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Special Meeting with Council September 11, 2017

Members Present:

Councillors: Zoe Doucet
 Hilda Green
 Charlie Reid
 David Reid
 Mark Sheppard

Also Present: Town Clerk: Suzanne Coates

Town Clerk Coates called the meeting to order 7:04 pm.

Meeting:

The purpose of the meeting was to swear in new Councillors which were acclaimed on August 29, 2017 and to fill the positions of Mayor and Deputy Mayor.

Town Clerk proceeded to swear in Councillors.

Election of Mayor:

Clerk Coates called for Nominations for position of Mayor. It was proposed by Councilor David Reid and seconded by Councilor Hilda Green that Mark Sheppard be nominated for Mayor. Councilor Sheppard accepted the nomination. Clerk called for further nominations from the Floor. Clerk called for Final Nomination from the Floor. No further nominations. Clerk declared Nominations cease. Councilor Mark Sheppard declared Mayor.

Election of Deputy Mayor:

Motion #17 142—H. Green

Clerk Coates called for Nominations for position of Deputy Mayor. Councilor Green nominated Councilor Charlie Reid. Councilor Reid declined. No Secunder

Motion #17 143—M. Sheppard/H. Green

Mayor Sheppard nominated Councilor David Reid, Councilor Green seconded the nomination. Councilor David Reid accepted the nomination.

Clerk called for further nominations for the position of Deputy Mayor.

Motion #17 144—C. Reid/D. Reid

Councilor Charlie Reid nominated Councilor Doucet. Councilor David Reid seconded the nomination. Councilor Doucet accepted the nomination.

Clerk called for third and final nomination for position of Deputy Mayor. No further nominations, Clerk declared nominations cease.

Election was held by secret ballot. Councilor David Reid received 3 votes, Councilor Zoe Doucet received 2 votes. Clerk declared Councilor David Reid elected as Deputy Mayor.

Clerk to contact MNL to obtain Chain of Office.

There being no further business, it was proposed by Councilor Hilda Green and seconded by Deputy Mayor David Reid that meeting adjourn. All in favour. Carried.

ADJOURNMENT: Meeting adjourned at 7:28 pm.

Mayor

Mark Sheppard

Town Clerk

Suzanne Coates