

**THE TWENTY-FIRST MEETING OF THE COUNCIL  
OF THE CITY OF GREATER SUDBURY**

**Committee Room C-11  
Tom Davies Square**

**Thursday, December 13<sup>th</sup>, 2001  
Commencement: 7:35 p.m.**

**DEPUTY MAYOR RON DUPUIS, IN THE CHAIR**

Present Councillors Bradley; Callaghan; Courtemanche; Davey; Gainer; Kilgour; Lalonde; McIntaggart; Portelance; Mayor Gordon

City Officials J. Rule, Chief Administrative Officer; D. Belisle, General Manager of Public Works; R. Browning, General Manager of Emergency Services; C. Hallsworth, General Manager of Citizen & Leisure Services; M. Mieto, General Manager of Health & Social Services; D. Nadorozny, General Manager of Economic Development & Planning Services; D. Wuksinic, General Manager of Corporate Services; R. Swiddle, Director of Legal Services/City Solicitor; P. Thomson, Director of Human Resources; B. Lautenbach, Director of Planning; T. Mowry, City Clerk; G. Ward, Council Secretary

Others S. Lolas, Freelandt, Caldwell Reilly  
P. Marleau, Chair, Greater Sudbury Utilities Inc.

Declarations of Pecuniary Interest None declared.

“In Camera” 2001-666 Dupuis/Bradley: That we move “In Camera” to deal with those matters which fall within Article 15.5 of the Procedural Rules.

**CARRIED**

Recess At 7:25 p.m., Council recessed.

Reconvene At 7:35 p.m., Council moved to the **Council Chamber** to continue the regular meeting.

Chair **HIS WORSHIP MAYOR JAMES GORDON, IN THE CHAIR**

Present Councillors Bradley; Callaghan; Courtemanche; Craig (A8:03 pm); Davey; Dupuis; Gainer; Kilgour; Lalonde; McIntaggart; Portelance

City Officials J. Rule, Chief Administrative Officer; D. Belisle, General Manager of Public Works; R. Browning, General Manager of Emergency Services; C. Hallsworth, General Manager of Citizen & Leisure Services; M. Mieto, General Manager of Health & Social Services; D. Wuksinic, General Manager of Corporate Services; J. Cunningham, Deputy Chief of Police, Greater Sudbury Police Service; R. Swiddle, Director of Legal Services/City Solicitor; C. Mahaffy, Manager of Financial Planning and Policy; B. Lautenbach, Director of Planning; M. Charbonneau, Executive Assistant to the C.A.O.; N. Charette, Manager of Corporate

City Officials

Communications and French-language Services; L. Moulaison, Technical Planner; T. Mowry, City Clerk; G. Ward, Council Secretary

News Media

The Box; MCTV; Q92; Northern Life; Sudbury Star

Declarations of Pecuniary Interest

None declared.

**DELEGATIONS**

Item 3  
International Baccalaureate Programme

Mr. R. Burdeniuk, Principal, Lo-Ellen Secondary School, addressed Council introducing Ms. Judy Byford, Vice Principal.

Ms. Byford introduced Dr. Merali, Chairperson of the International Baccalaureate Programme, and Ms. Doreen Dewar, Chairperson, Rainbow District School Board, who were in the audience.

Ms. Byford addressed Council with an overhead presentation of the International Baccalaureate Programme. This programme offers a world standard international curriculum and advances the ability of students to gain access to coveted post secondary programs in engineering and medical sciences.

Item 4  
Sudbury Neutrino Observatory

Report dated 2001-12-07, with attachment, from the General Manager of Economic Development & Planning Services regarding Sudbury Neutrino Observatory was received.

Letter dated 2001-12-13 from the General Manager of Economic Development & Planning Services regarding a revised budget proposal as submitted by the Sudbury Neutrino Observatory (SNO) was tabled for information.

Councillor Kilgour, on behalf of the Community Economic Development Committee, introduced Professor D. Sinclair, Facility Development Director, Carleton University, Ottawa and Professor D. Hallman, Director of Communications, Sudbury Neutrino Observatory.

Professors Sinclair and Hallman addressed Council with an overhead presentation outlining the new opportunities for underground science in Sudbury.

Council concurred with a recommendation by Councillor Portelance that the City of Greater Sudbury's web site include a link to SNO's web page. ([www.sno.phy.queensu.ca](http://www.sno.phy.queensu.ca))

The following resolution was presented:

2001-668 Dupuis/Bradley: WHEREAS the City of Greater Sudbury Community Development Corporation, upon recommendation of the Community Economic Development Committee, has approved by motion at its December 5<sup>th</sup>, 2001 meeting, the support of proposed SNO initiative;

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THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED THAT the Council of the City of Greater Sudbury supports the establishment of SNO's International Facility for Underground Science through an outreach and public relations campaign in the amount of \$25,000 from the Economic Development Capital Envelope, commencing in 2002, provided that SNO is successful in securing funding from other sources such as Canadian Fund for Innovation, Northern Ontario Heritage Fund Corporation and FedNor. This amount may be renewable for a period of up to five years pending recommendation of the CED committee to the GSDC Board.

**CARRIED**

**MATTERS ARISING FROM THE "IN CAMERA" SESSION**

Rise and Report

Deputy Mayor Dupuis, as Chairman of the Committee of the Whole, reported Council met to deal with personnel, litigation and financial matters falling within Article 15.5 of the Procedural Rules and certain resolutions emanated therefrom.

Greater Sudbury  
Utilities Inc. -  
Promissory Note

2001-667 Bradley/Gainer: WHEREAS Section 4.08 of Transition Board By-law #33 requires that any adjustment to the terms of the Promissory Note between the City of Greater Sudbury and the Greater Sudbury Utilities Inc. be done so by the City of Greater Sudbury;

AND WHEREAS By-law 2001-212A of the City of Greater Sudbury authorized the Clerk and Mayor to do all acts and things and execute all documents required to affect these changes;

IT IS HEREBY RECOMMENDED THAT the interest rate on the Promissory Note between the Greater Sudbury Utilities Inc. and in favour of the City of Greater Sudbury be set at an annual interest rate of 7.25 percent for the period retroactive to January 1<sup>st</sup>, 2001, until changed in writing by the holder. This interest rate to be compounded annually, and that \$2.4 million of this interest payment be made in four (4) equal payments to the City of Greater Sudbury no later than the last working day in each quarter; specifically, March, June, September and December of each year.

**CARRIED**

**PART I  
CONSENT AGENDA**

The following resolution was presented to adopt Items C-1 to C-12 contained in Part I, Consent Agenda:

2001-669 Dupuis/Bradley: That Items C-1 to C-12 inclusive, contained in Part I, Consent Agenda, be adopted, with the exception of Item C-8.

**CARRIED**



Item C-8  
(Continued)

The General Manager of Emergency Services advised details regarding the foregoing tender were not completed and requested this matter be pulled from the Agenda at this time.

Council concurred with this request.

### **ROUTINE MANAGEMENT REPORTS**

Item C-9  
FCM's 65<sup>th</sup> Annual  
Conference -  
Hamilton, Ontario

Report dated 2001-12-07 from the General Manager of Corporate Services regarding FCM's 65<sup>th</sup> Annual Conference and Municipal Expo™, Hamilton convention Centre, Hamilton, Ontario - May 31-June 2, 2002 was received.

The following resolution was presented:

2001-677 Bradley/Dupuis: That Members of Council and the Chief Administrative Officer for the City of Greater Sudbury be authorized to attend FCM's 65<sup>th</sup> Annual Conference and Municipal Expo™ to be held at the Hamilton Convention Centre, Hamilton, Ontario from May 31<sup>st</sup> to June 3<sup>rd</sup>, 2002.

**CARRIED**

Item C-10  
Emergency Services -  
Ambulance Reserve  
Fund

Report dated 2001-12-03 from the General Manager of Emergency Services regarding Emergency Services - Ambulance Reserve Fund was received.

The following resolution was presented:

2001-678 Dupuis/Bradley: That the one-time funding provided by the Ontario Government in a special grant of \$105,835 to replace medical diagnostic and treatment equipment for Emergency Medical Services Division be placed in the Land Ambulance reserve account.

**CARRIED**

Item C-11  
Under Serviced Area  
Designation

Report dated 2001-12-07, with attachment, from the General Manager of Health & Social Services regarding Under Serviced Area Designation - Application for Ministry of Health was received.

Discussion took place regarding the need for family physicians in each of the former municipalities. The "under serviced area designation" ends December 31<sup>st</sup>, 2001 and the City of Greater Sudbury must now apply to the Ministry of Health for the designation as one City.

Council concurred with a suggestion by Mayor Gordon that the General Manager of Health & Social Services develop a package of incentives to encourage doctors to relocate in the former municipalities.

The following resolution was presented:

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2001-679 Dupuis/Bradley: WHEREAS the Ministry of Health and Long Term Care has requested that a new application for Under Serviced Area Designation be made by the City of Greater Sudbury;

AND WHEREAS statistical evidence shows that the health status of residents of Northern Ontario is poorer than that of Ontario residents in general;

AND WHEREAS there are approximately 30,000 to 40,000 residents in the City of Greater Sudbury without a family physician and this is a matter of great concern in our community;

NOW THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED THAT the Council of the City of Greater Sudbury endorse the attached application for Under Serviced Area Designation. The application requests that the City of Greater Sudbury be designated for 120 physician positions including 105 family/general practitioners and 15 general practitioners/emergency. Presently 16 of the family/general practitioner positions and 2 of the general practitioner/emergency positions are vacant.

**CARRIED**

Item C-12  
Liquor Licence  
Extension - Cambrian  
College

Report dated 2001-12-07 from the General Manager of Corporate Services regarding Temporary Liquor Licence Extension - Cambrian College Student Winterfest Activities was received.

The following resolution was presented:

2001-680 Dupuis/Bradley: This Council has no objection to the issuance of a temporary liquor licence extension to Cambrian College for their Winterfest Activities to include an event at Rafter's Pub Outdoor Patio located at Cambrian College, 1400 Barrydowne Road, Sudbury, on January 17-18, 2002 from 11:00 a.m. to 2:00 a.m., with an anticipated attendance of 200 people.

And that the foregoing approval be subject to the following conditions:

1. That the event representative ensure emergency vehicles have access to the event area;
2. That all Ontario Fire Code regulations must be adhered to, in particular, with respect to Section 2.8 that indicates a Fire Safety Plan is required for this event;
3. That no bonfires of any kind, barbecues or similar types of cooking devices shall be operated on the site without the consent of the Fire Chief, and that an approved fire extinguisher be provided for each of the foregoing;

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4. That when outdoor amplified sound equipment is in use, all speakers and speaker stacks shall be positioned to tilt downward into the audience or crowd versus projecting straight over the crowd or adjoining properties;
5. That the event representative or his designate must be present on the site during the entire duration of the event.
6. That the event representatives ensure the provision of adequate clean-up of the site and those properties adjacent to the event.

**CARRIED**

**BY-LAWS**

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| 2001-301  | 2 | BEING A BY-LAW OF THE CITY OF GREATER SUDBURY TO PROVIDE FOR THE NEW COBDEN ROAD DRAINAGE WORKS<br><br>(This item is scheduled for the Committee of the Whole-Planning meeting of 2001-12-11.)                                                                                                                                   |
| 2001-302A | 2 | BEING A BY-LAW OF THE CITY OF GREATER SUDBURY TO STOP-UP, CLOSE AND SELL PART 1 ON PLAN 53R-17057<br><br>Committee of the Whole - Planning Resolution 2001-129.                                                                                                                                                                  |
| 2001-303A | 2 | BEING A BY-LAW OF THE CITY OF GREATER SUDBURY TO DECLARE SURPLUS, STOP-UP, CLOSE AND SELL PARTS 5, 7, 8, 11 AND 12, PLAN 53R-5371<br><br>Committee of the Whole - Planning Resolution 2001-162<br><br>(These by-laws will be advertised for four (4) consecutive weeks and brought back to Council for third and final reading.) |
| 2001-304A | 3 | BEING A BY-LAW OF THE CITY OF GREATER SUDBURY TO CONFIRM THE PROCEEDINGS OF COUNCIL AT ITS MEETING OF DECEMBER 13th, 2001                                                                                                                                                                                                        |
| 2001-305T | 3 | BEING A BY-LAW OF THE CITY OF GREATER SUDBURY TO AMEND BY-LAW 2001-1, THE TRAFFIC AND PARKING BY-LAW<br><br>Report dated 2001-11-05 from the General Manager of Public Works.<br><br>(This By-law reflects the existing intersection signing on Anderson Drive in the former Town of Walden.)                                    |

- 2001-306T            3        BEING A BY-LAW OF THE CITY OF GREATER SUDBURY TO AMEND BY-LAW 2001-1, THE TRAFFIC AND PARKING BY-LAW
- Report dated 2001-11-05 from the General Manager of Public Works.
- (This By-law changes the "Yield" sign to a "Stop" sign at the intersection of John Street and Annie Street, in the former City of Sudbury.)
- 2001-307T            3        BEING A BY-LAW OF THE CITY OF GREATER SUDBURY TO AMEND BY-LAW 2001-1, THE TRAFFIC AND PARKING BY-LAW
- Report dated 2001-11-05 from the General Manager of Public Works.
- (This By-law changes the "Yield" sign to a "Stop" sign for northbound traffic on Theresa Avenue at the intersection of St. Jacques Street, in the former City Valley East.)
- 2001-308T            3        BEING A BY-LAW OF THE CITY OF GREATER SUDBURY TO AMEND BY-LAW 2001-1, THE TRAFFIC AND PARKING BY-LAW
- Report dated 2001-11-05 from the General Manager of Public Works.
- (This By-law changes the traffic control at the intersection of Grandview Drive and Rideau Street, in the former City of Sudbury to an all-way stop control.)
- 2001-309T            3        BEING A BY-LAW OF THE CITY OF GREATER SUDBURY TO AMEND BY-LAW 2001-1, THE TRAFFIC AND PARKING BY-LAW
- Report dated 2001-11-05 from the General Manager of Public Works.
- (This By-law prohibits right turns on red for northbound traffic along Barry Downe Road at Kingsway, in the former City of Sudbury.)
- 2001-310T            3        BEING A BY-LAW OF THE CITY OF GREATER SUDBURY TO AMEND BY-LAW 2001-1, THE TRAFFIC AND PARKING BY-LAW
- Report dated 2001-11-05 from the General Manager of Public Works.
- (This By-law changes southbound traffic along Shevchenko Avenue at the intersection of Montague Street, in the former City of Sudbury by installing a "Yield" sign.)

- 2001-311A            3        BEING A BY-LAW OF THE CITY OF GREATER SUDBURY TO AMEND BY-LAW 2001-3, ESTABLISHING ITS RULES OF PROCEDURE
- (This By-law makes three small changes to the Procedure By-law to reflect recent directions by Council. It provides for a Finance and Efficiencies Committee with Terms of Reference to be set by Council, it establishes the position of the second Deputy Mayor, and it establishes the Committee of Management for Pioneer Manor.)
- 2001-312A            3        BEING A BY-LAW OF THE CITY OF GREATER SUDBURY TO DECLARE CERTAIN PARCELS OF LANDS TO BE PART OF THE CITY ROAD SYSTEM
- (This By-law is presented to Council on an annual basis. It provides for all the small "bits and pieces" of roadway that have been purchased or otherwise acquired by the City for road purposes to be formally declared as roads. A number of widenings, subdivision transfers, sight triangles, etc., are included.)
- 2001-313A            3        BEING A BY-LAW OF THE CITY OF GREATER SUDBURY TO ADOPT AN INVESTMENT POLICY
- Council Resolution 2001-647
- 2001-314A            3        BEING A BY-LAW OF THE CITY OF GREATER SUDBURY TO ADOPT A PRIVATE ROAD ASSUMPTION POLICY
- Committee of the Whole-Planning Resolution 2001-157
- 2001-315A            3        BEING A BY-LAW OF THE CITY OF GREATER SUDBURY TO AUTHORIZE AN EXTENSION AGREEMENT BETWEEN THE CITY OF GREATER SUDBURY AND ALGOMA DISTRICT SERVICES ADMINISTRATION BOARD FOR THE NORTHERN INTAKE SCREENING UNIT (NISU)
- Report dated 2001-12-03 from the General Manager of Health and Social Services
- 2001-316A            3        BEING A BY-LAW OF THE CITY OF GREATER SUDBURY TO AUTHORIZE THE ACQUISITION OF CERTAIN LANDS FROM THE DEPARTMENT OF NATIONAL DEFENSE
- Committee of the Whole-Planning Resolution 2001-170
- 2001-317             3        BEING A BY-LAW OF THE CITY OF GREATER SUDBURY TO APPOINT MUNICIPAL LAW ENFORCEMENT OFFICERS TO ENFORCE THE TRAFFIC AND PARKING BY-LAW 2001-1
- (This By-law updates the list of enforcement officers to be supplied by this City's Contractor, Hi-Tec Security Investigations Ltd.)

- 2001-318A            3        BEING A BY-LAW OF THE CITY OF GREATER SUDBURY TO AUTHORIZE AN AGREEMENT BETWEEN THE CITY OF GREATER SUDBURY AND CAMBRIAN COLLEGE FOR THE ADVANCED CARE PARAMEDIC EDUCATION PROGRAM
- Report dated 2001-12-03 from the General Manager of Emergency Services
- 2001-319A            3        BEING A BY-LAW OF THE CITY OF GREATER SUDBURY TO AUTHORIZE A LEASE WITH PINNACLE SPORTS
- Report dated 2001-12-03 from the General Manager of Citizen and Leisure Services
- 2001-320A            3        BEING A BY-LAW OF THE CITY OF GREATER SUDBURY TO AUTHORIZE AN AGREEMENT WITH THE WALDEN SKI CLUB FOR THE OPERATION OF THE WALDEN SKI HILL
- Report dated 2001-12-03 from the General Manager of Citizen and Leisure Services
- 2001-321A            3        BEING A BY-LAW OF THE CITY OF GREATER SUDBURY TO AMEND BY-LAW 2001-85, A BY-LAW TO APPOINT MUNICIPAL LAW ENFORCEMENT OFFICERS TO ENFORCE THE PRIVATE PROPERTY SECTIONS OF BY-LAW 2001-01
- (This By-law updates the list of private property enforcement officers.)
- 2001-322F            3        BEING A BY-LAW OF THE CITY OF GREATER SUDBURY TO AMEND BY-LAW 2001-287F, BEING A BY-LAW TO ESTABLISH AND CONTINUE RESERVES, RESERVE FUNDS AND TRUST FUNDS
- Report dated 2001-12-05 from the General Manager of Corporate Services.
- 2001-323A            3        BEING A BY-LAW OF THE CITY OF GREATER SUDBURY TO DECLARE SURPLUS AND SELL 4 JOSEPH AVENUE, IN THE FORMER TOWN OF WALDEN IN ACCORDANCE WITH THE PROVISIONS OF THE PURCHASING BY-LAW
- (This item is scheduled for the Committee of the Whole-Planning meeting of 2001-12-11.)
- 2001-324A            3        BEING A BY-LAW OF THE CITY OF GREATER SUDBURY TO AMEND BY-LAW 2001-34A TO APPOINT OFFICIALS FOR THE CITY OF GREATER SUDBURY
- (This up-dates the list of By-law Enforcement Officers.)

2001-325F 3 BEING A BY-LAW OF THE CITY OF GREATER SUDBURY TO APPROVE THE PAYMENT OF THE 2001 NEIGHBOURHOOD ASSOCIATION GRANT

Report dated 2001-12-05 from the General Manager of Citizen & Leisure Services

2001-326A 3 BEING A BY-LAW OF THE CITY OF GREATER SUDBURY TO APPOINT A DEPUTY MAYOR TO BE THE CHAIR OF THE COMMITTEE OF THE WHOLE MEETINGS EXCEPT BUDGET AND PLANNING MEETINGS FOR THE YEAR 2002

Council Resolution 2001-653

At the 2001-11-29, Council, by resolution 2001-653 appointed Councillor Dupuis as the Second Deputy Mayor for the year 2002; this by-law will confirm the appointment.

1<sup>st</sup> & 2<sup>nd</sup> Reading

22001-681 Bradley/Dupuis: That By-law 2001-301 to and including By-law 2001-2001-326A be read a first and second time.

**CARRIED**

3<sup>rd</sup> Reading

2001-682 Bradley/Dupuis: That By-law 2001-304A to and including By-law 2001-326A be read a third time and passed.

**CARRIED**

### **CORRESPONDENCE FOR INFORMATION ONLY**

Item C-13  
Child Care Services  
Strategic Plan Update

Report dated 2001-11-05 from the General Manager of Health & Social Services regarding Child Care Services Strategic Plan Update was received for information.

Item C-14  
2002 Budget Process

Report dated 2001-12-06 from the General Manager of Corporate Services regarding 2002 Budget Process and calendar was received for information.

Councillor Lalonde advised both he and Councillor Bradley would be unavailable for the scheduled Saturday, March 23<sup>rd</sup>, 2002 meeting. He also requested the Thursday, March 28<sup>th</sup>, 2002 date be rescheduled as this date is the beginning of the Easter long weekend.

Council concurred with the request that Staff review the Budget Calendar and reschedule the two dates (March 23<sup>rd</sup> and 28<sup>th</sup>, 2002).

Rules of Procedure

Council, by a two-thirds majority, agreed to dispense with the Rules of Procedure and deal with a motion, not on the Agenda, at this time.

2001-683 Gordon/Lalonde: WHEREAS it is desirable that options be provided to Council for consideration in order to ensure a zero percent increase for the 2002 City Budget;

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(Continued)

THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED THAT Staff be directed to adopt the use of a modified zero based budget approach which includes options such as different service levels which will reduce the City of Greater Sudbury's 2002 operating budget to zero or lower.

**RECORDED VOTE:**

**YEAS**

**NAYS**

Bradley  
Callaghan  
Courtemanche  
Craig  
Davey  
Dupuis  
Gainer  
Kilgour  
Lalonde  
McIntaggart  
Portelance  
Gordon

**CARRIED**

Item C-15  
Acting Deputy Mayors  
Rotation List for the  
Year 2002

Report dated 2001-12-07, with attachment, from the General Manager of Corporate Services regarding Acting Deputy Mayors - Rotation List for the Year 2002 was received for information.

Item C-16  
Homelessness in  
Sudbury: Time 3

Report dated 2001-12-07 from the General Manager of Health & Social Services regarding Homelessness in Sudbury: Time 3 was received for information.

**PART II**  
**REGULAR AGENDA**

**MANAGERS' REPORTS**

Item R-1  
Purchase of Pagers -  
Fire Services

Report dated 2001-11-30 from the General Manager of Corporate Services regarding Purchase of Pagers - Fire Services was received.

The following resolution was presented:

2001-684 Dupuis/Bradley: That the twenty-five (25) pagers purchased for the use of Fire Services volunteers in the approximate amount of \$14,600 be funded from the Capital Financing Reserve Fund - Emergency Services (Fire).

**CARRIED**

Item R-2  
Temporary  
Reallocation 2001  
Police Capital

Report dated 2001-11-30, with attachment, from the General Manager of Corporate Services regarding Temporary Reallocation 2001 Police Capital was received.

The following resolution was presented:

2001-685 Bradley/Dupuis: That \$23,000 be reallocated from the Police 2001 Capital Program to provide funding for the Police Museum, such amount to be paid back by the Sudbury Regional Police Museum Committee.

**CARRIED**

Item R-3  
Long Term Care  
Funding Increase -  
Pioneer Manor

Report dated 2001-12-07 from the General Manager of Health & Social Services regarding Long Term Care Funding Increase - Pioneer Manor was received.

The following resolution was presented:

2001-686 Dupuis/Bradley: WHEREAS the Minister of Health has assigned \$60 million in annualized funding to the long term care system;

AND WHEREAS the increase in funding at Pioneer Manor equates to \$302,830 for ongoing operational costs, and \$149,778 for one time equipment purchases in 2001;

THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED THAT the additional funding be assigned to staffing and one time equipment at Pioneer Manor as outlined in the General Manager's Report dated December 7<sup>th</sup>, 2001;

AND THAT the funding increase of 2002 be subject to the budget approval process.

**CARRIED**

Item R-4  
Administration of  
Funds - Medical  
School Implementation  
Committee

Report dated 2001-12-07 from the General Manager of Health & Social Services regarding Administration of Funds for the Medical School Implementation Management Committee was received.

The following resolution was presented:

2001-687 Dupuis/Bradley: That the City of Greater Sudbury assist the Northern Medical School Implementation Management Committee by providing accounting services.

**CARRIED**

Item R-5  
David Street Water  
Treatment Plant

Report dated 2001-12-06 from the General Manager of Public Works regarding David Street Water Treatment Plant - Approval of Municipal Financing Plan and Pre-purchase of Filtration Equipment was received.

Item R-5  
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Letter dated 2001-11-21 from Kim Butler, Federal Co-Chair, Canada-Ontario Infrastructure Program confirming that purchasing capital equipment for the David Street project would not jeopardize consideration of the project under the Canada-Ontario Infrastructure Program was tabled and provided to each Member of Council.

The following resolution was presented:

2001-688 Bradley/Gainer: That the one-third Municipal share of the David Street Water Treatment Plant filtration upgrade be financed as follows:

2001 Supplementary Assistance, CRF	\$ 526,000
Water Treatment Plant Reserve Fund	1,000,000
2000 Water Capital Fund (reserved for Infrastructure Projects)	1,700,000
2000 Water/Sewer Capital Fund (reserved for Infrastructure Projects)	500,000
Capital Financing Reserve Fund, Water	1,130,000
Water/Sewer Replacement Reserve Fund	1,350,000
2002 Water/Sewer Replacement Capital Envelope	462,000

And that the General Manager of Public Works be authorized to pre-purchase filtration equipment at a estimated cost of \$7.0 million prior to December 31, 2001.

**CARRIED**

Proceed Past  
10:00 p.m.

2001-689 Bradley/Gainer: That we proceed past the hour of 10:00 p.m.

**CARRIED**

Item R-6  
2002 Community  
Reinvestment Fund

Report dated 2001-12-07 from the General Manager of Corporate Services regarding 2002 Community Reinvestment Fund (CRF) was received.

A copy of the 2001 Financial Projections (Variance Report) was tabled and provided to each Member of Council.

Council concurred with a request by Councillor Davey that during the budget process, staff provide an in-depth explanation of the 2002 Community Reinvestment Fund.

The following resolution was presented:

2001-690 Bradley/Gainer: BE IT HEREBY RESOLVED THAT the Council of the City of Greater Sudbury:

- a) intends to use the community Reinvestment Fund (CRF) Allocations it will receive in 2002 for the benefit of taxpayers; and

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- b) accepts the Community Reinvestment Fund (CRF) Allocations in accordance with the terms and conditions as outlined in the correspondence received from the Deputy Ministers of Finance and Municipal Affairs and Housing; and

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED THAT this resolution be forwarded to the Ontario Ministry of Municipal Affairs and Housing (MMAH) by the deadline of January 11, 2002.

**CARRIED**

## **MOTIONS**

Item R-7  
Animal Control By-law

Courtemanche/Kilgour: WHEREAS Council is considering the approval of a new Animal Control by-law;

AND WHEREAS a Public Input Session was held on December 5<sup>th</sup>, 2001 to seek public input on this by-law;

AND WHEREAS this community has several organizations and professionals who have indicated their willingness to share their wealth of expertise on this matter;

AND WHEREAS City Council supports community partnerships that assist in the development and implementation of effective public policy;

THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED THAT Council establish an "Animal Control Advisory Panel" to advise Council on issues relating to animal control; and to make recommendations to Council on such issues as: animal control legislation; licensing and other fees; public education programs; identification, adoption and spay/neuter programs; and enforcement;

AND FURTHER THAT the "Animal Control Advisory Panel" membership include a representative from such organizations as P.A.L.S., the Ontario S.P.C.A., amongst others; a member of the Sudbury Veterinary Association, an individual who operates, or is employed by, a domestic animal kennel, breeding operation or pet store; a citizen of the City who is a pet owner; a citizen who is not a pet owner, and a Member of Council;

AND THAT provision for the "Animal Control Advisory Panel" be included as part of the proposed Animal Control By-law of the City of Greater Sudbury.

Council agreed with a friendly amendment to add the words "Ad Hoc" prior to the words "Animal Control Advisory Panel" in the foregoing motion.

Item R-7  
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The following amendment was then presented:

2001-691 McIntaggart/Lalonde: That the last two paragraphs of the motion be **deleted**.

**CARRIED**

The original motion, as amended, was then presented:

2001-692 Courtemanche/Kilgour: WHEREAS Council is considering the approval of a new Animal Control by-law;

AND WHEREAS a Public Input Session was held on December 5<sup>th</sup>, 2001 to seek public input on this by-law;

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AND WHEREAS City Council supports community partnerships that assist in the development and implementation of effective public policy;

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**CARRIED**

### **QUESTION PERIOD**

Infrastructure  
Program

Councillor Lalonde advised Northern Development and Mines had announced an eighty-two million dollar infrastructure program and requested assurance that the City of Greater Sudbury would apply for funding, including Regional Road 35.

Mayor Gordon confirmed staff would follow up on this request.

Business Licences

Councillor Dupuis advised a constituent who operates a business in both the former City of Sudbury and a former outlying municipality has to obtain business licenses in each area and questioned how this could be done at one location.

The Chief Administrative Officer advised he would review this matter.

Pedestrian Walk

Signals and Parking

For Sudbury Arena

Councillor Courtemanche expressed concern with the amount of time the pedestrian walk signals indicate it is safe to cross such streets as Notre Dame Avenue. Senior citizens are having difficulty crossing the street in the limited time. In addition, he requested staff consider dedicated handicapped parking on Minto Street near the Sudbury Arena.

Whitson Bridge

Councillor Bradley advised construction has continued on the Whitson Bridge in Chelmsford since July, 2001 and expressed concern with the progress of the sidewalk repairs. He requested the General Manager of Public Works review the progress of this construction.

Seasons Greetings

Seasons greetings were extended to all by Members of Council. Mayor Gordon expressed his appreciation to Council and staff for their assistance during the past year.

Adjournment

2001-693 Bradley/Dupuis: That this meeting does now adjourn.  
Time: 10:30 p.m.

**CARRIED**

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Mayor

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Clerk