

PRESS RELEASE
Town Council Meeting
August 25, 2015

Attendance: Mayor: Elvina Rumak; Councilors: Brent Dyck, Glen McCaffery, Paula Kowalko, Betty Lou Palko, Darwin Dallyn, Mel Cadrain; Chief Administrative Officer: Richard Dolezsar; Community Development Director: Jeanine Holowatuik; Recreation Facilities Maintenance Manager: Vince Simpson

The following were received and acknowledged:

- August 11, 2015 Regular Meeting Minutes
- Community Development Director's Report
- Recreation Facilities Maintenance Manager's Report
- Financial Statement & Bank Reconciliation
- Accounts
- Overtime Report
- Various Correspondence

PARAMOUNT PAVING – BASE GRAVEL

Council confirmed purchase of approximately 1700 cu yd of base gravel from Paramount Paving at \$38.00 per yard, payment to be made 50% now and the balance within one year or upon use of the material.

STEWART HAWKE PROPERTY - NESD

The Town will request the NESD to transfer the Stewart Hawke school yard and playground area in exchange for the new school site and suggest a public tender of Stewart Hawke structures and property they occupy and, pending results of the tenders, that the Town will request a final option to acquire the balance of property and/or structures.

TAX ENFORCEMENT LIST

The 2015 Tax Lien List was approved for advertising.

TAX ENFORCEMENT – FIRST APPLICATION FOR TITLE

Council authorized First Application for Title under the provisions of the Tax Enforcement Act.

HAMJEA STREET PROJECT - ENGINEERING

Council accepted the August 13, 2015 proposal of Bullée Consulting Ltd. for engineering services for the design of roadway construction of Hamjea Street from 2nd Avenue to the proposed extents of the school paving works.

SOAP BOX DERBY

Council approved the temporary street closure of First Avenue from Churchill Street to Hudson Street on Saturday, September 19, 2015 to accommodate the annual Soap Box Derby.

AIRPORT FUEL FACILITY - INSURANCE

The Town will bind \$2M Premises and Products Liability with AON Reed Stenhouse for the Town's Airport Fuel Facility as per their August 12th proposal.

HANDIVAN OPERATOR

Council accepted the recommendation of the Handivan Committee that Gene Speare be appointed as Handivan driver effective immediately.

RIDDOCH – EXPRESSION OF INTEREST – 316 MAIN STREET

Council acknowledged the August 20, 2015 expression of interest in the 316 Main Street property by Richard and Lori Riddoch and will advise the purpose of the Town's land assembly of in fill properties is for new residential units.

ARENA OPENING

Council confirmed an Arena opening date of October 5, 2015 to accommodate the planned Minor Hockey programs.