MINUTES OF THE REGULAR MEETING OF THE COUNCIL OF THE TOWN OF REDWATER HELD IN COUNCIL CHAMBERS November 5, 2019

Present

Mayor Mel Smith
Councillor Connie Butcher
Councillor Les Dorosh
Councillor David McRae
Councillor Joanne Williams
Councillor Dwayne Spicer

Absent

Councillor Rob Olsen

Staff

Larry Davidson, Town Manager Jodi Brown, Community Services Manager Ryan Musch, Accounting Supervisor Nawaz Panhwer, Infrastructure Manager Anne-Marie Cholach, Administration Assistant Kelly Exley, Bylaw Enforcement Officer Kylie Rude, Recording Secretary

CALL TO ORDER

Mayor Smith called the meeting to order at 6:30 pm.

APPROVAL OF AGENDA

19-270 Moved by Mayor Smith that Derrick Interpretive Centre Lighting Upgrades be added to the agenda as item 9.5.

CARRIED

19-271 Moved by Councillor Butcher that the agenda be adopted as amended.

CARRIED

DELEGATIONS

Public Works Award

6:30 - 6:36 pm

Anne-Marie Cholach left the meeting at 6:36 pm.

Bylaw Officer Introduction - Kelly Exley

6:37 - 6:44 pm

Kelly Exley left the meeting at 6:44 pm.

ADOPTION OF MINUTES

19-272 Moved by Councillor McRae that the minutes of the October 15, 2019 Regular Council Meeting be adopted as circulated.

CARRIED

19-273 Moved by Councillor Dorosh that the minutes of the October 15, 2019 Organizational Meeting be adopted as circulated.

CARRIED

19-274 Moved by Councillor Williams that the minutes of the October 28, 2019 Special Council Meeting be adopted as circulated.

CARRIED

19-275 Moved by Councillor Spicer that the minutes of the October 29, 2019 Special Council Meeting be adopted as circulated.

CARRIED

19-276 Moved by Councillor McRae that the minutes of the November 4, 2019 Special Council Meeting be adopted as circulated.

CARRIED

BYLAWS

Utility Rates, Fees & Billings Bylaw 877

19-277 Moved by Councillor Spicer that Bylaw 877, being a bylaw for the purpose of establishing Utility Rates, Fees and Billings for the Town of Redwater and to repeal Bylaw 872, be given first reading.

CARRIED

Ryan Musch left the meeting at 6:48 pm.

Procedural Bylaw 876

19-278 Moved by Councillor Dorosh that Bylaw 876, being a bylaw for the purpose of regulating the proceedings of council of the Town of Redwater and to repeal Bylaw 800 and Bylaw 814, be given first reading.

CARRIED

NEW BUSINESS

Asset Management Policy

19-279 Moved by Councillor Dorosh that Council adopt the Asset Management Policy 325 as presented.

CARRIED

Pembina Place Structural Assessment

19-280 Moved by Councillor Butcher that Council direct Administration to proceed with the structural assessment of the Pembina Place by Associated Engineering as per the attached proposal.

CARRIED

Jessie's House Letter of Support

19-281 Moved by Councillor Williams that Council approve submission of the attached support letter to the Honorable Rajan Sawhney (Minister of Community and Social Services) in support of the Jessica Martel Memorial Foundation and their efforts to seek operational funding for Jessie's House; an emergency first stage shelter in the Sturgeon Region.

CARRIED

Federation of Alberta Gas Co-ops Mutual Aid Agreement

19-282 Moved by Councillor McRae that Council approve the signing of the Federation of Alberta Gas Co-op Ltd. mutual aid agreement.

CARRIED

Derrick Lighting Upgrades

19-283 Moved by Councillor Spicer that Council direct Administration approves the Derrick and Interpretive Centre lighting upgrades, funded by the shortfall in costs within the street maintenance budget.

CARRIED

REPORTS

Council Reports

Councillor Butcher – Roseridge meeting, Gibbons business breakfast, budget meetings, meeting with RCMP, Leduc Mayor's breakfast

Councillor Spicer - budget meetings, meeting with RCMP

Councillor McRae – Northern Alberta Mayor's Caucus, School Board meeting, Chamber of Commerce Awards, Federation of AB Gas Co-ops meeting, budget meetings, RCMP meeting, Leduc Mayor's breakfast

Councillor Dorosh – Community Services Board meeting, School Board meeting, Chamber of Commerce awards, Gibbons business breakfast, budget meetings, meeting with RCMP, CRASC meeting

Councillor Williams – budget meetings, Community Services Policy Committee meeting, Community Services Board meeting, Life in the Heartland event, Gibbons business breakfast, RCMP meeting

Mayor Smith – Military luncheon, CRNWSC meeting, Gibbons business breakfast, Community Services Policy Committee meeting, Edmonton Salutes meeting, budget meetings, RCMP meeting, School Board meeting,

19-284 Moved by Councillor Butcher that all reports be accepted as information.

CARRIED

COUNCIL CORRESPONDENCE & INFORMATION ITEMS

Health Advisory Council Kris Kringle VTRA Protocol Signing Wolf Midstream Meeting

19-285 Moved by Councillor Butcher that all correspondence be accepted as information.

CARRIED

Mayor Smith declared a recess at 7:43 pm.

Mayor Smith reconvened the meeting at 7:50 pm.

CLOSED SESSION ITEMS

19-286 Moved by Councillor Butcher that Council move to closed session at 7:50 pm (Section 16 (1), 23 (1) & 24 (1) of the FOIP Act). Larry Davidson and Nawaz Panhwer stayed for the closed session to provide Administrative advice.

CARRIED

19-287 Moved by Councillor Butcher that Council return to open session at 8:14 pm.

CARRIED

CARRIED

ADJOURNMENT

19-288 Moved by Councillor Spicer that the Regular Council Meeting adjourn at 8:14 pm.

TÖWN/MANAGER