



COUNCIL NEWS

Recap of decisions by the Municipal Council at the regular meeting of February 8, 2016.

URBAN PLANNING BY-LAW

The Council adopted the following by-law: By-law 801–21, amending the zoning by-law in order to modify some regulatory standards pertaining to sandwich boards, as well as the 0-20 flood zone, automobile shelters and residential pool filters.

With regards the sandwich boards, the modification to the zoning by-law comes in the wake of the successful pilot project introduced on Grande-Côte Road in 2013, allowing the use of movable A-frame signs or “sandwich boards”. Merchants on Grande-Côte Road will be allowed to install this type of sign near their entrance.

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The Town supported measures taken by the Thérèse-De Blainville RCM regarding the “P’tit train du Nord” linear park. RCM members of the “Corporation du parc linéaire Le P’tit train du Nord” (linear park corporation) agreed to a new management model for the infrastructure’s maintenance and development. This agreement calls for them to share responsibility for the management of the trail. As a result, each

RCM will assume responsibility for the section of the course that runs through its territory.

FINANCE

The Council awarded a mandate valued at approximately \$1,094,557 (taxes extra) to the firm Évimbec for real estate evaluations from 2016 to 2019.

TECHNICAL SERVICES, PUBLIC WORKS AND PUBLIC HYGIENE

A contract valued at approximately \$101,030 (plus taxes) for arboricultural work involving ash trees was awarded to the lowest compliant bidder, i.e. Service d’arbres Nature inc., for 2016.

COMMUNITY SERVICES

The following grants were awarded:

- \$400 to the Thérèse-De Blainville RCM’s round table on senior citizens, for the recognition activity of April 13, 2016.
- \$1,500 to Rosemère Memorial Scouting.
- \$1,000 to the Corsaire-Chaparral track and field club.
- \$500 to the Société d’histoire et de généalogie des Mille-Îles (history and genealogy society).

The Council authorized an agreement with Mélanie Poirier, as well as payment of a flat fee of \$10,000 for the Rosemère Contemporary Arts Festival to be held June 2, 3, and 4, 2016.