Newcastle Memorial Arena Management Board

Municipality of Clarington

Minutes of Meeting – Tuesday, November 9, 2021

(Not yet approved by committee)

<u>In Attendance</u> – Dave Bouma - Chair Bryan Wiltshire – Arena Manager Councillor Granville Anderson, Shane Armstrong, Shea-Lea Latchford, Gary Oliver, Todd Taylor, Jim Vison, Councillor Margaret Zwart **Regrets** – Sue White

Meeting opened at 7:01 with the Land Acknowledgement

 <u>Agenda</u> - <u>Motion #21-026</u> Moved by Todd Taylor, seconded by Gary Oliver**THAT:**The Agenda be accepted as proposed.

CARRIED

2. Acceptance of Minutes- Motion #21-027

Moved by Dave Bouma, seconded by Jim Vison **THAT:** The minutes of October 19, 2021, be approved.

CARRIED

<u>Manager's Report</u> – Safety: Staff was trained on winter protocols such as snow removal from exits and salting walkways and how to complete documentation of all work completed. Risk Management:Bryan will resend the email (work order) for the replacement of the dressing room hallway exit and lobby doors. A sensor on the furnace has been replaced. Rentals/Revenue: We have full capacity for our public skating, but users still must be booked through the website to be in compliance with contact tracing. Two free public skates will take place during the Christmas holidays with funds received from the Municipal grant. The outstanding issues with Futuresign and Tim Hortons have not yet been resolved.

Manager Report continued:

Repairs/Maintenance: Cimco replaced the condenser belts on November 5th. The Municipality has informed the Board that they will be taking over the cost of our snow removal as well as the lawn maintenance for the upcoming season.

Staff: Bryan wanted the Board to be aware that his staff is doing an excellent job especially with the added responsibilities and cleaning protocols. **Inspections/Municipal Operations:** No inspections for November 2021. **Other:** The website has been updated with the ice schedule to the end of March 2022. We also have booked the Home & Lifestyle show and the Sea Cadets for the summer of 2022. Men's ball hockey league has also indicated they will be returningfor the summer of 2022.

3. Financial Report

Todd Taylorpresented a financial update. Q4 revenues – Ice rental currently sufficient to support operations. Further ice rental capacity reductions due to covid-19 will impact our 2021 & 2022 financials.

- 4. **<u>Risk Management</u>** No report currently.
- 5. <u>New Business</u> -<u>GIC Motion #21-028</u>– Moved by Gary Oliver, seconded by Jim Vison **THAT**: the GIC be rolled over for another term.

CARRIED

Olympia – Deferred until the floor is replaced. **Christmas Dinner**–A dinner will be planned for the Board members and guests at a local restaurant.

- 6. **<u>Round Table</u>** A round table discussion followed.
- 7. <u>Adjournment Motion #21-029</u> Moved by Todd Taylor, seconded by Shane Armstrong **THAT**: the meeting be adjourned.

CARRIED

Next Board Meeting – Tuesday, December 14, 2021

Meeting adjourned at 7:30 p.m.