

Rural Municipality of Lumsden No.189 Meeting Minutes Regular Council Meeting June 20, 2024 - 7:00 PM

Call to Order

The Council of the Rural Municipality of Lumsden No. 189 convened their Regular Meeting at the Dew Drop In (in Lumsden) and via electronic means (Zoom), on Thursday, June 20, 2024 at 7:00 pm.

Present:

Councillors: Division 1: Steve Eckel Division 2: Glenda Schlosser Division 3: Cody Garbutt Division 4: Marlise Nordstrom Division 5: John Langford Division 6: Cody Jordison Chief Administrative Officer: Monica M. Merkosky Assistant Chief Administrative Officer: Krystal Strong (via Zoom, attended from 7:00 pm to 9:38 pm) Director of Finance: Ryan Haresign (via Zoom, attended from 7:00 pm to 7:27 pm) Director of Planning and Development: Aimee Bryck (via Zoom, attended from 7:00 pm to 9:38 pm) Youth Member: Jocelyn Young (attended from 7:00 pm to 9:13 pm) Absent: **Reeve: Kent Farago Resolution No.** Additions to Agenda 2024-288 Moved by: Councillor Division No. 4 Nordstrom "That we agree to add the following item to the agenda under New Business: - 14.2 - Quote to Repair Dips (2) on Grid 734." CARRIED **Resolution No.** Approval of Agenda Moved by: Councillor Division No. 5 Langford 2024-289 "That we approve the agenda as amended." CARRIED **Declaration of Conflict of Interest** Councillor Glenda Schlosser declared a conflict of interest with respect to item 5.2 on today's agenda, being a gravel tender for Divisions 2, 3 & 6. Councillor Schlosser's company 'Big Rock Trucking Ltd.' submitted a bid. Public Works Reports **Public Works Report Resolution No.** 2024-290 Moved by: Councillor Division No. 5 Langford "That we approve the Public Works report, as presented." CARRIED

Conflict Declared - Councillor Schlosser

Councillor Glenda Schlosser declared a conflict of interest with respect to item 5.2 on today's agenda, being a gravel tender for Divisions 2, 3 & 6. Councillor Schlosser's company 'Big Rock Trucking Ltd.' submitted a bid. Councillor Schlosser

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abstained from discussion and voting on the matter and left the council chambers at 7:07 pm.

Resolution No. 2024-291

Closed Session - Strategic Planning

Moved by: Councillor Division No. 4 Nordstrom

"That we move into Closed Session at 7:09 pm for the purpose of discussing strategic planning as allowed pursuant to Section 120 of *The Municipalities Act*, with staff to be included in the session."

Rise from Closed Session

At 7:13 pm, Council left the Closed Session and returned to the open meeting.

Resolution No.Gravel Tender - Divisions 2, 3 and 6 - Supply, Load, Haul and Spread2024-292Moved by: Councillor Division No. 3 Garbutt

"That we award the tender for Divisions 2, 3 and 6 gravel supply, load, haul and spread to Big Rock Trucking Ltd. as follows and excluding applicable taxes: Supply - \$18.97 / MT Load - \$0.90 / MT Haul - \$0.46 / MT / Mile."

Conflict - Returned to Meeting

At the conclusion of discussion and voting on the matter, Councillor Schlosser returned to the council chambers at 7:15 pm.

Financial Reports

Resolution No. Bank Reconciliation and Financial Statement 2024-293 Moved by: Councillor Division No. 5 Langford

"That the Bank Reconciliation for the period ending May 31, 2024, and Financial Statement for the period ending April 30, 2024, be accepted as presented."

CARRIED

Accounts for Approval

Resolution No.List of Accounts - June 20, 20242024-294Moved by: Councillor Division No. 2 Schlosser

"That the list of accounts attached as Schedule "A" is approved for payment."

CARRIED

Adoption of Minutes

Resolution No.June 6, 2024 - Regular Council Meeting2024-295Moved by: Councillor Division No. 3 Garbutt

"That the minutes of the June 6, 2024 - Regular Council Meeting be approved, as amended." CARRIED

Resolution No.June 6, 2024 - Public Hearing Bylaw No. 2024-04 Minutes2024-296Moved by: Councillor Division No. 4 Nordstrom

"That the minutes of the June 6, 2024 - Public Hearing be approved, as circulated." CARRIED

Resolution No.June 10, 2024 - Organized Hamlet of Deer Valley Meeting2024-297Moved by: Councillor Division No. 2 Schlosser

"That the minutes of the June 10, 2024 - Organized Hamlet of Deer Valley Meeting be approved, as circulated."

Resolution No. Committee Reports

2024-298 Moved by: Councillor Eckel

"That we accept the 2023 IMUC Financial Statements as presented by Councillor Jordison." CARRIED

Director of Finance, Ryan Haresign, left for the remainder of the meeting at 7:27 pm.

Delegations

7:30 pm - 7:50 pm - Delegation - Flowing Springs Golf Greens

Loney and Bryce Anderson, representing Flowing Springs Golf Course, appeared before Council as a follow-up to their appearance at the June 6, 2024 Public Hearing, to reiterate their liability concerns with the Dakine residential subdivision which is in close proximity to the golf course. They also expressed concern regarding a 30 foot, unfenced area abutting Range Road 2205.

Unfinished Business

 Resolution No.
 Wascana Creek Erosion Protection Project Update

 2024-299
 Moved by: Councillor Division No. 3 Garbutt

"That we refer the cost estimate for the Wascana Creek Erosion Protection Project to the Public Works Committee for discussion."

New Business

 Resolution No.
 Agricultural Health and Safety Network - Membership

 2024-300
 Moved by: Councillor Division No. 3 Garbutt

 "That we purchase a 2024 membership with the Agricultural Health and Safety Network, at a cost of \$1,177.40."

Resolution No. Repair Dips (2) on Grid No. 734

2024-301 Moved by: Councillor Division No. 2 Schlosser

"That we approve a quote in the amount of \$11,600 plus taxes, from Southern Asphalt Services Ltd. to repair and level two locations on Grid No. 734 where the road has slumped."

Reports of Administration

Resolution No. Council Update

2024-302 **Moved by:** Councillor Division No. 4 Nordstrom

"That the report of the Chief Administrative Officer be accepted as presented." CARRIED

Resolution No. <u>Communications</u>

2024-303 **Moved by:** Councillor Division No. 4 Nordstrom

"That the following communications and reports have been reviewed and the Chief Administrative Officer is authorized to file the same accordingly: a. U of S - Agricultural Health and Safety - Thanks for your support

b. Lumsden and District Heritage Home - June Newsletter

c. Lumsden and District Heritage Home - Minutes - April 22, 2024 and May 23, 2024

d. Miscellaneous."

CARRIED

<u>Bylaws</u>

Resolution No. Bylaw 2024-04 - Zoning Bylaw Map Amendment - SE-06-19-20-W2M - 2nd 2024-304 Reading Moved by: Councillor Division No. 3 Garbutt "That Bylaw No. 2024-04, being a Zoning Bylaw Map Amendment be read a second time." CARRIED **Resolution No.** Bylaw 2024-04 - Zoning Bylaw Map Amendment - SE-06-19-20-W2M - 3rd 2024-305 Reading Moved by: Councillor Division No. 5 Langford "That Bylaw No. 2024-04, being a Zoning Bylaw Map Amendment be read a third time, adopted, signed, and sealed." CARRIED

Youth Member, Jocelyn Young, left for the remainder of the meeting at 9:13 pm.

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Resolution No. 2024-306

Closed Session

Moved by: Councillor Division No. 4 Nordstrom

"That we move into Closed Session at 9:14 pm for the purpose of discussing strategic planning as allowed pursuant to Section 120 of *The Municipalities Act*, with staff to be included in the session."

Rise from Closed Session

At 9:38 pm, Council left the Closed Session and returned to the open meeting.

Resolution No.Closed Session - LAFOIP S. 16(1)(b) Employee-Related Matters2024-307Moved by: Councillor Division No. 3 Garbutt

"That we move into Closed Session at 9:38 pm for the purpose of discussing employee-related matters as allowed pursuant to Section 120 of *The Municipalities Act* (LAFOIP S. 6(1)(b)), with the Chief Administrative Officer to be included in the session."

Assistant Chief Administrative Officer, Krystal Strong, and Director of Planning and Development, Aimee Bryck, left for the remainder of the meeting at 9:38 pm.

Rise from Closed Session

At 10:18 pm, Council left the Closed Session and returned to the open meeting.

Resolution No. Heritage Home Memberships 2024-308 Moved by: Councillor Division

Moved by: Councillor Division No. 6 Jordison

"That we authorize the purchase of two Heritage Home Memberships and appoint Gail Russell and Councillor John Langford to represent the RM of Lumsden No. 189."

Resolution No. 2024-309

<u>Adjournment</u>

Moved by: Councillor Division No. 4 Nordstrom

"That we adjourn the meeting at 10:20 pm."

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Chief Administrative Officer