



County Council Review

December 2004

Highlights

- Warden Bob Sweet acclaimed for second term as Warden
- Director of Public Works & Engineering Ken Becking resigns
- County announces 10 Year Infrastructure Plan financed by a grant through Community Futures Development Corporation
- Emergency Services Deputy-Chief of Quality Programs Leslie Wirth appointed as new Emergency Management Coordinator
- County of Renfrew begins extensive Septage Study financed in large part by a grant through Community Futures Development Corporation
- County passes a resolution calling on the Provincial Minister of Finance work with the AMO to undertake a thorough review of provincial-municipal cost sharing and service responsibility arrangements in 2005 with a view to addressing the fundamental problems of the current provincial-municipal LSR-based system; and CRF funding should be provided at 2004 levels for 2005 with reconciliation at then end of 2005

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Council Communiqué

Highlights of Warden's Address

- Establish a new Special Projects Committee to examine issues such as septage, trails and Crown lands
- Deliver a budget that does not pose great inconvenience on the taxpayers
- Support of OSTAR grant to help deliver 400 fulltime jobs to the County of Renfrew
- Work with Eastern Ontario Wardens' Caucus to deliver \$10 million from the Federal Government for economic development

Resolutions

- THAT an application for funding be made for the rehabilitation of the Burnstown, Stewartville and Claybank Bridges under the first round of the Canada Ontario Municipal Rural Infrastructure Fund program
- THAT a by-law be passed to authorize the Warden and Clerk to execute the agreement with the Ministry of Health and Long Term Care for the provision of Fire Communications Services
- THAT a by-law be passed to delete County Road 59, Herrick Drive, from the County Road system and transfer it to the municipalities in which it resides
- THAT County Council pass a by-law, being a "By-law to license auctioneers" to replace By-law 24-96 which expires on December 31, 2004