



CORPORATION OF THE TOWNSHIP OF TEHKUMMAH

Special Council Meeting MINUTES

Monday, November 24, 2025
3:00 P.M.

PRESENT:

Mayor John Deforge
Deputy Mayor Steve Wood
Councillor Perry Chatwell
Councillor Lorie Leeson
Councillor Mike McKenzie
Designated meeting clerk Susan Hart

1. Call to Order
Meeting opened at 3:10 pm with the Mayor presiding as Chair
2. Approval of Agenda
Resolution No.: 2025-209
Moved by Steve Wood and seconded by Mike McKenzie
BE IT RESOLVED THAT the agenda be adopted as prepared by E4m.

CARRIED

3. Declarations of Disqualifying Interest (Pecuniary) None
4. Special Business
 - a. Lease Agreement – Sand Dome
Resolution No.: 2025-210
Moved by Perry Chatwell and seconded by Lorie Leeson
BE IT RESOLVED THAT Council for the Corporation of the Township of Tehkummah does hereby authorize the entering into a Lease Agreement with IO for the use of the building on the Sand Dome property.

CARRIED

- b. Manitoulin Planning Board
Resolution No.: 2025-211
Moved by Mike McKenzie and seconded by Lorie Leeson
BE IT RESOLVED THAT Council for the Corporation of the Township of Tehkummah does hereby support the severance application of Lloyd and Clara Albrecht for the purposes of establishing a community school.

CARRIED

- c. Volunteer Firefighter Appointment
Resolution No.: 2025-196
Moved by Mike McKenzie and seconded by Perry Chatwell
BE IT RESOLVED THAT Council for the Township of Tehkummah hereby appoints Michael Cree as a Volunteer Firefighter with the Tehkummah Fire Department, effective November 4, 2025, subject to the policies and procedures of the Township and the Fire Department.

Date amended to November 24, 2025 and
CARRIED

- d. TD Friends of the Environment Grant
Resolution No.: 2025-212
Moved by Lorie Leeson and seconded by Steve Wood
That Council approves acceptance of the TD Friends of the Environment grant (\$5,650.) and further, that Council directs Public Works (Roads) to remove the remaining playground equipment this Fall to ready the space for Spring.

CARRIED

- e. Manitoulin Student Aid – Request for Donation
Resolution No.: 2025-192
Moved by Steve Wood and seconded by Mike McKenzie
BE IT RESOLVED THAT Council hereby donates \$300.00 to the Manitoulin Student Aid Fund in support of the 56th Annual Awards Night.

CARRIED

- f. Manitoulin Family Resources Christmas Basket Campaign
Resolution No.: 2025-213
Moved by Mike McKenzie and seconded by Steve Wood
BE IT RESOLVED THAT Council hereby donates \$500.00 to Manitoulin Family Resources in support of their Christmas Basket Campaign.

CARRIED

5. Adjournment

The meeting adjourned at 3:39 pm

ORIGINAL SIGNED AND ON FILE IN THE OFFICE

CHAIR: Mayor John Deforge

Designated meeting clerk Susan Hart

In Attendance:

Jeff Wilson, Fire Chief

Andrew Wood, Roads Superintendent

Josh Young, E4M Consultant