



COUNCIL HIGHLIGHTS



June 2024

Highlights from the Regular Meeting of Council held on Monday, June 24, 2024

Public Hearing

Two Public Hearings were held during the Regular Meeting of Council.

The first being in regard to Bylaw 06/2024, the Borrowing Bylaw. The City is seeking borrowing to fund a portion of the Wastewater Treatment Facility and the required upgrades to Lift Stations 1 & 4. No written submissions were received and no one was in attendance to speak to this issue.

The second Public Hearing was held in regard to a Discretionary Use application to operate a Storage Compound/Facility at 1203 5th Ave. There were no written submissions received and no one was in attendance to speak to the issue.

New Business

Appointments to Boards and Committees

The City of Humboldt has the authority over a number of boards and committees which require a resolution for the approval of its appointees. Council approved the following appointments:

Broncos Memorial Committee

- Laurie Warford - Member at Large

Pest Control Officer

- Murray Knackstedt

South Sector Storm Water Concept Update:

Potential development activities on the south side recently have prompted the refinement of storm water concepts from 2022, as they directly impact the functionality of the storm system in that area. This refinement will better focus on the land needed and costs associated with the improvements for the city and developers.

The City is working with Allied Infrastructure to analyze and model to ensure the systems function during heavy rainfall events. The consulting work is estimated to take 4 weeks.

PROCLAMATIONS

Canadian Comic Book Week: June 23-29, 2024:

Deputy Mayor Kelly Herperger has proclaimed June 23rd to 29th as "Canadian Comic Book Week" in the City of Humboldt.

By proclaiming Canadian Comic Book Week, the City of Humboldt recognizes that reading comics is an amazing form of entertainment for young and old alike and can be used as a teaching tool in literacy and arts. The proclamation also acknowledges the Boldt Con (formerly known as Comic Con) event on Saturday, June 29, 2024 during the Humboldt Summer Sizzler Fair in the Humboldt Uniplex featuring a large range of pop culture and entertainment elements across virtually all genres.



Bylaws

Council passed Bylaw 06/2024, 2024 Wastewater Treatment Facility Borrowing Bylaw, which allows for the borrowing of money for the remaining amount of the Wastewater Treatment Facility & upgrades to Lift Stations 1 & 4.

As per the Cities Act, Section 134, generally, a City may only borrow money if the borrowing is authorized by bylaw. The bylaw must contain the amount of money being borrowed, the purpose for which the money is being borrowed, the rate of interest and how it is calculated, the term and terms of repayment. The authorized amount being borrowed is \$12,000,000 at the rate of 5.41% to be used during the construction phase of the project.

Public Acknowledgments

Councillor Nordick acknowledged Leo & Lorena Taquiqui for organizing the 3rd Annual Humboldt Music & Food Festival. It was a tremendous event that brought in a lot of people. This event continues to expand by diversifying the food, culture and entertainment that it provides. Very well done and looking forward to next year!

Councillor Muench acknowledged the Living Skies Music Festival that took place on June 15th. Thank you to Tarrell Sterner with 306 Event Management for bringing this event to our community. Feedback from this event was very positive and the organizer is motivated to bring it back to Humboldt next year. It also benefited many local community groups in regard to fundraising, along with getting everyone together to help make the event go smoothly.

Councillor Jorgenson acknowledged Discovery Ford for their hard work and success with the 2nd Annual Professional Bull Riding event which took place on June 14th. This event also brought together local community groups in regard to fundraising and volunteering. This, followed by the music festival, made for an exciting weekend in Humboldt!

Councillor Jorgensen also acknowledged the Bill Brecht Park Community. They recently installed more exciting upgrades to the Bill Brecht Park. Councillor Jorgensen encourages everyone to check out the new upgrades. This is a great example of a successful community partnership. Congratulations to the Bill Brecht Park Community on the expansion!



Wednesday June 26

5:30 - 8:00 pm Kick Off Concert 'Lady Friday' - Arts Humboldt @ Civic Park

Thursday June 27

3:00 - 10:00 pm Canuck Amusement's MIDWAY @ the Uniplex Grounds

Friday June 28

3:00 - 7:00 pm Petting Zoo - Houligan Acres @ the Uniplex Grounds

3:00 - 10:00 pm Canuck Amusement's MIDWAY @ the Uniplex Grounds

Saturday June 29

8:00 - 9:30 am Pancake Breakfast - Soup Kitchen @ Civic Park

9:30 am Summer Sizzler Parade HDCC Route - Post Office to Uniplex

Following Parade Oh Canada, Cupcakes, & Speeches @ the Uniplex Grounds

11:00 - 4:00 pm HDCC Concession - Soup Kitchen @ Civic Park

12:00 - 6:00 pm The Boldt Con - Humboldt's Comic Con @ the Uniplex Convention Centre

12:00 - 10:00 pm Canuck Amusement's MIDWAY @ the Uniplex Grounds

Dusk Firework Show @ the Uniplex Grounds



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Next City Council Meeting:
 Monday, July 29, 2024 at 5:30 p.m.



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