

CITY OF MIRAMICHI

City Council approves hiring of new fire chief

The City of Miramichi has hired Dennis Cole as the new fire chief to oversee the operations of the Miramichi Fire Department.

City council made the hiring official in a motion at a Special Council Meeting on May 30.

Mayor Adam Lordon said the hiring committee were unanimous in their endorsement to hire Cole. "He brings a lot of experience and skills to the role...he is coming from a community that is a similar size to Miramichi where he has implemented a prevention first focus."

Lordon added Cole is an advocate for data driven decision making, growing the ranks of the volunteer contingent and making all members feel informed and engaged in the ongoing work of the department.

Cole has been in the fire service since 1993, developing from being a career firefighter and through the ranks to fire chief.

His career began in Gander, Newfoundland-Labrador and continued in various municipalities in Alberta.

Cole will officially begin in his new role on June 26th.

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