

THE CORPORATION OF THE TOWNSHIP OF PERTH SOUTH

BY-LAW NO. 8-2016

BEING a By-law to authorize the signing of an amendment of By-law 15-2012.

WHEREAS it is desirable to amend By-law 12-2012 being a by-law to establish a policy to govern the calling, place and proceedings of the Council & Committees of the Corporation of the Township of Perth South and to provide public notice of meetings;

NOW THEREFORE the Council of The Corporation of the Township of Perth South enacts the following amendments:

Section 2.23	Remove "Mayor" means the Head of Council who has been elected by general vote to represent the electors in the Township of Perth South.
Section 2.23	Replace "Mayor" means the Head of Council who is duly elected under the Municipal Elections Act by the general vote as the Head of Council; and will represent the Corporation of the Township of Perth South and in accordance with Sectin 225 of the Municipal Act, 2001 is the Chief Executive Officer of the Corporation of the Township of Perth South.
Section 4.3	Remove In any case for which provision is not made in these Rules and Regulations, the procedure to be followed shall be as near as may be that followed in Roberts Rules of Order (10 th Edition).
Section 4.3	Replace In any case for which provision is not made in these Rules and Regulations, the procedure to be followed shall be as near as may be that followed in the most current edition of Roberts Rules of Order.
Section 5.2	Remove 10:00 a.m.
Section 5.2	Replace 9:30 a.m.
Section 5.6 b)	Remove A meeting shall be closed to the public if the subject matter relates to the consideration of a request under the Municipal Freedom of Information and Protection of Privacy Act if the Council is designated as head of the institution for the purposes of that Act.

Section 5.6 b)	<p>Replace</p> <p>A meeting or part of a meeting shall be closed to the public if the subject matter being considered is,</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - a request under the <i>Municipal Freedom of Information and Protection of Privacy Act</i>, if the council, board, commission or other body is the head of an institution for the purposes of that Act; or - an ongoing investigation respecting the municipality, a local board or a municipally-controlled corporation by the Ombudsman appointed under the <i>Ombudsman Act</i>.
Sections 6.2 a), 6.3 a), and 16.2 b)	<p>Remove</p> <p>Forty-eight (48) hours</p>
Sections 6.2 a), 6.3 a), and 16.2 b)	<p>Replace</p> <p>Twenty-four (24) hours</p>
Section 8.6 r)	<p>Remove</p> <p>Township Councillors shall officially be addressed as Councillor and Mayor as Mayor.</p>
Section 8.6 r)	<p>Replace</p> <p>Township Councillors shall officially be addressed as Councillor, Deputy Mayor as Deputy Mayor, and Mayor as Mayor.</p>
Section 16.1	<p>Add-in to Agenda Template</p> <p>14. Public Question Period</p> <p><i>Inquiries during the question period shall be directed by the public to Council members and shall deal with matters specific to Agenda business. A maximum of two (2) minutes per person is allotted for questions, and the maximum time allotted for the Question Period as a whole is fifteen (15) minutes. Each inquiry made during the question period shall be recorded in the minutes and the minutes shall note whether the inquiry was answered or requires an answer at or before the next meeting.</i></p>
Section 23.5	<p>Remove</p> <p>Every Member of Council shall have one vote.</p>
Section 23.5	<p>Replace</p> <p>Every Member of Council present at a Council Meeting when a question is put, shall vote thereon, except where he/she is disqualified to vote by reason of a pecuniary interest or is absent from the Council Chamber or Meeting room where the question is put.</p>

Section 23.10	Remove Failure to vote by a qualified member shall be deemed to be a negative vote.
Section 23.10	Replace In accordance with Section 246 of the Municipal Act, 2001, a failure to vote by a member who is present at the meeting at the time of the vote and who is qualified to vote shall be deemed to be a negative vote.

NOW THEREFORE the Council of The Corporation of the Township of Perth South enacts as follows:

1. THAT the Mayor and the Clerk are hereby authorized and directed to execute on behalf of the Township of Perth South amendments to By-law 15-2012.
2. THAT this By-law shall come into force and take effect on the final passing thereof.

READ a FIRST and SECOND time this 1st day of March 2016.

READ a THIRD time and **FINALLY PASSED** this 1st day of March 2016.



 Mayor, Robert Wilhelm



 Clerk, Lizet Scott

