## RM OF MOOSE CREEK NO. 33

Minutes of the regular meeting of the Council of the R.M. of Moose Creek No. 33 which was held in the RM office, 118-5<sup>th</sup> Street, Alameda, SK on Wednesday, January 10, 2018 at 8:00am.

PRESENT:

Howard Sloan, Reed Gibson, Kim Dietze, Phil Yanchycki, Jeff Humphries, Kelvin Luedtke

Chief Administrative Officer Sentura Freitag, Assistant Administrator Michelle Needham

ABSENT:

Jeremy Nielsen

## **CALL TO ORDER:**

This meeting was called to order by the Reeve at 8:05A.M.

**BOND:** 

The Administrator presented the Bond for the office, the insurance policies and the Short Term

Disability Policy to Council. A copy of each will be filed.

## FOREMAN UPDATE: 8:05am-8:45am

Shop Committee update – Ag show in Brandon on January 18<sup>th</sup>

Western Star survey completed by Council

Foreman Kirk Brooks left the meeting at 8:45am

Minutes

01/18 Luedtke:

That the minutes of the regular meeting of December 13, 2017 shall be adopted as read, with the requested change to Motion 306-2017. **CARRIED** 

December

02/18 Humphries:

Statement

That the RM shall extend review of the detailed financial report for the month of December until 2017 year end is completed.

CARRIED

Foreman Kirk Brooks returned to the meeting at 9:00am

DELEGATE: 9:00am-9:30am Randy Swayze discussed the McCauley Crossing

Foreman Kirk Brooks left the meeting at 9:35am

Accrual Acct

03/18 Yanchycki:

Payable

That the following 2017 accrual accounts as submitted shall be paid:

•	Southern Plains Co-op	420.22
•	SaskTel	1,162.47
•	Girard Bulk	6,431.04
•	CU Mastercard	931.37
•	McComb Automotive	124.79
•	Loraas Disposal	313.14
•	Receiver General	7,368.60
•	Reed Gibson	398.04

**CARRIED** 

Accounts

04/18 Gibson:

Payable

That the 2018 accounts as submitted shall be paid.

**CARRIED** 

**OLD BUSINESS:** 

Capital Works 05/18 Humphries:

Meeting That the RM shall hold the Capital Works Planning meeting on Thursday, January 25th at

8:00am. **CARRIED** 

ADMINISTRATOR'S REPORT:

Admin

06/18 Dietze:

Report

That the RM shall accept the Administrator's Report as presented.

**CARRIED** 

OIL APPROVALS:

Oil Approvals 07/18 Gibson:

That the RM shall accept the oil approvals as attached.

CARRIED

CUSTOM WORK RATES:

Custom Rates 08/18 Luedtke:

That custom work rates shall remain as follows:

Grader/Operator

\$125.00/hour

Grader with blade/Operator

175.00/hour

Mower/Operator

100.00/hour

Loader/Operator

100.00/hour

Tractor/Operator

80.00/hour

Packer

200.00 per day

Gravel Rates

That gravel rates (hauled only) shall be set as follows:

Gravel Hauled

16.00/yd\*

12.00/yd (pit run)\*

\*A maximum of three loads of gravel per year at said costs shall be hauled to rate payers only.

These rates will be available to the Town of Alameda and Chopper K Auction Services.

CARRIED

Water tokens

09/18 Yanchycki:

That fees/charges shall be:

Water Well Keys/token \$40.00/year Commercial tokens \$100.00/year

Fax/Photocopy

\$1.00/page

CARRIED

Gopher tails

10/18 Yanchycki:

That bounty on gopher tails shall remain at \$0.30 per tail.

**CARRIED** 

Beaver

11/18 Yanchycki:

Trapper

That Mark Wenner and Terry Barnes shall be appointed Contract Beaver Trappers and shall be

paid \$50.00 per tail as commissioned by a member of council.

**CARRIED** 

Pound

12/18 Sloan:

That Chopper K shall be appointed as pound for the year 2018.

**CARRIED** 

PCO

13/18 Yanchycki:

That Terry Barnes shall be appointed as Pest Control Officer for the year 2018.

CARRIED

Weed

14/18 Dietze:

Inspector

That Slade Burnett shall be appointed Weed Inspector for the year 2018.

CARRIED

Solicitor

15/18 Gibson:

That John Billesberger, Billesberger Law Firm, 1017-3rd Street, Estevan, SK S4A 0R4 shall be appointed as solicitor for the year 2018. CARRIED

Auditor

16/18 Dietze:

That the RM shall appoint Cogent Business Consulting of Weyburn, SK as auditor for 2018.

**CARRIED** 

CAO

17/18 Humphries:

That Sentura Freitag shall be hired as Chief Administrative Officer, Returning Officer, Assessor, Treasurer for the year 2018 with a salary increase of 1.9%, \$78,615.00 plus

membership in the RMAA.

CARRIED

**BYLAW:** 

Bylaw 01/18

18/18 Yanchycki:

1st reading

That Bylaw 01-2018 A Bylaw to License the Excavation of Gravel from Gravel Pits shall be introduced and read a first time. CARRIED

Bylaw 01/18

19/18 Humphries:

2<sup>nd</sup> reading

That Bylaw 01-2018 A Bylaw to License the Excavation of Gravel from Gravel Pits shall be read a second time. CARRIED

*Bylaw 01/18* **20/18** Dietze:

3<sup>rd</sup> reading

That Bylaw 01-2018 A Bylaw to License the Excavation of Gravel from Gravel Pits shall be read a third time at this meeting. **CARRIED UNANIMOUSLY** 

Bylaw 01/18

21/18 Gibson:

That Bylaw 01-2018 A Bylaw to License the Excavation of Gravel from Gravel Pits shall be signed and sealed by the Reeve and Chief Administrative Officer. CARRIED

**NEW BUSINESS:** 

Sask

22/18 Yanchycki:

Lotteries

That the Saskatchewan Lotteries TIP Allocation shall be turned over to the Town of Alameda.

CARRIED

G.Krismer

23/18 Humphries:

& Assoc

That the RM shall appoint Clint Krismer, Gord Krismer, Jeff Hutton, Kirby Bodnard, Brenda Lauf, Cam Duncan, Dave Lang and Aileen Swenson of Gord Krismer & Associates as Development Appeals Board and Assessment Appeals Board and furthermore pay their retainer of \$150.00 plus GST when received. **CARRIED** 

EI rate

24/18 Luedtke:

That the RM shall acknowledge 2018 reduced EI rate of 1.04.

**CARRIED** 

SAMA AGM/

25/18 Dietze:

Workshop

That COA Sentura Freitag, Assistant Administrator Michelle Needham and Councillor Reed Gibson shall attend the SAMA Training Session and Annual Meeting in Saskatoon on April 10 and 11<sup>th</sup> at a cost of \$75.00 per person.

MLDP

26/18 Humphries:

That the Office Assistant Jennifer McNabb shall attend an MLDP module on March 13 at Regina at a cost of \$145.00 plus GST.

CARRIED

MLDP

27/18 Yanchycki:

That Council shall attend the MLDP modules on March 13 at Regina at a cost of \$145.00 plus GST per person.

CARRIED

EMO

28/18 Yanchycki:

That Councillors Nielsen and Gibson shall attend the EMO workshop to be held in Weyburn on February 27<sup>th</sup> and 28<sup>th</sup>.

Councillor Jeff Humphries left the meeting at 11:00am

SARM

29/18 Luedtke:

That the RM shall pay the following 2018 SARM accounts:

- Membership \$3,488.67 plus \$174.43 GST
- Bond for Office \$100.00 plus \$6.00 PST
- Self Insurance \$2,154.00 plus \$129.24 PST
- Excess Liability \$5 million \$1,664.00 plus \$99.84 PST
- Short term Disability \$12,576.96 (Council coverage of up to 50K each)
- Long term Disability \$7,593.70
- Extended Health & Dental Benefits Plan \$56,245.93
- Property Insurance \$10,230.81 plus \$613.85 GST
- Group Life \$953.28 plus \$57.20 PST
- Optional Life Insurance (Freitag) \$343.35
- Optional Life Insurance (McNabb) \$83.93

**CARRIED** 

Memberships

**30/18** Luedtke:

That the RM shall pay the following 2018 memberships:

•	RMAA (Freitag)	\$425.00
•	RMAA (Needham)	425.00
•	APAS	12,215.60
•	SETPC	600.00
•	Sask Parks and Recreation	upon invoice
•	Redcoat Waste	upon invoice
•	Agriculture in the Classroom	upon Invoice
•	SE Regional Library	4,054.80
•	Saskatchewan SPCA	upon invoice

CARRIED

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## **CORRESPONDENCE:**

- SARM:
  - 2018 SARM fees (legal and community planning)
  - 2018 SARM election for Division Directors (Div 1, 3 and 5)
  - Bill Huber seeking re-election for Division 1
- Sask Public Works Annual Conference Feb 27 March 1 @ Moose Jaw (\$400.00 plus GST)
- SETPC no January meeting; next meeting is February 27 @ 9:30am Carlyle
- Co-operators 2018 Farmers and Truckers Industry Event Feb 6 @ Yorkton 3pm-8pm
- Thank you from Fire Department

Corresp.

31/18 Gibson:

That the correspondence having been read shall be filed.

**CARRIED** 

Public Works

32/18 Yanchycki:

Conference

That the Foreman Kirk Brooks shall attend (if able) the Sask Public Works Annual Conference in Moose Jaw February 27<sup>th</sup> to March 1<sup>st</sup> at a cost of \$400.00 plus GST. **CARRIED** 

**DELEGATE:** Fire Chief Marlowe Brown 11:30am-11:55am attended to set up the fire app message system for the Fire Rangers and give a report.

Adjourn

33/18 Yanchycki:

12:00pm

That this meeting shall adjourn.

**CARRIED** 

Reeve