

# COUNCIL MINUTES Regular Meeting of Council Tuesday, November 14, 2017

#### PRESENT:

Mayor

Councillors

Jim Hailes

Diane Ahn

Meesha McMullen Bainton

Brenda Burridge

Wendy Chaychuk-Rieger

Sheila Gilmour

**Chief Administrative Officer** 

Assistant Chief Administrative Officer

**Executive Assistant** 

**Director of Corporate Services** 

Clinic Manager

**Director of Operations** 

Fire Chief Peace Officer

**Development Officer** 

Roy Dell Kristen Milne

Emily Cuthbertson Alicia Bourbeau Katelyn Duchesne

John Greathead

Les Paul Josh Towle Yi Qin

#### **ABSENT WITH NOTICE**

Councillor

Director of Parks and Recreation Director of Community Services

Shawn Watson Mitch Carter Lisa Pelletier

### 1. CALL TO ORDER

Mayor Jim Hailes, called the Regular Meeting of Council for November 14, 2017 to order at 6:30 pm.

## 2. ADOPTION OF AGENDA

Moved by: Councillor Ahn

392-17 That the agenda for the Regular Meeting of Council held November 14, 2017 be

approved as presented.

**CARRIED UNANIMOUSLY** 

## 3. APPROVAL OF MINUTES

a) Minutes from the Organizational Meeting held October 23, 2017.

Moved by: Councillor Gilmour

393-17 That the minutes from the Organizational Meeting of Council held October 23,

2017 be approved as presented.

CARRIED UNANIMOUSLY

b) Minutes from the Regular Meeting of Council held October 23, 2017.

Moved by: Councillor Burridge

394-17 That the minutes from the Regular Meeting of Council held October 23, 2017 be approved as presented.

CARRIED UNANIMOUSLY

c) Minutes from the Committee of the Whole Meeting held October 30, 2017.

Moved by: Councillor Chaychuk-Rieger

That the minutes from the Committee of the Whole Meeting held October 30, 2017 be approved as presented.

CARRIED UNANIMOUSLY

d) Minutes from the Special Meeting of Council held October 30, 2017.

Moved by: Councillor McMullen Bainton

396-17 That the minutes from the Special Meeting of Council held October 30, 2017 be approved as presented.

CARRIED UNANIMOUSLY

e) Business arising from minutes.

There was no new business arising from the Minutes.

## 4. **DELEGATIONS**

a) Fox Creek Fire Department Les Paul, Fire Chief

Fire Chief Les Paul and Fire Fighter Sam Burridge presented information on the Guide Light Program to help aid Emergency Services to identify the houses that have called 9-1-1 for Emergency Assistance. The Guide Light can also alert neighbours that someone in that house is in distress and requires help. Lights go from white LED light to Flashing Red (some come with a quite alarm). This will assist the Emergency responders locate a house if the house numbers are not visible. This light is initiated by the push of a fob.

Moved by: Councillor Ahn

397-17 That Council accepts the delegation presentation as information.

**CARRIED** 

b) Silver Birch Golf Club Board Members

Unable to attend the Council Meeting due to work commitments.

c) Business arising from Delegations

## 5. STAFF REPORTS

- a) Fire Chief Les Paul
- b) Community Peace Officer
  Josh Towle

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- c) <u>Director of Community Services</u> Lisa Pelletier
- d) <u>Director of Parks and Recreation</u> Mitch Carter
- e) <u>Director of Operations</u> John Greathead
- f) <u>Director of Corporate Services</u> Alicia Bourbeau
- g) Clinic Manager Katelyn Duchesne
- h) <u>Development Officer</u> Yi Qin
- i) <u>Assistant Chief Administrative Officer</u> Kristen Milne
- j) <u>Chief Administrative Officer</u> Roy Dell

Moved by: Councillor Gilmour

398-17 That Council accepts the Staff reports as information.

**CARRIED UNANIMOUSLY** 

#### 6. BYLAWS/POLICIES

NIL

# 7. ACCOUNTS PAYABLE

a) Account Payables – for the period ending November 7, 2017 Alicia Bourbeau, Director of Corporate Services

Moved by: Councillor Burridge

399-17 That Council accepts the accounts payable report for the period ending November 7, 2017 as presented.

**CARRIED UNANIMOUSLY** 

## 8. OLD BUSINESS

a) Request for Decision - Downtown Beautification Grant Program Application for 2018

Kristen Milne, Assistant Chief Administrative Officer

Moved by: Councillor McMullen Bainton

400-17 That Council approves the 2018 Downtown Beautification Grant Application for exterior painting and completion of a tin roof to a maximum amount of \$5,000.00 to be matched with the property owners contributions. Furthermore, that this Grant be funded from the 2018 Community Enhancement Operating Budget.

**CARRIED UNANIMOUSLY** 

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a) Date for next Council Planning Session Jim Hailes, Mayor

Moved by: Councillor McMullen Bainton

401-17 That Council directs Administration to prepare the Council Priorities List with details and definitions for further discussion and add to the November 27th Regular Meeting of Council.

**CARRIED UNANIMOUSLY** 

#### 9. **NEW BUSINESS**

a) Request for Decision - Town Office Holiday Hours Kristen Milne, Assistant Chief Administrative Officer

Moved by: Councillor Gilmour

402-17 That Council accepts the proposed holiday hours of operations for Town Departments as presented.

**CARRIED UNANIMOUSLY** 

b) Request for Decision - Community Hall Chairs Kristen Milne, Assistant Chief Administrative Officer

Moved by: Councillor Burridge

403-17 That Council declares the old community hall chairs to be surplus inventory and directs Administration to advertise that they are donating 200 - 250 to local not for profit organizations on a first come first serve basis with a requested number. **CARRIED UNANIMOUSLY** 

c) Request for Decision - Purchase Christmas Light Displays and construct and Outdoor Rink - Oasis Park Kristen Milne, Assistant Chief Administrative Officer

Moved by: Councillor Burridge

404-17 That Council directs Administration to purchase lighting displays for Oasis Park and construct an outdoor skating rink for a maximum upset amount of \$26,000.00 to be funded from the Community Enhancement Reserve.

**CARRIED UNANIMOUSLY** 

d) Request for Decision - Appointment of Subdivision & Development Appeal Board <u>Secretary</u>

Yi Qin, Development Officer

Moved by: Councillor Burridge

405-17 That Council moves to appoint Cindy Nielson as the Subdivision and Development Appeal Board Secretary based on Section 6 of Bylaw 779-2016.

**CARRIED UNANIMOUSLY** 

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#### 10. COUNCIL'S REPORTS

- Councillor Ahn
   Attended the Heart River Housing Meeting.
- Councillor Burridge
   Attended the Alberta Recreation and Parks Association Conference.

   Attended the Library Board Annual General Meeting.
   Attended the George Cuff Council Orientation in Valleyview.
- Councillor Chaychuk-Rieger
   Attended the Debolt Fire Hall Opening on October 28.

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   Toured the Municipal District of Greenview's new Multi-Use Facility.
- Councillor McMullen Bainton
   Attended the Debolt Fire Hall Opening on October 28.

   Attended the George Cuff Council Orientation in Valleyview.
- Councillor Gilmour
   Attended the George Cuff Council Orientation in Valleyview.
- Mayor Hailes
   Attended the Fire Hall cheque presentation by Shell on October 26.

   Attended the George Cuff Council Orientation in Valleyview.
   On November 7 Chevron announced they are moving into their operation phase. More people and employees will be in town which is great news for the Town.

   Attended the November 11th Remembrance Day Ceremony in Town.

Moved by: Councillor Ahn

406-17 That Council accepts the Council Reports as Information.

**CARRIED UNANIMOUSLY** 

## 11. REPORTS AND CORRESPONDENCE FOR INFORMATION

- a) Council Calendar Report for Information
- b) Eagle Tower Victim Services H.O.P.E Party Correspondence for Information
- c) Seminar Lobbying the Government Effectively

Moved by: Councillor McMullen Bainton

407-17 That Council moves for Mayor Hailes to attend the November 29<sup>th</sup> Course for Lobbying the Government Effectively and Councillor Chaychuk-Rieger, Councillor Gilmour, Councillor Ahn and Councillor McMullen Bainton to attend the same course on March 14, 2018.

**CARRIED UNANIMOUSLY** 

Moved by: Councillor Gilmour

408-17 That Council accepts the Reports and Correspondence as information.

CARRIED UNANIMOUSLY

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#### 12. MOTION REVIEW

a) Review of 2017 Council Motions
Roy Dell, Chief Administrative Officer

Moved by: Councillor Burridge

409-17 That Council accepts the Motion Review as information.

**CARRIED UNANIMOUSLY** 

#### 13. COUNCIL HIGHLIGHTS

- Council received an informative presentation from the Fire Department in regards to the potentially new Guide Light Program. This program will aid the elderly and the families caring for sick family members if and when an emergency arises.
- Council approved the first Downtown Beautification Grant Application, and will be matching the business up to \$5,000.00 for upgrades and Beautification of the building. For more information on this Grant Program, please visit the Town website.
- Council approved the holiday hours for the Town Administration Office. The Office will be closed, Monday, December 25 – Wednesday, December 27.
   Will reopen December 28<sup>th</sup> and 29<sup>th</sup>, and closed for News Years Day (January 1, 2018).
- The Town will be advertising and donating (200-250) community hall chairs to local not for profit charities. If you are a part of a not for profit community group that might be interested, please contact the Town Office.
- Town Administration will be putting together a beautiful display of Christmas Lights at Oasis Park – to top it off we will be creating an outdoor skating rink on Oasis Pond! Please stay tuned to our social media pages for updates.

Mayor Hailes called a short recess at 8:33 pm.

Mayor Hailes called the meeting back to order at 8:45 pm.

## 14. IN CAMERA

Moved by: Councillor Ahn

410-17 That Council moves to go "In Camera" at 8:45 pm.

CARRIED UNANIMOUSLY

Moved by: Councillor Ahn

411-17 That Council moves to come out of "In Camera" at 9:02 pm.

**CARRIED UNANIMOUSLY** 

Moved by: Councillor Ahn

412-17 That Council moves to go "In Camera" at 9:04 pm.

**CARRIED UNANIMOUSLY** 

Moved by: Councillor Ahn

413-17 That Council moves to come out of "In Camera" at 9:16 pm.

**CARRIED UNANIMOUSLY** 

a) Land

Kristen Milne, Assistant Chief Administrative Officer

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b) <u>Land</u> Kristen Milne, Assistant Chief Administrative Officer

Moved by: Councillor Chaychuk-Rieger

That Council directs Administration to enter into negotiations with the developers. 414-17 CARRIED

c) Bylaw 802-2017 Amendment to Bylaw 778-2016 Kristen Milne, Assistant Chief Administrative Officer

Moved by: Councillor Burridge

That Council gives first reading to Bylaw 802-2017 Amendment to Bylaw 778-2016. 415-17 **CARRIED** 

#### 15. **ADJOURNMENT**

Mayor Hailes adjourned the meeting at at 9:16 pm.

Administrative Officer

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