

Minutes of a Town of Pictou Public Hearing meeting convened at the CN Station – Council Chambers on the above date. Mayor James Ryan presiding.

**PRESENT:** Deputy Mayor Shawn McNamara; Councillors Dan Currie, Nadine LeBlanc and Melinda MacKenzie

**ALSO PRESENT:** Kyle Slaunwhite, CAO  
Nicole MacDonald, Deputy Clerk/Minute Recorder

**1. CALL TO ORDER**

The Chair called the meeting to order at 5:30 pm.

**2. MUNICIPAL ELECTORAL BOUNDARY REVIEW**

The Chair summarized the process of the review to date:

- On September 6, a Public Hearing was held; Council agreed in principle that they continue with the same structure, meaning that councillors are elected at large and four councillors remains an appropriate number considering the size and distribution of the population
- Public feedback was encouraged through various means; however, no residents made inquiries or submitted written comments
- No one present had any questions

A decision will be made at the next Regular Council meeting on whether to approve submission of the proposal to the NS Utility and Review Board.

**3. ADJOURNMENT**

There being no further business, the Chair adjourned the meeting at 6:35 pm.

APPROVED

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James J. Ryan  
Mayor

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Kyle Slaunwhite  
CAO