

Financial Services Committee Monday, November 17, 2025 @ 7 p.m. Council Chambers/YouTube Streaming

Financial Services Agenda

- 1. Call to Order
- 2. Land Acknowledgement
- 3. Approval of Agenda
- 4. Emergency Resolutions (Majority Consent Required)

5. Errors and Omissions/Corrections to Minutes:

5.1 October 20th, 2025

6. Correspondence

- 6.1 Thank You from Karma Closet for support of NRHS Greenhouse Project.
- 6.2 Thank You from NNEC for grant for food programs.

7. Reports Not Requiring a Motion

- 7.1 Communications
- 7.2 Recreation
- 7.3 Warden's Report
- 7.4 Internet Report
- 7.5 Audit Committee Report Clr. Wadden
- 7.6 PARL Report Clr. Wadden
- 7.7 Healthy Pictou County Report
- 7.8 Tax Receivable Report
- 7.9 Deed Transfer Tax Report

8. Reports Requiring a Motion

- 8.1 Accounts Paid October 2025
- 8.2 Internet Accounts Paid October 2025

9. Business Items or Items Requiring Action

9.1 Tax Write Off: 589 John Munroe Road

Action: The Antigonish Sno- Dogs Snowmobile Association (#10779278) were approved

to listed under Schedule A of Tax Exemption Policy during the October Council meeting. They have 136.29 in taxes owing that need to be written off.

9.2 MOPC Branding - Clr. Turner

Action: Clr. Turner has asked for a discussion on whether the MOPC focus on branding when it comes to the services it offers as well as any correspondence that comes from the municipality.

9.3 Request for Rob Wolf to Present to Council - Clr. Wadden

Action: Clr. Wadden is requesting that Rob Wolf, manager of Special Programs with Access Wellness NS with Telus Health, come to a committee of the whole meeting to do a presentation on mental wellness for elected officials. He recently presented at the NSFM Conference.

9.4 Request to issue receipts for Dreamery Gardens Project - Clr. Baillie

Action: Clr. Baillie is asking the Finance Committee to allow the MOPC to accept donations and issue receipts on behalf of the Dreamery Gardens Project in this district. Its owner Sheree Fitch will be making a presentation to Council about the project on Dec. 1st.

9.5 MOPC Community Hall Internet Program Application

Action: The Melville-Seafoam Community Hall is requesting free internet service from the MOPC under its Community Hall Internet Program. A staff recommendation is included in the package.

9.6 Request for Grant Extension

Action: The Read by the Sea Literary Society was unable to use its \$3,000 grant so it is asking for an extension to use it for the 2026 festival.

9.7 Switch MOPC Expansion

Action: A proposal has been brought forward by SwitchPACE to develop a climate adaptation component to the existing SwitchMOPC program.

- 10. Deferred Business
- 11. Motions of Reconsideration
- 12. Adjournment