

## Council Decisions – October 17, 2023

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The following is a summary of actions and decisions from Council at its Regular Meeting held [October 17, 2023](#). A recording of the meetings can be viewed on the [Town's YouTube channel](#). If you have any questions or would like further explanation, please contact the Municipal Clerk at 705-567-9361 x.238 or email [clerk@tkl.ca](mailto:clerk@tkl.ca).

- Council approved the Terms of Reference for the Economic Development and Tourism Strategic Plan and directed the preparation of a Request for Proposal (RFP) to retain a consultancy firm to complete the Plan.

Those interested in additional information or wish to see the Terms of Reference for the Economic Development and Tourism Strategic Plan can view the detailed [Report](#) (Item 6.1 on the Regular Meeting Agenda).

- Council received a Revised Town of Kirkland Lake 10-Year Road Reconstruction Plan.

Those interested in viewing the [Revised Plan](#) and additional details on the rationale behind the revisions may view the detailed [Report](#) (Item 6.2 on the Regular Meeting Agenda).

- Council received information surrounding the legislative reform and the impacts to the local Police Services Board; acknowledged their composition on the future board and authorized a Third Amending Agreement for the provision of Police Services under Section 10 of the *Police Services Act* expiring on December 31, 2024 or upon the regulations under the new *Community Safety Policing Act* taking effect.

Those interested in additional details and timelines associated with this reform can view the detailed [Report](#) (Item 6.3 on the Regular Meeting Agenda).

- Council approved the updated [Terms of Reference](#) for the Teck Pioneer Residence Committee of Management.
- Council approved a Parade Permit for the Kirkland Lake District Chamber of Commerce to hold their annual Santa Claus Parade on Saturday November 25, 2023.
- Council approved their 2024 [Council](#) & Committee of Council Regular Meeting Schedules.
- Council supported the Northern Ontario School of Medicine University (NOSM U) in seeking a permanent increase in annual based funding of \$4,000,000.00 by year's end to sufficiently accommodate growth and expansion in response to the needs of Northern municipalities.
- Councillor Shaba brought notice of a Motion regarding Kirkland Lake Drive Center Hours of Operation to be considered by Council on November 7, 2023.
- Councillor Owen brought notice of a Motion regarding Traffic Calming to be considered by Council on November 7, 2023.
- Council directed that a report containing amendments to Council's Procedural By-Law be presented by year's end.