## MINUTES OF THE REGULAR MEETING OF COUNCIL OF THE RURAL MUNICIPALITY OF ENTERPRISE NO. 142 HELD IN THE COUNCIL CHAMBERS AT #108 HWY 371 IN RICHMOUND, SASKATCHEWAN ON THURSDAY, MARCH 21, 2024

**Present were** Reeve Mario Koch, Administrator Raylene Packet and the following Councillors:

Kelly Herter	Councillor Division No. 1
Milt Klaudt	Councillor Division No. 3
Brent Maier	Councillor Division No. 4
Jordan Schell	Councillor Division No. 5
Darrell B. Koch	Councillor Division No. 6

## **Call to Order**

Hall

A quorum being present; Reeve Mario Koch called the meeting to order at 4:30 p.m.

**Delegate: Foreman Bill McEwan.** Bill entered Council Chambers at 4:31 p.m. to present his foreman's report and left Council Chambers at 4:40 p.m.

Acknowledge 045-24 KLAUDT: THAT we acknowledge delegate Foreman Bill McEwan and accept his

Delegate report as presented.

CARRIED

Minutes **046-24 HERTER:** THAT the minutes of the Regular Meeting of Council held on

Thursday, February 8, 2024 be approved as presented.

CARRIED

Financial **047-24 MAIER:** THAT the Statement of Receipts and Payments for the month of

Statement February 2024 be accepted as presented.

Councillor Darrell B. Koch abstained from voting.

CARRIED

Accounts **048-24 SCHELL: THAT** the following accounts be approved for payment:

Cheques 3338 to 3366 & EFT 2024-0010 to 0017 in the amount of

\$56,904.46 and payroll in the amount of \$21,500.72.

CARRIED

Corres- **049-24 D. KOCH: THAT** the Correspondence having been presented be filed.

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Reports **050-24 KLAUDT: THAT** we accept the Committee and Administrator reports as

presented.

CARRIED

**Delegate: Aaron Bauer, P.Eng.** Aaron entered Council Chambers at 5:04 p.m. to give an update on the Inter-provincial Irrigation Feasibility Study and the project. Aaron also gave a report on the McLaren Lake Regional Park finances and future capital plans. He left Council Chambers at 5:27 p.m.

Acknowledge **051-24 HERTER:** THAT we acknowledge delegate Aaron Bauer.

Delegate CARRIED

Irrigation **052-24 HERTER: THAT** we agree to meet with Cypress County to review the irrigation

Project brought forward by Aaron Bauer.

CARRIED

Community 053-24 MAIER: THAT on behalf of Council we designate Councillor Jordan Schell and

Councillor Darrell B. Koch to meet with the Village of Richmound to

discuss the Richmound Community Hall.

Councillor Brent Maier abstained from voting.

Reports **054-24 SCHELL: THAT** we accept the Reeve's report reports as presented.

**CARRIED** 

CARRIED

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**Delegate: Tom Tuchscherer.** Tom spoke from 6:11 to 6:14 p.m. regarding an incident that occurred in November 2023 in which council was having a discussion about.

Road **055-24 SCHELL: THAT** the Road Committee has hereby limited the weights of all vehicle's effective midnight, March 12, 2024 as per the Road

Restrictions Order 01-2024.

**CARRIED** 

Gravel **056-24 KLAUDT:** Tenders

**THAT** we accept the 2024 gravel spreading tender submitted by C. Sehn Trucking Ltd. In the amount of \$0.55/yd/mile, \$1.10/yd loading

and a one time \$1,400.00 loader mobilization fee.

**CARRIED** 

Record retention

057-24 HERTER:

**THAT** we approve the list presented to Council for records to be

destroyed in respect to the Records Retention Bylaw.

**CARRIED** 

Sask Labour Seminar 058-24 HERTER:

**THAT** we pay the registration fee and approve the Administrator to attend the Saskatchewan Labour Update 2024 seminar in Regina on May 8, 2024.

**CARRIED** 

McLaren Lake **059-24 HERTER:** 

Funding

**THAT** we donate \$10,000.00 annually for five years to the McLaren Lake Regional Park for capital purchases and projects, the Lake Board will provide the R.M. with financials and project reports annually.

**CARRIED** 

Bylaw 02-2024 060-24 MAIER:

**THAT** Bylaw 02-2024 being a bylaw to regulate the proceedings of municipal council and council's committees be read a first time.

**CARRIED** 

Bylaw 03-2024 061-24 KLAUDT:

THAT Bylaw 03-2024 being a bylaw to regulate the code of ethics of

the municipal council be read a first time.

**CARRIED** 

Recess

062-24 M. KOCH:

**THAT** we move to recess for fifteen minutes at 6:55 p.m.

CARRIED

The meeting reconvened at 7:08 p.m.

Closed Session 063-24 HERTER:

**THAT** this meeting now be moved to a "Closed Session" to discuss Code of Ethics complaints 01-2024, 02-2014, and 03-2024 at 7:08

p.m.

**CARRIED** 

The meeting reconvened at 7:27 p.m.

Councillor Brent Maier requested a recorded vote on the following motion:

Code of Ethics

064-24 HERTER:

**THAT** we dismiss the three Code-of-Ethics complaints received by the Administrator dated: March 18, 2024 – #01-2024, March 20, 2024 –

#02-2024, and March 20, 2024 – #03-2024.

Recorded vote:

Reeve Mario Koch – for Councillor Kelly Herter – for Councillor Milt Klaudt – for Councillor Brent Maier – for Councillor Jordan Schell – for Councillor Darrell B. Koch – for

**CARRIED** 

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Councillor Brent Maier requested a recorded vote on the following motion:

D. B. Koch Reimburse

SARM hotel

Reeve

065-24 HERTER:

**THAT** we reinstate Councillor Darrell B. Koch's remuneration, benefits and expense reimbursements from the time of February's meeting and going forward at this time.

Recorded vote:

Reeve Mario Koch – for Councillor Kelly Herter – for Councillor Milt Klaudt – for Councillor Brent Maier – against Councillor Jordan Schell – for Councillor Darrell B. Koch – for

**CARRIED** 

Councillor Milt Klaudt left council chambers at 7:37 p.m. Councillor Brent Maier left council chambers at 7:37 p.m.

D. B. Koch **066-24 KLAUDT:** 

**THAT** the R.M. of Enterprise No. 142 send the reimbursement for Councillor Darrell B. Koch's SARM Convention hotel room to the

Maple Creek Trust Fund in the amount of \$572.79.

Administrator

**CARRIED** 

Adjourn **067-24 SCHELL: THAT** this meeting now be adjourned at 7:37 p.m.