

Council,
October 26, 1967.

Africville—Additional Borrowing - \$70,000.00

MOVED by Alderman Ivany, seconded by Alderman Black, that, as recommended by the Finance and Executive Committee, an additional capital appropriation in the amount of \$70,000.00 be approved for the Africville Relocation Program. Motion passed.

A formal Borrowing Resolution to give effect to the foregoing motion of Council was submitted.

MOVED by Alderman Connolly, seconded by Alderman Ivany, that the Borrowing Resolution, as submitted, be approved. Motion passed unanimously.

His Worship the Mayor referred to an article concerning Africville which had appeared in a recent publication of MacLean's magazine and gave a very bad slant on the problem insofar as Halifax was concerned.

MOVED by Alderman Black, seconded by Alderman Ahern, that Alderman Connolly, Chairman of the former Africville Subcommittee, write a letter to MacLean's magazine correcting the statements made in the article and presenting a true picture of the situation. Motion passed unanimously.

His Worship the Mayor referred to the progress being made by the Neighbourhood Centre Project and it was suggested that the Editor of MacLean's magazine be invited to visit Halifax to learn the truth for himself.

Alderman Connolly stated that he would consult with His Worship before writing to the Editor of MacLean's.

MOVED by Alderman Sullivan, seconded by Alderman Meagher that, as recommended by the Finance and Executive

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P200/2288 - 00-10-17068, be approved and the public hearing waived. Motion passed.

Disposition of Land Bounded by Leeds Street, Gottingen Street,
Robie Street and Africville Area

MOVED by Alderman Ahern, seconded by Alderman LeBlanc that, as recommended by the Town Planning Board, an advertisement be placed in two or three newspapers stating the City of Halifax is considering the disposal of a parcel of land bounded by Leeds Street, Gottingen Street, Africville Area and Robie Street and, before making its Call for Proposals within certain guide lines, would appreciate expressions of interest from private developers which might help determine such guide lines. Motion passed.

Alteration to a Subdivision - Quinpool Road, Yale Street
and Harvard Street (Withdrawn)

The Town Planning Board report indicated that a letter was received from Stewart, MacKeen & Covert, Solicitors for the applicant, requesting that the above application be withdrawn as all of the lots are not now owned by the same owner.

Alderman Matheson expressed the view that the whole matter of this application and the policy under which City Council approved the rezoning of this land should be debated in an attempt to avoid the possibility of a similar situation arising in the future.

Alderman Black agreed with Alderman Matheson and felt that in future no person should be permitted to apply for rezoning of certain land until such time as he holds