

MINUTES

Town of Port au Port East
Special Council Meeting October 10th, 2024

Minutes of a special meeting of the council of the
Town of Port au Port East,
held in the Town Hall, October 10th, 2024 at 10:30PM.

Members

Present

Mayor J. Tuttle
Councillors: A. Barry

Members

Present Via

Telephone:

Deputy Mayor C. Joseph
Councillors: F. Barter
K. De Groot

Also,

Present

Town Clerk/Manager K. Hunt

12 people are present in the public galleries.

Mayor J. Tuttle called the meeting to order at 10:42 am.

Guests To Address Council

None

Meeting Minutes

None

Regulations/Policies

None

Correspondence

None

Finances

None

Permits

None

Discussion:

Low Level of Water In The Town's Surface Water Reservoir

Motion # 135 – 24 - A. Barry/C. Joseph

Council has been notified that our water level is critically low. There is not enough water in the reservoir to allow the option of shutting the water off for a period of time to conserve and then restarting. If the system is shut down to conserve water it will not be able to be brought back online until the amount of water reaches a safe level to avoid any potential damage to town infrastructure.

Be it resolved, that due to the severity of the low level of water in our town surface ground water reservoir council authorizes the shut-down of the water system to the town to avoid damage to town infrastructure and conserve water until it reaches a level that allows the system to function properly.

In favor:	Mayor	J. Tuttle
	Deputy Mayor	C. Joseph
	Councilors:	A. Barry
		F. Barter
		K. De Groot

Opposed: 0

Abstaining: 0

Motion Carried

Motion # 136 – 24 - A. Barry/C. Joseph

Be it resolved, that council allows the addition of water to the surface ground water reservoir from an outside source to increase the current water level to an acceptable level to operate and avoid the shut-down of the water system.

In favor: Mayor J. Tuttle
Deputy Mayor C. Joseph
Councilors: A. Barry
F. Barter
K. De Groot

Opposed: 0
Abstaining: 0

Motion Carried

Adjournment

Motion # 137- 24 – A. Barry/K De Groot

Be it resolved that Council do now adjourn to meet again on Tuesday, November 12th, 2024 at 6:00 PM

In favor: Mayor J. Tuttle
Deputy Mayor C. Joseph
Councilors: A. Barry
F. Barter
K. De Groot

Opposed: 0
Abstaining: 0

Motion Carried

The meeting adjourned at 10:53 A.M

Mayor Kimberly De Groot

Town Clerk/Manager – Koren Hunt