

TOWN OF BIENFAIT
Minutes of the Regular Meeting of Council
Wednesday, April 17, 2024 6:00 p.m.
Municipal Office at Bienfait, Saskatchewan

PRESENT: Mayor Ken Bonokoski
Councillors Ivan Boyer
Shirley Wheeler
Les Christensen
David Johnson
Gerald Resler
Melissa Rensby
Administrator Jessica Franklin

24/04/17-01 Call to Order:

A quorum being present, Mayor Ken Bonokoski called the meeting to order at 5:56 p.m.

24/04/17-02 Delegate

5:56 p.m. Kassie Krunick met with Council to discuss a complaint received regarding her dog.

6:03 p.m. Kassie Krunick departed the meeting.

24/04/17-04 Minutes:

Resler/Rensby

THAT the minutes of March 27, 2024, Regular Meeting of Council shall be approved as presented.

Carried

24/04/17-05 Reports:

Rensby/Johnson

THAT the following reports be accepted as presented:

- a. Verbal Reports
 - Council Reports
 - Public Works Written Report

Carried

24/04/17-06 Financials:

a. Bill List No. 1

Christensen/Boyer

THAT Bill List No. 1 as indicated by cheque #11358 – cheque #11384 in the amount of \$33,644.37 is approved for payment as presented.

Carried

b. Payroll List No. 1:

Johnson/Wheeler

THAT Payroll List No. 1 as indicated by cheque #10499 – cheque #10503 in the amount of \$8,550.76 is approved for payment as presented.

Carried

c. Council Renumeration:

Rensby/Boyer

THAT Council Renumeration for the months of April 2024 as indicated by cheque #10504 – cheque #10508 in the amount of \$2,120.00 is approved for payment as presented.

Carried

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24/04/17-07 Unfinished Business:

a.) Dump Box Removal Quotes

Johnson/Boyer

THAT the Town of Bienfait approves the quote from Richards Welding Inc. to remove the dump box and build a flatbed steel frame and mount on the 2013 Ford F350 for a cost of three thousand dollars (\$3,000.00) plus applicable taxes.

Carried

24/04/17-08 New Business:

a.) CHAOS Fire Service Repair Quote

Resler/Johnson

THAT the Town of Bienfait approves the estimate provided by CHAOS Fire Service and Repair for flow testing the fire trucks at a cost of one thousand eight hundred thirty dollars and sixty cents (\$1,830.60).

Carried

b.) Recreation Workshop Southeast Summit

Rensby/Wheeler

That the Town of Bienfait approves sending Sarah Yoner to the Southeast Summit on May 23, 2024, in Estevan, SK; AND that all travel and out-of-pocket expenses be paid by the Town of Bienfait.

Carried

c.) Gravel Purchase

Resler/Rensby

THAT the Public Works Committee shall prepare a list of roads and alleys within the Town of Bienfait requiring gravel, and that the Town of Bienfait shall purchase up to ten thousand dollars (\$10,000.00) of gravel, if required.

Carried

d.) Bylaw No. 1 (2024) Tax Incentives and Penalties

Wheeler/Johnson

THAT Bylaw No. 1 (2024) being a Bylaw to Establish Property Tax Incentives and Penalties be introduced and read for the first time.

Carried

Resler/Boyer

THAT Bylaw No. 1 (2024) be read for the second time.

Carried

Wheeler/Christensen

THAT the third and final reading of Bylaw No. 1 (2024) be permitted at this meeting.

Carried Unanimously

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- e.) **Bylaw No. 2 (2024) Collection and Disposal of Waste**
Wheeler/Johnson
THAT Bylaw No. 2 (2024) being a Bylaw for Collection and Disposal of Waste be introduced and read for the first time.

Carried

Resler/Boyer
THAT Bylaw No. 2 (2024) be read for the second time.

Carried

Wheeler/Christensen
THAT the third and final reading of Bylaw No. 2 (2024) be permitted at this meeting.

Carried Unanimously
- f.) **KGS Group Sewer Force Main Replacement Proposal**
Johnson/Boyer
THAT the Town of Bienfait received a cost estimate for engineering and construction on replacing the sewer force main from a portion of line between the lift station and the lagoon for a cost of three hundred nineteen thousand six hundred dollars (\$319,600.00) plus applicable taxes; AND that the town shall fill out a grant application and submit through SSEP.


Carried
- g.) **Complaint April 12, 2024**
Rensby/Christensen
THAT a letter be sent to 329 Aldridge Street requesting the resident to license their dogs, as well as referencing the nuisance abatement bylaw.

Carried
- h.) **Complaint April 15, 2024**
Rensby/Christensen
THAT a letter and a five-hundred-dollar (\$500.00) fine be sent to 214 Aldridge Street regarding a complaint about the resident's loose dog aggressively approaching a person as per Bylaw No. 8 (2006) Animal Control Bylaw.

Carried
- i.) **Complaint April 15, 2024**
Rensby/Christensen
THAT the complaint received April 15, 2024, be filed with the previous complaint received April 15, 2024, as it is concerning the same loose aggressive dog.

Carried
- j.) **GFL Recycling Bin**
Wheeler/Johnson
THAT the Town of Bienfait shall request the 3 yards recycle bin from Green for Life Environmental Inc. at a reduced monthly cost of fifty-seven dollars and seventy-nine cents (57.79); and this bin shall be emptied Mondays, Wednesdays and Fridays.

Carried


- k.) **Application for a Business License**
Johnson/Rensby
THAT the request to operate a home-based nail salon under the business name of Its-A-Vibe as submitted by Tamara Russett be approved as presented; and that it be subject to the current license fee.

Carried

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24/04/17-09 Correspondence:

Rensby/Boyer

THAT the correspondence as listed on the agenda be acknowledged and filed for future reference.

Carried

24/04/17-10 Other Business:

Garbage Compactor

Christensen/Wheeler

THAT the Town of Bienfait shall haul the garbage compactor to Myrglod Steel & Metals Inc.

Carried

Pump Belt Replacement

Johnson/Resler

THAT the Town of Bienfait shall purchase one (1) banded belt for the cost of five hundred eight dollars and seventy-five cents (\$508.75) plus applicable taxes.

Carried

24/04/17-11 Adjournment:

Bonokoski/Rensby

THAT this meeting be adjourned at 7:46 p.m.

Carried

Mayor



Administrator