DISTRICT OF CHETWYND

Minutes of the Regular Council Meeting

Date: September 3, 2019

Time: 4:30 p.m.

Location: Council Chambers

Present: Mayor Courtoreille

Coun. Bassendowski

Coun. Deck Coun. Disher Coun. Galbraith Coun. Wark Coun. Weisgerber

C. Newsom, Chief Administrative Officer

A. Adams, Director of Engineering & Public Works L. Wilfur, Executive Assistant (Recording Secretary)

Absent: Nil

1. Call to Order

Mayor Courtoreille called the meeting to order at 4:31 p.m. and an opening statement was read.

2. Adoption of Agenda

MOVED by Coun. Galbraith, SECONDED by Coun. Weisgerber

THAT the Regular Council Meeting Agenda for September 3, 2019 be adopted as circulated.

CARRIED

3. Minutes

M-1 MOVED by Coun. Galbraith, SECONDED by Coun. Deck

Minutes of the

Regular Council

THAT the minutes of the Regular Council Meeting held on August 12, 2019 be

adopted as circulated.

Meeting

CARRIED

4. Delegations & Presentations

D-1

Shaely Wilbur, President,

South Peace

Health

Services

Society re: Bulterys Community

House

Shaely Wilber, President, South Peace Health Services Society (SPHSS) provided Council with a brief presentation as outlined below regarding the Bulterys Community House Project:

- Board of Directors is composed of elected volunteers from the South Peace area.
- In December of 2018 the SPHSS obtained property within walking distance of the Dawson Creek & District Hospital, close to public transportation and amenities.

0230.40.13

- The house will provide affordable accommodations for patients from the region who are receiving medical treatment in Dawson Creek.
- Construction completion date is December 2019 with the doors to open in February 2020.
- Upon project completion the house will have seven bedrooms, a shared kitchen and eating area, 2 lounge rooms, and shared laundry. Full washroom facilities on each floor, one room with an ensuite and a half bath in the common area of the main floor.
- Council was provided with a copy of the Bulterys Community House Operational Business Plan.
- Ms. Wilbur advised Council that the board is currently looking for a representative from Chetwynd.
- Ms. Wilbur requested that Council consider the Bulterys House when doing future budgets.

Council thanked Ms. Wilbur for the presentation.

5. Bylaws

Nil

6. Council Committee and Liaison Reports

CR-4 MOVED by Coun. Bassendowski, SECONDED by Coun. Deck

Administrator's

Report

THAT the report dated August 28, 2019 re: Administrative Update, be

0550.04.01 received.

CARRIED

7. Discussion Items

DI-1

MOVED by Coun. Weisgerber, SECONDED by Coun. Wark

***Enbridge re:

Open House 6850.50.06

THAT the email from Enbridge dated August 26, 2019 re: Open House, be received; and

THAT Council authorize the Mayor or Alternate to attend the Enbridge Open House on September 19, 2019 in Fort St. John, BC.

CARRIED***

DI-2 MOVED by Coun. Wark, SECONDED by Coun. Galbraith

Environmental THAT the email from Environmental Assessment Office dated August 26, Assessment Office re: Working Group for the Proposed Frontier Project between Chetwynd and Taylor, BC, be received; and

Working Group

for the Proposed THAT Council authorize the Mayor or Alternate to participate on the Frontier Project Working Group for the Proposed Frontier Project.

6850.50.06

CARRIED***

8. Correspondence

C-1 MOVED by Coun. Deck, SECONDED by Coun. Weisgerber

Minister of

Education – THAT Provincial 2019 re Public Library

THAT the letter from Minister of Education Rob Fleming dated August 20, 2019 re: Provincial Public Library Funding, be received for information; and

Funding 0400.20.06

C-2

THAT the letters from North Central Local Government Association re: Minister Responses to Resolutions, be received for information; and

NCLGA – Minister Responses to Resolutions 0230.40.03

C-3 THAT the email from North Central Local Government Association dated NCLGA – August 6, 2019 re: July 26 & 27, 2019 Board Meeting Highlights, be received for information; and

Board Meeting Highlights 0230.40.03

C-4 THAT the email from Bruce Gibbons dated August 10, 2019 re: Protection of Bruce Gibbons

- Protection of Groundwater

THAT the email from Bruce Gibbons dated August 10, 2019 re: Protection of Groundwater - Stop Bottling of Groundwater along with response from the Director of Engineering & Public Works, be received for information.

0530.20.01 CARRIED

9. Information Items

II-1 MOVED by Coun. Weisgerber, SECONDED by Coun. Wark

Information

Items THAT Information Items I-1 – I-8 be received for information.

I-1 - I-8

0550.02 CARRIED

10. Reports for Action

RA-1
***Boulevard

MOVED by Coun. Galbraith, SECONDED by Coun. Bassendowski

Walkway Trail Lighting 5860,20

THAT the report dated August 27, 2019 re: Boulevard Walkway Trail Lighting prepared by the Parks Department, be received; and

THAT Council approve the expenditure for the contract to D&S Electric Ltd for \$140,391.60.

CARRIED***

RA-2

MOVED by Coun. Wark, SECONDED by Coun. Disher

***Property
Maintenance
Requirements
Review

THAT the report dated August 20, 2019 re: Property Maintenance Requirements Review prepared by the Bylaw Enforcement Department, be received; and

THAT Council encourage the planting of bee friendly flora in neatly maintained garden beds in keeping with the spirit of the Property Maintenance and Unsightly Premises Bylaw No. 912, 2009.

CARRIED***

RA-3

MOVED by Coun. Deck, SECONDED by Coun. Wark

Disposal of Surplus Equipment 1090.02

THAT the report dated August 27, 2019 re: Disposal of Surplus Equipment prepared by the Engineering & Public Works Department, be received; and

THAT Council authorizes administration to dispose of Unit 3003 – 1984 Ford Tractor, in a method to maximize the return to the District.

CARRIED

RA-4

MOVED by Coun. Galbraith, SECONDED by Coun. Wark

***Streets and Traffic Bylaw Proposed Amendment

THAT the report dated August 28, 2019 re: Streets and Traffic Bylaw Proposed Amendment prepared by the Bylaw Enforcement – Engineering and Public Works Department, be received; and

THAT Council authorize the preparation of an amendment to Streets and Traffic Bylaw No. 909, 2007 to include, "Except when necessary to avoid conflict with traffic, to comply with the law, the direction of a peace officer, traffic patrol or traffic control device, and except while operating a municipal or provincial utility vehicle or vehicles while engaged in their duties, no person shall stop, stand or park a vehicle on any street or road that is designated as a snow removal route (excluding commercial zones) during the period of October 1st to May 31st inclusive, effective each and every year. Parking on a snow removal route (excluding commercial zones) is prohibited and any vehicle that

is parked in violation of this regulation may be towed and impounded."

Definition:

"SNOW REMOVAL ROUTE: Each and every highway and portion of highway within the jurisdiction of the District shall be designated a Snow Removal Route."

OPPOSED: Councillor Weisgerber

CARRIED***

11. Reports for Information

Nil

12. New Business

Nil

13. Public Question Period

Nil

14. Adjournment MOVED by Coun. Deck, SECONDED by Coun. Bassendowski

THAT the meeting be adjourned.

CARRIED

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The meeting was adjourned at 5:10 p.m.

Carol Newsom
Corporate Officer

Allen Courtoreille

Mayor

Certified a true and correct copy of the Minutes of the Regular Council Meeting held on September 3, 2019 in the Council Chambers.

Carol Newsom

Corporate Officer