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MIRAMICHI CITY COUNCIL APPROVES TWO MOTIONS RELATED TO MULTIPLEX PROJECT

Miramichi City Council unanimously approved two motions for the Miramichi Wellness Multiplex project at its Regular Council Meeting on May 16.

The first motion passed authorized Mayor Adam Lordon and City Clerk Rhonda Ripley to sign the Integrated Bilateral Contribution Agreement with the Province of New Brunswick for \$30 million.

This amount is the combined \$12 million contribution from the province and \$18 million from the federal government.

The City will contribute \$37 million to the project as was detailed at the funding announcement for the Multiplex on April 21, 2023.

City Council also approved a motion to sign a contract of \$3,942,000 for the design consultant for the Multiplex. MJMA Architecture & Design and Teal Architects + Planners was the successful proponent of the request for proposal process. Their work will include all aspects of design and engineering for the following phases:

- Schematic design
- Design development
- · Contract documents
- Bidding and negotiation
- Construction administration
- Post construction services

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