,500	588,500	0.
•		1,562,700	1,562,700	0.
	TOTAL EXPENDITURE	13,265,000	13,314,900	0.
	PROJECTED SURPLUS (DEFICIT)		(60,100)	-0.

Revenue	Budget	
Revenue	Amount	Projected
TAXES-ASSESSABLE PROPERTY		
Residential	5,950,100	5,938,400
Commercial property	2,147,600	2,110,500
Commercial-Industrial Park	693,700	712,100
Resource-Taxable assessments	43,700	42,800
Resource-Forest under 50,000 acres	100	100
	8,835,200	8,803,900
Fire Area Rate (KVFD)	161,900	161,900
Fire Protection Area Rate (Hydrant)	414,700	414,700
	576,600	576,600
Economic development levy	111,800	111,800
	9,523,600	9,492,300
TAXES-SPECIAL ASSESSMENTS		
Curb frontage	8,500	8,500
TAVES DUSINESS DECEMBER	8,500	8,500
TAXES-BUSINESS PROPERTY		
Based on revenue (Aliant)	38,700	38,700
Assessment Act- Farm property acreage	500	500
	39,200	39,200
TAXES-OTHER		
Change of use	-	
Deed transfer fee		•
	9,571,300	9,540,000

Revenue	Budget	
Kevenue	Amount	Projected
PAYMENTS IN LIEU OF TAXES		
Federal Government- R	392,600	399,700
Province		
Province- Research Station R	16,800	16,800
Province- River Street R	37,100	37,100
Province- Cornwallis Street R	2,700	2,700
Province- 77 Cornwallis Street R	51,200	51,200
	107,800	107,800
	500,400	507,500
OVER BUDGET (UNDER BUDGET)		7,100

Revenue	Budget	
	Amount	Projected
SERVICES PROVIDED TO OTHER GOVERNMENTS		
Provincial government		
Protective services-secondment	113,600	113,600
Local government		
Kings County- Recreation	38,000	38,000
Kings County- Transportation	19,900	19,900
Kings County-Cultural	40,000	39,500
	97,900	97,400
	211,500	211,000
		111,000
OVER BUDGET (UNDER BUDGET)		(500)

Revenue	Budget Amount	Projected
SALES OF SERVICES Own agencies and property owner		
General Administration	119,400	119,400
General Administration- Finance	37,900	37,900
Protection-Police	590,000	590,000
Public works- Administration	138,500	138,500
- Operations	24,000	24,000
- Water	115,000	115,000
- Sanitary Sewer	73,000	73,000
- Capital	9,000	9,000
- Street Sweeper	1,500	1,500
Recreation- capital		600
Recreation- sales	4,400	4,400
	1,112,700	1,113,300
OVER BUDGET (UNDER BUDGET)		600)

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Revenue	Amount	Projected
OTHER REVENUE-OWN SOURCES		
Fines, Licenses, Permits		
Administration		
Permits	100	200
Police		
Fines- Provincial Court	24,000	24,000
Law enforcement	- ,	_ ,,,,,
Licenses	5,600	5,600
Parking tickets	8,000	8,000
Emergency Measures		5,55
Animal licenses	1,700	1,700
Planning	2,7.00	5,7.5.
Permits	2,900	2,900
	42,300	42,400
Rentals		
Administration		
Town Hall	6,000	6,000
Cell Tower- Rogers	5,400	5,400
Cell Tower- Eastlink	5,000	5,000
Fransportation		•
Public Works building	6,000	6,000
Planning & Development	,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,	,
Rental-parking spaces	8,600	8,600
Rental- VIA Rail building	800	1,500
Rental- Calkin building	12,800	20,600
Rental-Lions Club building	5,600	5,600
Recreation		
Fields	20,000	20,000
Recreation Centre	10,000	10,000
Pool	1,000	1,000
Tennis courts	***	•
HUB building	300	300
Arena	337,500	337,500
	419,000	427,500
Interest	115,000	115,000
Return on investments	630,000	630,000
Neturn on investments	030,000	030,000
Miscellaneous-General	41,900	41,900
Miscellaneous-Police		1,000
Miscellaneous- Recreation	-	
	1,248,200	1,257,800
OVER BUDGET (UNDER BUDGET)		0.600
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Revenue	Budget		
Revenue	Amount	Projected	
UNCONDITIONAL TRANSFERS			
Province			
Department of Municipal Affairs			
Equalization	167,800	167,800	
NS Power Inc. (HST rebate)	51,000	48,500	
NS Power Inc. grant	8,100	8,200	
	226,900	224,500	
OVER BUDGET (UNDER BUDGET)		(2,400)	

Revenue	Budget Amount	Projected
CONDITIONAL TRANSFERS		
Federal		
Canada Summer Jobs	9,400	9,400
Seniors mentoring program	-	
	9,400	9,400
Province		
Province- Law enforcement	100,000	100,000
Province- Department of Justice		
Province- Efficiency Nova Scotia		
Province- SCEI		
Province- Recreation	25,000	25,000
Province- Thrive! After the Bell		
Province- Facility Access Program		
Other		
Recreation Nova Scotia		700
TIANS (re VIC)		3,200
Central Kings Community Health Board	2,600	2,600
Other- Recreation- Autism NS	4,200	4,200
Other- KPS		800
Valley Waste Resource Management		2,000
	131,800	138,500
	141,200	147,900
OVER BUDGET (UNDER BUDGET)		6,700

Expenditure	Budget Amount	Projected
LEGISLATIVE		
Mayor		
Remuneration	46,000	46,000
Expenses	10,000	10,000
Legislative benefits		
CPP	7,800	7,800
Group insurance	3,700	3,700
Council		
Remuneration	152,200	152,200
Expenses	6,300	5,900
Expenses- Andrew	5,000	5,400
Expenses- Bolland	3,000	3,000
Expenses- Gerrard	3,000	3,000
Expenses- Maxwell	3,000	3,000
Expenses- Pulsifer	3,000	3,000
Expenses- Savage	3,000	3,000
Other		
Other meeting expenditures	2,000	2,000
Election		
	248,000	248,000
OVER BUDGET (UNDER BUDGET)		

Expenditure	Budget Amount	Projected
GENERAL ADMINISTRATION Remuneration		
Full Time	531,500	561,000
Benefits 121-22-02X	103,400	103,400
Office Expenditures		
Legal and audit	22,200	22,200
Consulting	-	-
Advertising and promotion	5,400	6,500
Expenses- CAO	13,000	10,000
Convention and travel	7,000	6,000
Training	1,400	1,800
Dues and fees	7,200	7,200
Insurance	14,500	14,500
Postage	10,500	10,500
Stationery and office supplies	16,000	16,000
Communications	22,900	22,900
Equipment lease	4,000	4,000
External collection expenditure	100	600
Other administration	20,000	20,000
Bank charges	9,000	9,000
	153,200	151,200
Information Technology	-	
Administration	79,900	79,900
Operations	98,200	98,200
Special projects	23,000	23,000
js.	201,100	201,100

Expenditure	Budget Amount	Projected
GENERAL ADMINISTRATION		
Common Services (Buildings)		
Town Hall 121-25-0XX	96,400	96,400
Various building 121-2627-0XX	29,200	29,200
	125,600	125,600
Debt Charges		
Debenture interest	5,100	5,100
Term loan interest	-	
Debenture discount	5,700	5,700
1. 4.3 1.	10,800	10,800
Programmes		
Reduced taxes- Section 69/69A	13,000	16,200
Reduced taxes- Section 71	52,400	51,800
Grant - Kentville Legion	1,500	1,500
Assessment Services	90,400	90,400
	157,300	159,900
Valuation Allowances		
Accrued sick leave	65,000	65,000
Other doubtful A/R	2,200	2,200
	67,200	67,200
TOTAL GENERAL ADMINISTRATION	1,350,100	1,380,200
OVER BUDGET (UNDER BUDGET)		30,100

Expenditure	Budget	
expenditure	Amount	Projected
POLICE PROTECTION		
Remuneration		
Remuneration - Administration	341,600	341,600
Remuneration- Sergeant	387,000	387,000
Remuneration-Constable	782,200	782,200
"Stat" pay	33,000	
"M" time pay		33,000
	5,000	5,000
Overtime-Sergeant Overtime-Constable	8,000	8,000
Secondment Secondment	40,000	40,000
Secondment	99,100	99,100
	1,695,900	1,695,900
Benefits 122-12-02X	294,100	294,100
Internal allocation 122-13-010	4.28.50	
Office Evenenditures		
Office Expenditures		
Professional expenditure	500	
Honoraria-Commission	600	600
Meeting-Commission	3,500	3,500
Director's expenses	9,000	9,000
Inspector's expenses	1,000	1,000
Training	20,000	20,000
Auxiliary program	3,000	3,000
Insurance-liability/E&O	20,300	20,300
Office expense & supplies	12,000	18,000
Telephone	26,000	26,000
Equipment rental	4,000	4,000
Other expenditure	6,500	20,000
	105,900	125,400
Occupancy-Police Building		
Insurance	1,600	1,600
Heat	10,000	10,000
Electricity	16,000	16,000
Water/sewer	2,200	2,200
Maintenance- Other costs	35,000	35,000
Operations-Communication	64,800	64,800
Communications	44,100	44,100
Radio license	2,500	2,500
Maintenance		
wantendice	3,000	3,000
	49,600	49,600

Francisco	Budget	
Expenditure	Amount	Projected
Operations-Technology (122-16-148)	21,500	21,500
Operations-recimology (122-10-140)	21,300	21,500
Operations-Vehicle		
Insurance	5,800	5,800
Gasoline	28,000	28,000
Operations & maintenance	20,000	25,000
	53,800	58,800
Operations-Programmes		
Special projects	5,000	5,000
Crime prevention/community relations	3,500	3,500
Custody and detention of prisoners	47,400	47,400
	55,900	55,900
TOTAL POLICE PROTECTION	2,341,500	2,366,000
OVER BUDGET (UNDER BUDGET)		24,500
TOTAL POLICE PROTECTION (carried forward)	2,341,500	2,366,000
POLICE PROTECTION REVENUE		
Secondment- Province	113,600	113,600
Fines and fees- Province	24,000	24,000
Law enforcement- Province	100,000	100,000
TOTAL POLICE PROTECTION REVENUE	237,600	237,600
NET POLICE PROTECTION	2,103,900	2,128,400
SALES OF SERVICE EXPENSE		
Remuneration	78,000	78,000
Remuneration Part time	48,000	48,000
Benefits	22,300	22,300
Internal allocation	,	(3,000)
	148,300	145,300
NET SALES OF SERVICES		(3,000)
SALES OF SERVICE REVENUE		
Sales of service- Police	590,000	590,000
NET SALES OF SERVICES		(444,700)

Expenditure	Budget Amount	Projected
LAW ENFORCEMENT PROVINCIAL		
Transfers to Correctional Services	85,300	85,300
OTHER		
Prosecution	10,200	10,200
Legal	50,000	50,000
Other-Crossing guards	24,500	24,500
Parking enforcement officer	59,500	59,500
	144,200	144,200
TOTAL LAW ENFORCEMENT	229,500	229,500
OVER BUDGET (UNDER BUDGET)		
LAW ENFORCEMENT REVENUE		
Taxi Licenses	5,600	5,600
Parking Tickets	8,000	8,000
TOTAL LAW ENFORCEMENT REVENUE	13,600	13,600
NET LAW ENFORCEMENT	215,900	215,900

Expenditure	Budget	
	Amount	Projected
FIRE PROTECTION		
FIRE FIGHTING		
Transfer to KVFD- Area rate	161,900	161,900
Transfer to KVFD-Operating	183,600	183,600
TOTAL FIRE FIGHTING	345,500	345,500
SURPLUS (DEFICIT)		
WATER SUPPLY AND HYDRANTS		
Water supply & hydrants	414,700	414,700
SURPLUS (DEFICIT)		
TOTAL FIRE PROTECTION	760,200	760,200
OVER BUDGET (UNDER BUDGET)		

Expenditure	Budget	
Experiature	Amount	Projected
DEBT CHARGES, EMERGENCY MEASURES,AND OTHER P	ROTECTION	
DEBT CHARGES		
Debenture interest	21,200	21,200
Term loan interest		100
TOTAL DEBT CHARGES	21,200	21,300
OVER BUDGET (UNDER BUDGET)		100
EMERGENCY MEASURES		
Emergency measures organization	12,900	12,900
EMO Communications	1,000	1,000
Emergency control-wages	300	23,700
Emergency control-M & S	100	17,000
911 System	17,700	17,700
	32,000	72,300
OTHER PROTECTIVE SERVICES		
Animal control	12,000	12,000
Building inspection	32,900	33,700
Occupational Health & Safety	10,000	10,000
Fire inspection	30,000	38,000
	84,900	93,700
TOTAL EMERGENCY MEASURES AND OTHER	116 000	455 000
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OVER BUDGET (UNDER BUDGET)		49,100

Expenditure	Budget	
Experience .	Amount	Projected
TRANSPORTATION SERVICES		
COMMON SERVICES		
Remuneration		
Administrative	220,600	190,500
Work crew	485,800	485,800
Overtime- Administrative	32,000	32,000
Overtime- Work crew	80,000	80,000
	818,400	788,300
Benefits 123-12-02X	214,900	214,900
Internal allocation 123-13-010	(500,700)	(500,700
The first and another 123 13 010	(500,700)	(300,700
Office Expenditures		
Professional/engineering	5,000	35,000
Director's Expenditure	4,500	1,100
Training	9,000	9,000
Insurance-liability/ E & O	17,200	18,300
Office supplies	2,800	2,800
Telephone	7,000	7,000
Other administration	1,700	1,700
	47,200	74,900
Occupancy-Public Works building 123-15-0XX	39,200	39,200
Operations-Communications		
Communication	3,500	3,500
Operations-Vehicles and equipment		
Wages-repairs	60,000	60,000
Insurance	7,500	7,500
Lease of equipment	44,500	44,500
Gasoline/diesel	55,000	55,000
External equipment repairs	31,000	31,000
Equipment parts	75,000	75,000
Equipment supplies	25,000	25,000
Small tools and equipment	8,000	8,000
	306,000	306,000
TOTAL COMMON SERVICES	928,500	926,100
OVER BUDGET (UNDER BUDGET)		(2,400

Expenditure	Budget	
	Amount	Projected
ROAD TRANSPORT PROGRAMMES		
Street repairs	101,000	101,000
Sidewalk repairs	15,000	15,000
Storm sewer maintenance	80,000	80,000
Street cleaning	27,000	27,000
Snow and ice removal	295,000	295,000
Street lighting	155,000	155,000
Traffic services	58,800	58,800
Parking and other	50,500	50,500
TOTAL ROAD TRANSPORTATION	782,300	782,300
OVER BUDGET (UNDER BUDGET)		
PUBLIC TRANSIT		
Kings Transit Authority	190,400	211,200
Kings Point to Point	14,900	14,900
TOTAL PUBLIC TRANSIT	205,300	226,100
OVER BUDGET (UNDER BUDGET)		20,800
DEBT CHARGES	74,300	74,300
OVER BUDGET (UNDER BUDGET)		
OTHER TRANSPORTATION		
Outside work-property owner	25,000	25,000
Outside work-KWC	71,800	71,800
TOTAL OTHER TRANSPORT	96,800	96,800
OVER BUDGET (UNDER BUDGET)		

Expenditure	Budget	
Experiartare	Amount	Projected
ENVIRONMENTAL HEALTH SERVICES		
SEWAGE COLLECTION AND DISPOSAL		
Cost recovered by user fee based on		
consumption or contract.		
Separate statement for revenue and expenditures		
as only users of service pick up deficit or surplus.		
SOLID WASTE COLLECTION & DISPOSAL		
Collection	20.000	20.000
Wages	30,800	30,800
Tipping fees Material and supplies	6,200 2,000	6,200 2,000
iviateriai anu supplies	39,000	39,000
	33,000	35,000
Landfill		
Landfill contract-Kings Co.	8,000	8,000
Valley Waste Resource Management Authority	652,900	652,900
valiey vvaste Resource Management Authority	032,300	032,300
TOTAL GARBAGE AND WASTE COLLECTION	699,900	699,900
OTHER AIR POLLUTION		
Other air pollution	1,500	1,500
Other all polition	1,500	1,500
TOTAL	701,400	701,400
OVER BUDGET (UNDER BUDGET)	-	
OVER BODGET (ONDER BODGET)		

Expenditure	Budget Amount	Projected
PUBLIC HEALTH AND WELFARE		, cood
Provincial		
Housing		
Deficit of Housing Nova Scotia	90,000	49,500
OTHER PUBLIC HEALTH		
Chrysalis House	5,000	5,000
Kings Volunteer Resource Centre	1,000	1,000
Canadian Mental Health Association	1,000	1,000
Kings County Senior Safety Council	2,000	2,000
New Horizon's Seniors Club	500	500
	9,500	9,500
TOTAL PUBLIC HEALTH	99,500	59,000
OVER BUDGET (UNDER BUDGET)		(40,500
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Expenditure	Budget Amount	Projected
ENVIRONMENTAL DEVELOPMENT		
PLANNING AND ZONING		
Remuneration		
Administrative	179,500	179,500
Benefits 126-12-02X	25,700	25,700
Office Expenditures		
Legal	10,000	10,000
Committee honoraria	300	300
Committee meeting expenditure		
Advertising and promotion	1,000	1,000
Expenditures-Director	4,000	4,000
Training and development	2,000	2,000
Insurance	4,700	4,700
Office supplies	2,500	2,500
Telephone	2,500	2,500
Equipment lease	800	800
Research drafting, mapping and GIS	5,000	5,000
Registration legal documents	500	500
Miscellaneous	1,000	1,000
	34,300	34,300
TOTAL PLANNING AND ZONING	239,500	239,500
OVER BUDGET (UNDER BUDGET)		

Expenditure	Budget	
Experiment	Amount	Projected
ENVIRONMENTAL DEVELOPMENT		
COMMUNITY DEVELOPMENT		
Transfer to Valley REN	26,600	26,600
Transfer for economic development	86,700	86,700
Community economic development	2,000	4,300
Development studies	4,000	2,000
Survey costs	4,000	3,700
Kentville Futures & Lions Club operating costs	11,000	11,000
	21,000	21,000
	134,300	134,300
OVER BUDGET (UNDER BUDGET)		
NATURAL RESOURCES DEVELOPMENT		
Shade trees	6,500	6,500
DEBT CHARGES	43,200	43,200
OTHER ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT		
CED Office		
Remuneration & benefits	73,500	73,500
CED Office	8,000	8,000
	81,500	81,500
Tourism Tourism	50,900	50,900
Promotions		
Promotions	109,400	109,400
Other		
Apple Blossom Festival	16,500	16,500
TOTAL OTHER ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT	258,300	258,300

Expenditure	Budget	
Expenditure	Amount	Projected
RECREATION AND CULTURAL SERVICES		
ADMINISTRATION		
Remuneration	244 700	
Salaries	341,700	341,700
Benefits 127-12-02X	75,200	75,200
Internal allocation 127-13-010	(45,900)	(45,900
Office Expenditures		
Legal fees	4,000	4,000
Professional fees	1,000	1,000
Committee meeting expenditure	3,000	3,000
Promotion and publicity	4,500	4,500
Expenses-Director	6,500	6,500
Training	8,000	10,000
Insurance	8,100	8,100
Office supplies	4,000	4,000
Materials and supplies	2,000	2,000
Communication	12,000	12,000
Equipment lease	3,000	3,000
Other	7,000	7,000
	63,100	65,100
Vehicles and equipment		
Insurance	4,000	4,000
Lease of equipment	14,600	14,600
Gasoline	9,000	9,000
Operations and maintenance	19,000	19,000
	46,600	46,600
TOTAL ADMINISTRATION-RECREATION	480,700	482,700
TO THE ADMINISTRATION TRUITMENT TOWN	460,700	402,700
OVER BUDGET (UNDER BUDGET)		2,000

Expenditure	Budget Amount	Projected
RECREATION PROGRAMMES		
Grants 127-21-010	6,500	9,400
Swimming pool 127-22-0XX	20,500	15,000
Day camp 127-23-0XX	3,500	(2,500)
Tennis 127-24-0XX	800	400
Other programmes 127-25-0XX	10,000	10,000
Community events 127-26-0XX	12,000	12,000
Canada Cup event 127-26-XXX	5,000	5,500
Spike fund 127-28-0XX		<u>Continued</u>
TOTAL RECREATION PROGRAMMES	58,300	44,300
OTHER		
Parks division and trees 127-43-0XX	71,000	65,000
TOTAL OTHER RECREATION	129,300	109,300
OVER BUDGET (UNDER BUDGET)		(20,000)

Expenditure	Budget	
Experiulture	Amount	Projected
RECREATION FACILITIES		
Recreation centre 127-41-0XX	40,400	40,400
Swimming pool 127-42-0XX	19,800	15,000
Hub building 127-42-070	-	2
Tennis courts 127-45-0XX	2,000	1,000
Other facility maintenance 127-46-065	14,700	14,700
Kentville arena 127-52-XXX	344,200	344,200
Parks and playgrounds - general 127-61-0XX	78,100	78,100
Memorial Park 127-62-0XX	51,000	51,000
Oakdene Park 127-63-0XX	1,500	1,500
Other parks (Park Division Spaces) 127-65-0XX	30,000	25,000
Other playgrounds 127-67-0XX	3,000	3,000
Rail corridor maintenance 127-69-0XX	5,000	5,000
TOTAL RECREATION FACILITIES	589,700	578,900
OVER BUDGET (UNDER BUDGET)		(10,800
TOTAL DEBT CHARGES	31,800	31,800
OVER BUDGET (UNDER BUDGET)		
CULTURAL BUILDINGS AND FACILITIES		
Cultural		
Library - operations	86,900	86,900
Branch library 127-93-100	37,000	37,000
Grant-Kings Historical Society 127-91-071	2,000	2,000
Grant- Uncommon Common Art 127-92-072	1,500	1,500
Grant-Kentville Historical Society TOTAL CULTURAL	1,500 128,900	1,500 128,900
OVER BUDGET (UNDER BUDGET)		

Expenditure	Budget	
Lxperialtare	Amount	Projected
EDUCATION		
Appropriation to Regional School Board	1,556,300	1,556,300
TOTAL APPROPRIATION	1,556,300	1,556,300
OVER BUDGET (UNDER BUDGET)		

Expenditures	Budget Amount	Projected
FINANCING AND TRANSFERS		
PRINCIAL INSTALLMENT REQUIREMENTS		
Debenture principal	965,600	965,600
Temporary financing- principal	8,600 974,200	8,600 974,200
TRANSFERS TO OWN RESERVE FUNDS AND AGENCIES		
To Operating reserve	66,900	66,900
To Capital Reserve fund	483,100	483,100
	550,000	550,000
To Capital fund- from operations	38,500	38,500
Total transfers to other funds	588,500	588,500
TRANSFERS FROM OWN RESERVE FUNDS AND AGENCIES		
From Operating reserve	(245,500)	(245,500)
From Capital Reserve fund	(7,300)	(7,300)
	(252,800)	(252,800)
NET FINANCING AND TRANSFERS	1,309,900	1,309,900
OVER BUDGET (UNDER BUDGET)		

Town of Kentville – Planning Department

October 2019 Activity Report

Report to CAC – October 15, 2019



Programs and	11 Development Permits Issued.	Highlights
Operations	2 Subdivisions Applications	building Valuation
		of \$564,075, for a
	 Dangerous and Unsightly Premises -0. 	year total of \$18,777,861
	Zoning Certificates – 1	, ,
	Special Event Permit – 4	
	Vending Permit - 0	
Projects	 Glooscap curing club. No further update from the club has been received. 	
	 Former KCA Lands. Engineering drawings have been submitted for the underground infrastructure. Staff are waiting for a few revisions as a result of comments from public works and our consulting engineers. 	
	Green Parsons Developments have had their footings in, and stormwater plans have been signed off by the Town. Additional permits were issued for the main structures (2 of the 4 proposed apartment buildings). All parkland fees have been paid which is intended to be used for a trail from the site to the adjacent Kentville trail.	
	 Parkland – Staff continue to work with different developers to bring them into compliance with their parkland dedication requirement. 	
	Staff are still working with River Street landowners to acquire an easement	

	over their lands for the dyke/wall work that will be underway soon. • Various mapping and GIS support continues.
Public	Emails – ongoing
Engagement	Drop Ins – ongoing
Other	• NA
Meetings and Events	 Senior Admin meetings CAC Planning Department meeting Mitch Brison - Parkland Weekly Engineering meetings KCA Stormwater – Building Official Post-Storm/Hurricane meeting Privacy Lunch and Learn.

Activity Report

Planning & Development

September 2019



	PERMITS ISSUED SEPTEMBER 2019			TS ISSUED MBER 2018
PERMITS	MONTH TOTAL	YEAR TOTAL	MONTH TOTAL	YEAR TOTAL
Number of Permits	11	113	9	92
Total Building Value (\$)	564,075	18,777,861	475,900	4,945,450
Permit Revenue (\$)	773.31	23,954.15	1,229.16	9,748.52

Permits Report

Planning & Development

September 2019



Permit #: 3691 Permit Date: September 0	
Value of Construction: \$275.00	Fee: \$0.00
Sign – Blade Sign, measures 26" x 26"	

Permit #: 3692	Permit Date: September 05 / 19
Value of Construction: \$0.00	Fee: \$0.00
Change of Tenant – Office Space to Chinese Medicine Practice	

Permit #: 3693	Permit Date: September 05 / 19	
Value of Construction: \$20,000.00	Fee: \$89.39	
New Industrial Construction – 450.6 sq ft concrete pad for a propane storage tank		

Permit #: 3684 Permit Date: September 17	
Value of Construction: \$19,500.00	Fee: \$62.90
Renovations – Re-Shingling a roof	

Permit #: 3694	Permit Date: September 10 / 19
Value of Construction: \$200,000.00	Fee: \$363.15
Residential Addition and Renovations – 1,032.79 sq ft of residential space and 1,466.72 sq ft of accessory space being added to an existing single family dwelling, plus interior renovations.	

Permit #: 3695	Permit Date: September 17 / 19	
alue of Construction: \$0.00 Fee: \$0.00		
New Accessory Structure <215 sq ft – Installing a 8 ft x 8 ft (64 sq ft) shed in the rear of the property.		

Permit #: 3696	Permit Date: September 17 / 19
Value of Construction: \$4,800.00	Fee: \$0.00
New Accessory Structure <215 sq ft – Installing a 10 ft x 10 ft (100 sq ft) shed in the rear of the property.	

Permit #: 3697	Permit Date: September 17 / 19	
Value of Construction: \$9,000.00	Fee: \$39.80	
Renovations – New spray foam insulation and new siding on the west side of the building.		

Permit #: 3698	Permit Date: September 25 / 19
Value of Construction: \$2,500.00	Fee: \$0.00
New Accessory Structure <215 sq ft — Installing a 12 ft x 12 ft (144 sq ft) shed in the rear of the property.	

Permit #: 3699	Permit Date: September 25 / 19	
Value of Construction: \$1,000.00	Fee: \$0.00	
New Accessory Structure – Constructing a 6' fence along a back patio.		

Permit #: 3701	Permit Date: September 30 / 19	
Value of Construction: \$307,000.00	Fee: \$218.07	
New Residential Construction – New Single Family Dwelling, residential space is 1,641 sq ft and accessory space is 399 sq ft.		

Total Value of Construction:	\$564,075.00	Total Permit Fees:	\$773.31	
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Town of Kentville

Community & Economic Development

Report to CAC – October 16th, 2019

Submitted October 11th, 2019



Programs and Operations	 Fall marketing campaigns are ongoing – pumpkin people are making up the bulk of what is out there now, although our last "navigate" ad is running currently and wraps that program up for the year. Requests for "sponsoring" of fundraisers and special events through the purchase of advertising are up significantly this year and those types of advertising purchases have been suspended for the remainder of this fiscal in order to preserve the remaining budget for regular advertising campaigns.
Projects	 The landscaping work on the retaining wall around the new Gateway sign has been completed. The final work remaining at the Kentville Public Gardens site includes the installation of benches, lighting, and signage, and completion of the water feature. An official ribbon cutting ceremony will be scheduled later, perhaps postponed until spring, although we are talking with the recreation department about potentially hosting this year's torchlight parade in the garden. Stay tuned for details. A downtown signage project is now in the design phase. The signage plan will deal specifically with new, more welcoming, brand compliant signage for Centre Square and the new Public Garden space. Purchase and installation of the signs will happen in phases, some this year and some next year. We have asked the designers to include some options for banner poles as part of the package.
Tourism /events	 The VIC is closed for the season. A final report including stats will be presented for Council's review at the November meeting of CAC. Pumpkin People are now out in full and will be on display until October 27th. The CEDC and our Pumpkin Person team have met briefly about next year and is brainstorming ideas for increasing the presence of the Pumpkin People in the downtown area specifically.

Other	
Meetings	September 2019
and	
Events	4 – STORM
	4 – Joint Council and KBC Board special meeting
	5 – Canada Cup organizing committee
	6 – Potential Tenant showing Calkin Bldg.
	9 – Privacy Protection lunch n learn
	9 – Hurricane Dorian: team response recap
	9 – CAC
	10 – AVR Radio morning spot
	11 – STORM
	11 – Media Interview re: Pumpkin People
	17 – KBC Board
	18 – Regional Municipal EDO Quarterly Meeting – Valley REN
	18 – Special Projects Committee
	19 – Regional Marketing working group
	24 – AVR Radio morning spot
	25 – Special Council re: Land Sales
	25 – Downtown Decorating Party
	26 – Land Sales
	27 – Chief Rupert Davis Ceremony

Respectfully Submitted,

Lindsay Young, Community & Economic Development Coordinator

Town of Kentville Parks and Recreation Report to CAC for the month of September



Presented on October 15th, 2019 Presented by Rachel Bedingfield Director of Parks and Recreation

Facility	 ♀ The Kentville Centennial Arena is in full operation with the skating season well under way ♀ We are continuing to clean up after Dorian and ask that the public continue to use caution when enjoying our parks and trails. ♀ Trail work has been completed at Miners Marsh, with a few more small repairs still needing to be done. ♀ Work at Memorial park to repair the parking lot, ball fields, tree removal, trail work etc. is ongoing.
Programs and Operations	 ✓ We have partnered again with Autism Nova Scotia, this time to offer sensory skates at the arena. These skating times are purposeful in their design, including no music, designated space for users, a change in signage and lower lighting. ✓ Our piloted Forest School has begun and is running smoothly at the Gorge. This program is targeted at preschoolers and provides an opportunity for kids to explore nature and gain key skills that can help prepare them for school – and a healthy future begin comfortable in the outdoors. ✓ Interviews for the Active Living Community Coordinator position have been completed. Julia Stephenson's last day in the office was October 11th, Lydia Broderick will begin October 25th. We are excited to welcome Lydia to our team.
Capital Project Update	 Memorial Park Playground: We have been working to update the Memorial Pars Playground. You may have noticed several upgrades to this facility, including adding natural elements that promote creativity, but also improve accessibility. As we move forward with the Active Transportation Plan Implementation, we have purchased several new bike racks for both the parks and the Downtown. We hope to begin installing these out in the community in the Spring.
Public Engagement/	There were none for the month of September



Community Events	
Meetings and Events	 ♀ Kings County Recreation joint meeting ♀ Canada Cup ♀ Department Meetings ♀ Senior Administration Committee ♀ Inclusion and Access Committee ♀ Homeless No More Committee ♀ Privacy Awareness ♀ Storm Clean-up ϒ Kentville Ravine Advisory Committee ♀ RNS Session Planning ♀ Miners Marsh Promotional Video ♀ Kings County Arts Community
Council Related	The Kentville Active Transportation Plan recently won a Planning Excellence award under the category: Comprehensive Policies and Plans. We are thrilled to have been recognized by the Atlantic Planning Institute and are very grateful for the work of staff, our consultant Upland Consulting, and our community for providing feedback to this plan.

Town of Kentville

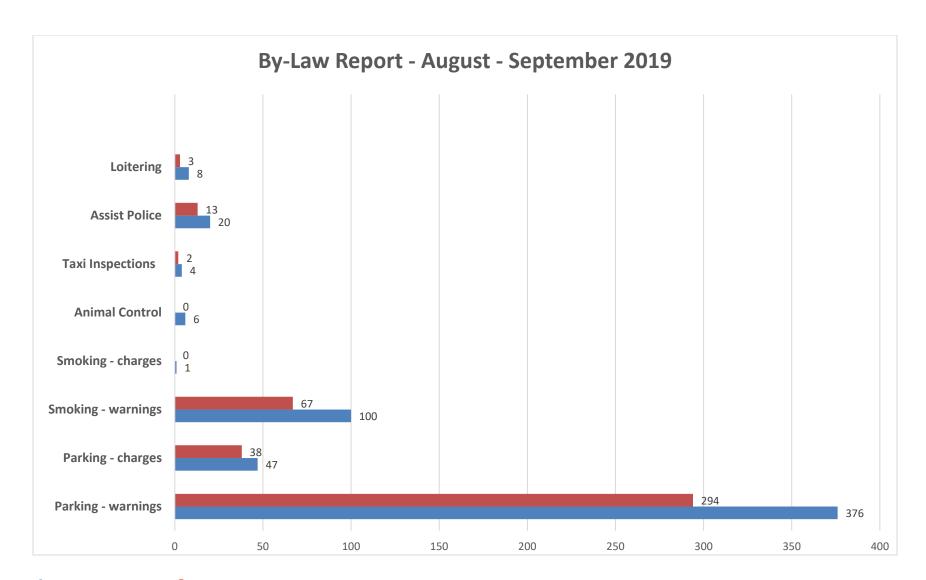
Office of the Chief of Police

Report to CAC – Oct 15, 2019

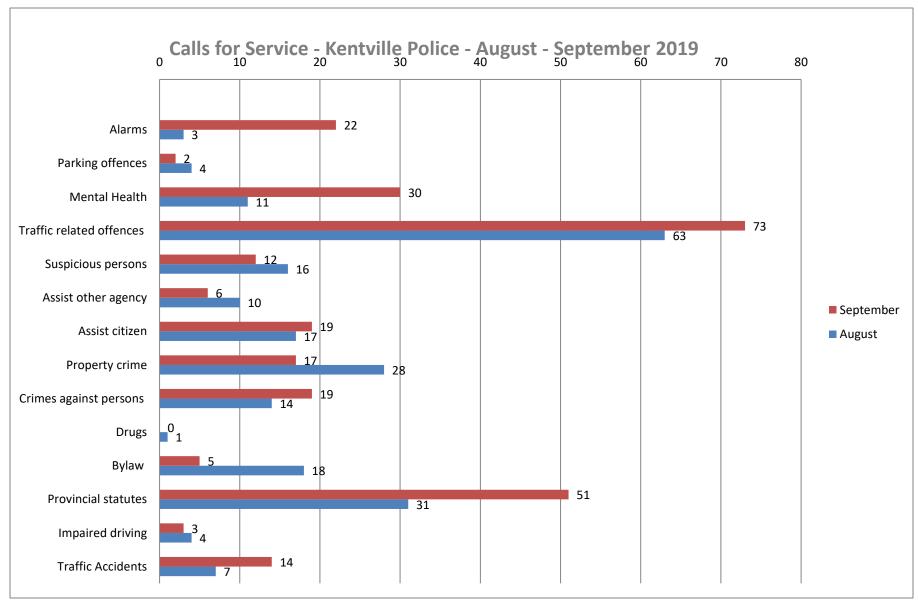


Administration	Time	August	Sept
	Auxiliary off.	115	106
	Training hours	0	150 +
	Veh. Cks 38's	186	164
	Warning tickets	51	28
	SOT Tickets	44	59
	Foot Patrol Hours	129	88
	CC Charges	22	36
	Calls for service	328	310
	 Firearms training ongoing through end of September and this week Cst Burke attended Major Crime Investigators course at CPC in Ottawa Cst Burke attended RCMP HQ for Human Trafficking course Oct 7 & 9th 		
Meetings/events	 Sept 13 – Small Town Chiefs meeting in Truro Sept 13 – teleconference with Deputy Justice minister re DV Sept 23 – teleconference call with DV committee Sept 23 – final meeting Rupert Davis committee Sept 24 – meeting with Deputy Justice minister in Halifax re DV Sept 26 – attended the Neuro-science of decision making Oct 3 – attended swearing in of Stellarton Chief Oct 9 – monthly meeting of Kings County Seniors Safety group 		
Notable			

	 Rupert Davis dedication went very well Lockdown drills at KCA and NSCC Compassion to Action trip – July 6-16th. Hosted the 2019 NSCPA & NSPGA conference
Staffing	Hiring 3-4 officers. Ongoing process – currently at the Polygraph stage



August Sept



August 328 September 310

Town of Kentville

Department of Engineering & Works



Report to CAC – October 2019

Submitted by: Debra Crowell, Acting CAO

Administration	 I'm very pleased to welcome the Town's engineer, Dave Bell, P.Eng. to his first CAC meeting. This is Dave's first day with us, and with Council's consent, I will give the monthly report on his behalf. Administrative demands for the department are being satisfied. Ongoing support is being provided to developers or other departments through a combo of in-house supports as well as consulting engineers. Demands of the department are being met. The contract for Street Work was awarded to Dexter. This includes the paving capital projects for 2019/20. Work will be completed by mid-October. A second tender for pipework closed September 20. Consulting engineers recommended Mid Valley Construction to complete this work. This work will take place throughout the fall. 	Highlights Pipework tender awarded to Mid Valley Construction.
Programs and Operations	 Public Works The department continues to support the various special events held in our community. Large Developments such as the Parsons Greenway at the east end of Town (across from the Research Station) continue. Enqore Developments / Former KCA Site – joint support from the Planning, Public Works Department and consulting engineers is being provided to ensure the project is suitably designed for the issuance of a development permit. 	Highlights

	 Kentville Water Commission The Water Utility is operating within the compliance standards. Sanitary Sewer Nothing to report at this time. 	
Projects	 Many 2019/20 Capital Projects are underway. River Street Dyke Work –On September 11, the Town met with individual River Street property owners regarding the impacts of the dyke on their properties. Subsequently, consulting engineers suggested a second option - a river wall, which would take less land to place and it fits within the project's budget. Approvals from upper levels were obtained early last week for the change from dyke to concrete river wall. The Planning Technician, consulting engineers, legal and myself have been working diligently to get this program started. The Town hopes to meet with property owners this week to explain the change and obtain their acceptance of the final option. Kentville Bridge update – On the north abutment, they are still in the formwork/rebar/concrete stage. On the south abutment, they are installing the cofferdam. Condon Avenue – Condon Avenue was affected by intense rain fall on both August 30 and on September 7 (Hurricane Dorian) which overloaded our designed storm system. We know that the Town, its staff and its infrastructure is not at fault as it relates to these events. Council awarded the tender to modernize the capacity of the system to Howard Little Excavating. This reconstruction will respond to the increased storm water flows due to the intensification of storms and the impacts of climate change. Construction should begin the week of October 7 and property owners have been informed of this fact. 	
Public Engagement	 Emails – all emails are being monitored and responded to Drop Ins – ongoing Letter correspondence – as needed 	Highlights

Other	 Phone calls/messages – as needed Ongoing meetings with consulting engineers regarding both current and future projects. 	Highlights
Meetings and Events	 Council related issues have been addressed through CAC or Town Council meetings. Daily meetings with the Public Works foreman 	Highlights



Council Advisory Committee

October 15, 2019

TO: Acting Chief Administrative Officer, Debra Crowell

SUBMITTED BY: Communications Team

DATE: October 15, 2019

SUBJECT: Monthly Communications Report

ORIGIN

This Communications Report includes

- 1. Summary of strategic support issues and challenges that the Strategic Operations Relating to Media team (STORM) is working on; and
- 2. Events and activities table showing the tools used to promote and share each item.

BACKGROUND

n/a

DISCUSSION

- Analytics from the website were collected from September 1 to September 30.
- The Kentville Pumpkin People and What's Happening (events) pages received the most hits on the website.
- Pageviews by city indicates that users in Kentville, Windsor, Wolfville and Montreal visited our site regularly.
- The Facebook Page continues to grow at around 100 new likes per month, with 6084 total number of Likes.

POLICY IMPLICATIONS

None

BUDGET IMPLICATION

None

ATTACHMENTS

1. Website analytics

RECOMMENDATION

None

Town of Kentville Monthly Report - September

Sep 1, 2019 - Sep 30, 2019



Pageviews

21,008% of Total: 100.00% (21,008)

Pages per Session

2.29Avg for View: **2.29** (**0.00%**)

Avg. Time on Page

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Pageviews by City





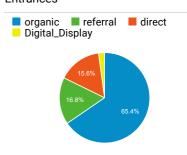
Pageviews and Unique Pageviews by Page Title

Page Title	Pageviews	Unique Pageviews
Welcome to the Town of Kentvill e, Nova Scotia	3,380	2,750
Kentville's Pumpkin People Festi val The Town of Kentville	1,575	1,403
Page not found The Town of K entville	1,521	1,285
What's Happening The Town of Kentville	1,286	979
Centennial Arena The Town of Kentville	691	536
Contact The Town of Kentville	675	520
Employment Opportunities The Town of Kentville	651	520
Departments The Town of Kent ville	550	393
News The Town of Kentville	489	386
Active Living Community Coordinator The Town of Kentville	425	371

Visits and % New Visits by Landing Page

Landing Page	Sessions	% New Sessions
1	2,583	66.43%
/signature-events/kentvilles-pum pkin-people-festival	1,199	79.82%
/parks-and-recreation/facilities/c entennial-arena	405	53.09%
/events	355	72.68%
/town-hall/employment-opportuni ties	319	56.74%
/town-hall/departments	261	61.30%
/public-safety/kentville-police-ser vice	223	70.85%
/contact	187	58.29%
/parks-and-recreation/parks/the- gorge	153	67.32%
/news	148	76.35%





Town of Kentville

Office of the Acting CAO

Report to CAC – October 2019



Administration	 Valley Waste Resource Management – Legal action has been initiated between the parties and Annapolis County. Kings Transit – Nothing to report at this time. Police Commission – Police Commission met October 4. Union Negotiations –The APA (Police) collective agreement remains outstanding. Articles associated with compensation have been offered to the Local equal to what was offered to CUPE. It is hopefully both parties will be able to return to the bargaining table before the end of the fiscal year. 	Highlights •
Projects and Programs	 Kentville Business Park – The Business Park continues to attract interest from businesses looking to relocate. Our commercial realtor and staff have revised the marketing approach which has supported the increased interest. Calkin Building – The building remains "for sale". With the security of having a second tenant at "market value" the interest in the building from buyers has intensified again. The new tenant Lilypond opened its doors a few days ago. It's a lovely shop! 	Highlights •
Public Engagement	 Emails- on going Drop Ins – on going Phone messages-on going Social Media – seasonally and topic related YouTube / Videos -CAC and Council post meeting video cliparts are being posted on the website to inform citizens of the meeting highlights. 	Highlights •

Other	• N/A	Highlights •
Meetings and Events	 September CAC Special Council meeting Sept 25 September Council Investment Advisory Committee meetings Weekly ABLE Engineering meetings Weekly senior manager's meetings Director of Engineering & Public Works selection process Hurricane Dorian-planning and response efforts (various meetings) Departmental meetings with former CAO and Department Heads Finance & Admin Committee meetings re: CAO search Meeting with River Street property owners re: River Street Dyke 	• Director of Engineering & Public Works selected!
Council Related	 project All regular Council related items have been accommodated at CAC, Council or Special Council Meetings. 	



Council Advisory Committee

October 15, 2019

TO: Acting Chief Administrative Officer, Debra Crowell

SUBMITTED BY: Jennifer West, Executive Assistant

DATE: October 15, 2019

SUBJECT: Town of Kentville Capital Projects – Update from Staff

ORIGIN

The Town of Kentville has more than 50 capital projects which are ongoing. The capital projects summary table is a reporting tool for monitoring the status and progress of each capital project.

BACKGROUND

n/a

DISCUSSION

n/a

POLICY IMPACTS

n/a

BUDGET IMPACTS

n/a

ATTACHMENTS

Capital Projects Status Table

RECOMMENDATION / NEXT STEPS

This summary table will be regularly updated and presented at Council Advisory Committee meetings.

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Category	Project	Budget (x1000)	Proj. End Date	Ownership	Planning Phase	Tender Phase	Award Phase	Construction Phase
Gas Tax	School Street	30						
Gas Tax	Park St. West	200						
Gas Tax	Sidewalk: Main	73.2						
Gas Tax	Sidewalk: Canaan	80						
Gas Tax	Bus. Park Ditching and storm sewer	55						
Gas Tax	Canoe launch	40						
Admin.	IT solutions	63.5						
Admin.	Staircase	25						
Protection	Marked car	48						
Protection	Speed signs	7.8						
Protection	Roof	42.7						
Protection	New server	10						
Transportati on	Equipment	134						
Transportati on	Ornamental Lights	25						
Transportati on	Public works building	15						
Transportati on	Streets (various)	300						
Transportati on	Parking: arena and Rockwells	20						
Transportati on	Bridge approach	97.5						

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Category	Project	Budget (x1000)	Proj. End Date	Ownership	Planning Phase	Tender Phase	Award Phase	Construction Phase
Transportati on	River st. dyke	175						
Transportati on	Storm sewer: Bridge	141.7						
Transportati on	Storm sewer: Shannex	50						
Planning	IT initiatives	15						
Economic Developme nt	Seasonal lights	7.5	12/2019					
Economic Developme nt	Downtown benches	5						
Economic Developme nt	Public garden	6.5						
Economic Developme nt	Gateway signs	25						
Economic Developme nt	Wayfinding	8						
Economic Developme nt	Calkin building: cooling	15	03/2020					
Recreation	Soccer nets	8						
Recreation	Station lane signage	5						
Recreation	Tennis hut	10	10/2019					
Recreation	Playgrounds	10	03/2020					
Recreation	Oakdene: Gazebo	16	11/2019					

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Category	Project	Budget (x1000)	Proj. End Date	Ownership	Planning Phase	Tender Phase	Award Phase	Construction Phase
Recreation	Memorial Park: Skatepark	200	Pending	NS Enviro.				
Recreation	Memorial Park: Fencing	8						
Recreation	Memorial Park: Playground	27						
Recreation	Memorial Park: Bike trail	11						
Recreation	Pool: Change room	69.6						
Recreation	Pool: Coating	30						
Recreation	Equipment: event trailer	10						
Recreation	Equipment: Digital Sign	40	03/2020	Sullivan Signs				
Recreation	Equipment: Ice resurfacer	160						
Recreation	Equipment: Bike racks	10						
Public Works*	Condon Ave Infrastructure	200	12/2020					

*New addition to the budget

NOTICE OF POLICY CHANGE KENTVILLE TOWN COUNCIL

TO: Acting CAO Crowell		DATE: October 1, 2019
SUBMITTED BY: Mayor Sandra Sno	w	
DEPARTMENT OR SERVICE AREA:		
☐ Governance or Legislative	☐ General Administration	□ Finance
□ Protective Services	☐ Planning and Developm	nent
□ Parks and Recreation	□ Public Works and Trans	sportation
POLICY TO BE ADDRESSED:		
Policy Statement Code of Conduct		
Created: December 14, 2005	Last Amended:	October 30, 2017

POLICY PURPOSE:

The purpose of this code is to establish guidelines for the ethical and inter-personal conduct of Members of Council.

BACKGROUND:

Dealing with breaches to the Code of Conduct has been the responsibility of the Mayor, regardless of the number or frequency of the breaches.

DISCUSSION:

When a member of council continues to breach the Code of Conduct, the issue should be escalated to Council, rather than remain the responsibility of the Mayor.

RECOMMENDATION:

Amend para 4.13.3 and add new paragraph 4.13.4 as per attached.

SUGGESTED LANGUAGE CHANGES:



ORIGINAL LANGUAGE

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AMMENDED LANGUAGE

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- 4.13.4 Members who continue to breach the Code of Conduct despite action initiated at para 4.13.3 will be publicly sanctioned by Council at a meeting of council.



Memo

To: Council Advisory Committee

From: Debra Crowell, A/CAO, Director of Finance

CC:

Date: October 11, 2019

Re: 19/20 Capital Project- River Street- Flood Mitigation

BACKGROUND

The 2019/2020 Town of Kentville Capital Budget under the Transportation Segment includes the project:

• Flood Mitigation- River Street

\$175.000

This project is part of the National Disaster Mitigation Program. This program will fund 50% of this project or \$87,500.

The remaining funding is scheduled as long-term borrowing. (TBRs approved at the September Council meeting.)

DISCUSSION

It is imperative that this project begin construction by the first of November or the window for building will close due to inclement weather. Should this happen, the Town will likely lose the funding from the National Disaster Mitigation Fund, as this project has already been carried over for 2 years. In September, the Town's consulting engineers, ABLE Engineering, provided the option of a river wall, which will be less intrusive to the back yards of the properties concerned.

Additionally, in order for the Town to react as quickly as possible, the Town's solicitor was asked to provide an **Agreement** for each of the property owners whose lands would be affected. The Agreement (duly authorized) will enable the Town and the successful contractor access to the lands in question to build the river wall.

The Town released the engineered drawing along with a copy of the draft Agreement to all property owners on October 9, 2019. A meeting will be held with property owners on October 16 at 7 pm to discuss the project with the hopes that the Agreements will be signed at that time. (Surveying and easements will take place after the wall is built.)

In order for the Town to react as quickly as possible, last week, the Town asked ABLE Engineering to tender the construction project, with a closing date of October 11, 2019.

Five tenders were received with prices varying from \$ 152,910 to over \$ 500,000. After analysis, ABLE Engineering recommends the tender is awarded to:

Howard Little Excavating Limited for a price of \$152,910 + HST.

Howard Little acknowledges that the award of the contract depends on the signing of the permission letters by the affected property owners.

RECOMMENDATION

Per the attached letter, ABLE Engineering recommends that the *River Street Disaster Mitigation project- River Wall* is awarded to **Howard Little Excavating Limited** for \$152,910 + HST, with the understanding that the award depends on the signing of permission letters by the affected property owners.

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Engineering Services Inc.

October 15, 2019

Town of Kentville 354 Main Street Kentville, NS B4N 1K6

Attn: Mrs. Debra Crowell, Acting CAO

TOWN OF KENTVILLE RIVER WALL PROJECT RE:

Dear Mrs. Crowell

We have reviewed the tenders for the above project and would recommend the low bidder, Howard Little Excavating Limited be awarded a unit price contract in the amount of \$152,910.40 plus HST.

I trust this is the information you require, but should you have any questions please contact me at 902-678-2774.

Yours truly,

A. W. Dewar, P. Eng.

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4. ITEI NO.		UNIT OF MEASURE	ESTIMATED QUANTITY	UNIT PRICE	TOTAL PRICE
1.0	River Street Dyke Extension Supply & installation of the following items including all excavation, bedding, pipe laying, backfill & compaction. All PATCH PAVING, and all else to complete the wor	rk			
1.	Concret Wall				
.1		in ft	460	136.05	108 583.00
.2	8" - 12" rock	tonnes	150	22.94	3441.00
2.	Storm Sewer				
.1	10" dia R320 HDPE outlet pipe	In ft	80	81.15	6492.00
.2	24" x 24" x 48" Catchbasin c/w S401 grates	ea	4	1491,10	5964,40
.3	Duck billed check valve (for R320 HPDE pipe)	ea	5	2294.00	11470.00
				TOTAL	135 950 40
2.0	PROVISIONAL				177,170.10
.1	Sika Greestreak Form Liner Pattern No. 440	sq ft	1840	6.50	11,960.00
				TOTAL	11,960.00
CON	TRACT SUMMARY				
1.0	River Street Dyke Extension				135,950.40
2.0	PROVISIONAL				11,960.00
	CONTINGENCY				\$5,000.00
			Subtotal		152,910,40
			15% HST		22,936,56
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