

Council Decisions – March 27, April 2 & April 4, 2024

The following is a summary of actions and decisions from Council at its Special Meeting held [March 27, 2024](#), its Regular Meeting held [April 2, 2024](#), and its Public Meetings held on April 4, 2024. A recording of these 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 Ext.238 or email clerk@tkl.ca.

NOTE: all Reports are available for viewing within the corresponding meeting Agendas.

March 27, 2024

- Council received 2024 Budget Presentations.

Note: All presentations and all up-to-date info on this year's Budget is available for viewing at www.kirklandlake.ca/2024 Budget.

April 2, 2024

- Council approved minutes in relation to their regular meeting held March 19, 2024 and special meeting held March 27, 2024, and those as presented by Local/Regional Boards.
- Council deferred discussions on the Proposed Video Surveillance Policy to the April 16, 2024 Regular Meeting.
- Council approved the [Customer Code of Conduct Policy](#).

Note: Public education and marketing of this policy will be taking place in the month of April. Watch for posts on the Town's Facebook page, messaging in the daily TKL radio broadcasts on CJKL, and the [Municipal Update](#).

- Council received a public report on the ONA Local 215 Collective Agreement for 2023-2025 and passed an execution [by-law](#) authorizing the signing of the Collective Agreement.
- Council received a report on [Retail Business Holiday Exemption By-Law](#) and directed that a [Public Meeting](#) be held on April 16, 2024 at 4:40 PM.

Note: Those interested in participating at the Public Meeting virtually must contact the Municipal Clerk to obtain meeting credentials.

- Council received the Town's [2024 Corporate Business Plan](#).
- Council resolved for the Town to develop a Letter of Understanding with Beaverhouse First Nation as a commitment to reviewing and strengthening the community-to-community relationship.
- Council resolved to petition the province to implement standardized provincial policy to restrict the possession/breeding/use of exotic wild animals, and license zoos, for the safety of citizens and the exotic wild animal population.
- Councillor Kiely withdrew his Motion entitled "Communication Process with Integrity Commissioner".
- Council passed the updating [by-law](#) on the 2024 Council Remuneration.
- Mayor Wight brought notice of a Motion for the "Return to Combined OGRA & ROMA Conference" to be considered on April 16, 2024.
- Council approved a Memorandum of Settlement between The Corporation of The Town of Kirkland Lake and the International Association of Firefighters Local 573 covering the period of January 1, 2024 to December 31, 2026.

April 4, 2024

- Council hosted Public Meetings on the 2024 Budget, Supplemental 2024 Water and Wastewater Rates, and Proposed 2024 User Fees and Charges. All proposed by-laws in relation to these public meetings will be presented for three readings at the Special Meeting being held on Thursday, April 25, 2024 at 4:40 PM.