



Staff Report

Report To: Council Meeting

From: Terri Towstiuc, Clerk

Date: 2023-06-22

Subject: Appoint Deputy Mayor for the Remainder of the 2022-2026 Term of Council

Recommendation:

That the Council of the Municipality of West Elgin receives the report from Terri Towstiuc, Clerk re: Filling the Vacancy of the Office of Deputy Mayor; and

That the Council of the Municipality of West Elgin consider the by-law to appoint Councillor Tellier to the office of Deputy-Mayor, for the remainder of the 2022-2026 Term of Council, as presented in the by-law portion of the June 22, 2023, Council Agenda

That Council of the Municipality of West Elgin direct the Clerk to provide a report to declare the seat of Councillor vacant at the next regular meeting of Council, in accordance with 262 (1) of the *Municipal Act, 2001*; and

That Council of the Municipality of West Elgin direct the Clerk to provide a report detailing options to fill the vacancy of the seat of Councillor for the remainder of the 2022-2026 Term of Council.

Purpose:

The purpose of this report is to appoint the Office of Deputy Mayor for the Council of the Municipality of West Elgin.

Background:

Council declared the Office of the Deputy Mayor vacant at their May 25th, 2023, meeting by by-law. Council was required to decide within 60 days of declaring vacancy for the appointment of a Deputy Mayor.

At the Regular Meeting of Council of June 8, 2023, Council decided to proceed with the option to appoint an already sitting member of Council into the Office of the Deputy Mayor once the seat has been declared vacant.

Council briefly discussed, with Councillor Tellier offering interest in the Office of Deputy Mayor, with no objections from the other members of Council.

Financial Implications

None

Policies/Legislation

Municipal Act, 2001

Respectfully submitted by
Terri Towstiuc, Clerk