

VILLAGE OF STANLEY
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SPECIAL MEETING OF STANLEY VILLAGE COUNCIL

APRIL 4, 1995

1:30 P.M. (SNOWSTORM)

In Attendance:

Kim Sansom
Rev. Murray McFarlane
Rev. Gillis Smith
Father Monte Peters
Mayor Roger Ross
Councillor Earle MacNaughton
Councillor Freda Hood
Councillor Barbara MacDonald
Clerk - Lorna Pinnock

The meeting opened with our Prayer For Civic Authorities.

Rev. Murray McFarlane, on behalf of the clergy in this area, approached Council with some questions concerning the betterment for the community such as: How do we keep what we have afloat; how can the churches better serve the community; how do we survive as denominations; what about outreach; what is the state of our communications within; what have we done or tried to do or are still trying to do concerning the reduction of Banking hours; what are some of our major concerns for the Village; what are the community focuses; do we have any hard facts on people that are moving into the area; and what are the demographic trends; what are our sources of industry; etc., etc.

All present agreed that the Nashwaak Villa has certainly been a great center for meeting people, outreach programs, etc. Also, the Upper Nashwaak Agrena has been a great asset to the community for all concerned, and our Food Bank is a very worthy Program which helps many people. In addition, we have two exclusive restaurants, plus two family restaurants, which are certainly favorable areas for people meeting people. Many favorable comments were received concerning the Interdisciplinary Committee at the Villa.

Rev. Gillis Smith stated that he felt that we should maybe strive to maintain what we have, promote it, and make the best of it, rather than concentrating wholly on what we might like to have.

All present agreed that more communication is necessary between Council and Clergy, and we will begin to improve this by making sure that the Churches all get a copy of our frequent Press Releases. Also, more involvement in the community is necessary.

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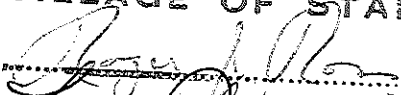
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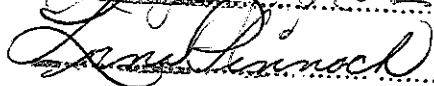
It was felt that we tabled many concerns in the community at this meeting, and the question was raised - "Where do we go from here?"

It was agreed that we would sit on the results of this meeting for a while, and perhaps after some time to contemplate, another meeting could be arranged in the not too distant future.

Meeting adjourned at approximately 3:30 P.M.

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..... Mayor


..... Clerk