



## TOWN OF INGERSOLL INAUGURAL COUNCIL MEETING MINUTES

Inaugural meeting of the Council of the Town of Ingersoll held at 7:00 p.m. in the Council Chambers, 130 Oxford St. on Monday December 6, 2010.

**Council Present:** Mayor –Elect Ted Comiskey  
Deputy Mayor-Elect Fred Freeman  
Councillors-Elect: Fortner, Lesser, McLeod, Mott and Van Kooten-Bossence

**Staff Present:** James Timlin, CAO  
Marsha Paley, Clerk  
Ann Wright, Deputy Clerk  
Darell Parker, Fire Chief  
Gary Seitz, Treasurer  
Don Johnson, Chief Building Official  
Bill Mates, Dir. of Economic Development  
Bonnie Ward, Dir. of Parks and Recreation  
John Brown, IT Manager  
Rebecca Breedon, Ec. Development Liaison

**Special Guests:** The Honourable Justice Marietta L.D. Roberts  
Emily Wright, Singer  
Town Crier Doug Turvey  
Piper from Ingersoll Pipe Band

**Media:** John Payne, Rogers  
John Tapley Ingersoll Times  
Shayla Wolfe, Heart FM

Piper from Ingersoll Pipe Band led the Honourable Justice Marietta L.D. Roberts and elected members of the 2010-2014 Council into the Council Chambers.

### (1) CALL TO ORDER

Clerk Paley welcomed the attendees and opened the inaugural meeting of the 2010-2014 term of Council at 7:04 p.m.

O Canada was sung by Emily Wright.

Town Crier Doug Turvey opened the ceremonial portion of the meeting.

### (2) ADMINISTRATION OF THE OATH OF OFFICE

The Honourable Justice Marietta L.D. Roberts administered the Declaration of Office in the following order:

- (1) Mayor-Elect Ted Comiskey
- (2) Deputy Mayor-Elect Fred Freeman
- (3) Councillors-Elect Lesser, McLeod, Fortner, Mott and Van Kooten-Bossence

**(3) PRESENTATION OF CHAIN OF OFFICE**

Retiring Mayor Paul Holbrough presented Mayor Ted Comiskey with the Town of Ingersoll Chain of Office.

**(4) PRESENTATION TO OUTGOING COUNCIL MEMBERS**

Mayor Comiskey presented retiring Mayor Paul Holbrough with a plaque and a gift in recognition of his years of service to the community. A plaque and gift were presented to Councillor Ernie Hunt at a later date as he regretfully could not attend the inaugural meeting.

**(5) GIVING OF ROSES**

Mayor Ted Comiskey presented a bouquet of roses to his wife Sherry Comiskey.

**(6) INVOCATION PRAYER**

Father Gilbert Simard of Sacred Heart Parish provided the invocation prayer.

**(7) INAUGURAL ADDRESS**

Clerk Paley introduced the 2010-2014 Town of Ingersoll Council by naming the Mayor Ted Comiskey, Deputy Mayor Fred Freeman and Councillors Lesser, McLeod, Fortner, Mott and Van Kooten-Bossence. Mayor Comiskey offered Deputy Mayor Freeman and the Councillors an opportunity to give roundtable comments. Mayor Comiskey gave his inaugural address.

**(8) ADJOURNMENT?REFRESHMENTS**

Mayor Ted Comiskey closed the inaugural meeting at 8:00 p.m.

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**Edward (Ted) Comiskey, Mayor**

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**Marsha Paley, Clerk**