

Rural Municipality of Whitehead

Meeting Minutes

Regular Meeting of Council February 13, 2023 - 05:30 PM (Municipal Office)

In attendance: Reeve Trevor Tuttosi, Councillor Dennis Foerster, Councillor Kevin Klassen, Councillor Kaley Mykula, Councillor Jeff Owens, Councillor Chris Semeschuk and Councillor Curtis Storey

1 CALL TO ORDER

2 ADOPTION OF THE AGENDA

2023-019

Councillor Foerster - Councillor Semeschuk

Resolved that the Agenda be adopted as presented. CARRIED UNANIMOUSLY

3 ADOPTION OF MINUTES

2023-020

Councillor Owens - Councillor Storey

Resolved that the minutes from January 9, 2023 be approved as presented.

CARRIED UNANIMOUSLY

4 DELEGATIONS

4.1 Griswold Cemetery Lack of Funding - Rob Willman and Russel Thiessen

Mr. Robert Willman appeared before council concerning the lack of funding provided to the Griswold Cemetery in 2022. He noted that the maintenance of the cemetery was provided by volunteers and that additional maintenance had been needed. In closing, Mr. Willman noted the number of Whitehead residents that had been laid to rest at the cemetery.

2023-021

Councillor Storey - Councillor Mykula

That the delegation from Rob Willman and Russel Thiessen regarding the Griswold Cemetery Lack of Funding be received. **CARRIED UNANIMOUSLY**

4.2 Municipal Maps, Road, Poor Management -Robert Curtis and Cindy Izzard

Ms. Cindy Izzard presented to council her concerns with the new municipal map. She noted that the maps had assessed values list and that there was an inconsistency with same throughout the map. She questioned the change in format.

Mr. Robert Curtis spoke to the condition of certain roads throughout the municipality and requested that same be investigated.

2023-022

Councillor Semeschuk - Councillor Storey

That the presentation by Robert Curtis and Cindy Izzard on Municipal Maps, Roads and Poor Management be received. **CARRIED UNANIMOUSLY**

5 PUBLIC HEARINGS

2023-023

Councillor Klassen - Councillor Storey

Be it resolved that the regular meeting of council be recessed to allow council to hold a Public Hearing to receive representations for any person who wishes to make them in respect to the following:

CO2023-01 - To allow for a non-farm dwelling located in the "AG" Agricultural Zone

V2023-01 - To reduce the residual agricultural parcel down from the minimum 80 acres required to the 58.22 acres.

Time: 6:05 pm. CARRIED UNANIMOUSLY

5.1 Close Public Hearing and Open Next

2023-024

Councillor Storey - Councillor Owens

Whereas all representatives in regard to matters listed below have been dealt with:

CO2023-01 - To allow for a non-farm dwelling located in the "AG" Agricultural Zone

V2023-01 - To reduce the residual agricultural parcel down from the minimum 80 acres required to the 58.22 acres

Therefore be it resolved that the public hearing be concluded, and the next Public Hearing:

CO2023-02 - to allow a non-farm dwelling located in the "AG" Agricultural Zone

V20230-02 - to increase the maximum 10 acres size of proposed lot 1 to the 13.3 acres being proposed in the "AG" Agricultural Zone.

Time: 6:07 pm. CARRIED UNANIMOUSLY

5.1.1 Close Public Hearing and Resume Regular Session

2023-025

Reeve Tuttosi - Councillor Foerster

Whereas all representatives in regard to matters listed below have been dealt with:

CO2023-02 - to allow a non-farm dwelling located in the "AG" Agricultural Zone

V20230-02 - to increase the maximum 10 acres size of proposed lot 1 to the 13.3 acres being proposed in the "AG" Agricultural Zone.

Therefore be it resolved that the public hearing be concluded, and council resume its normal order of business.

Time: 6:08 pm. CARRIED UNANIMOUSLY

6 BYLAWS AND POLICIES

6.1 Indemnity By-law No. 2023-01

2023-026

Reeve Tuttosi - Councillor Storey

That Indemnity By-law No. 2023-01 be read a first time. CARRIED UNANIMOUSLY

6.2 Indemnity By-law No. 2023-01

2023-027

Councillor Foerster - Councillor Mykula

That Indemnity By-law No, 2023-01 be read a second time. CARRIED UNANIMOUSLY

6.3 Annual Fee Schedule By-Law No. 2023-02

2023-028

Councillor Owens - Councillor Storey

That the Annual Fee Schedule By-law No. 2023-02 be read a first time.

CARRIED UNANIMOUSLY

7 ACCOUNTS

2023-029

Resolved that the List of Accounts as paid for January, cheques numbers #14921 to #14964 (both inclusive) totaling \$622,194.83 and Direct Deposit Register totaling \$28,891.29 be approved.

TABLED

7.1 Council Indemnities

2023-030

Councillor Semeschuk - Councillor Storey

The following members of Council are paid:

Councillor Kevin Klassen

\$450.00 (3 days AMM - November 2022)

Reeve Tuttosi

\$171.35 (Western Caucus, December 9,2022)

\$50.00 (WERWC December 16, 2022)

Total \$221.35

Councillor Kaley Mykula

\$20.00 - LUD Meeting Jan 30, 2023 (1 hour). CARRIED UNANIMOUSLY

7.2 Bank Reconciliation

2023-031

Councillor Klassen - Councillor Semeschuk

Resolved that the December 2022 Bank Reconciliation be approved as presented.

CARRIED UNANIMOUSLY

8 CORRESPONDENCE

2023-032

Councillor Mykula - Councillor Klassen

Resolved that the Correspondence listed below be read and ordered filed.

- 1- Letter from Fire Chief Kelly Crosson Snow Clearing
- 2- Letter from Shelley Jansen Municipal Relations Regional Library Services
- 3- Brandon Regional Health Centre Community Contribution
- 4- RCMP Policing Report and Occurrence Stats
- 5- Letter from Cindy Izzard Municipal Map. CARRIED UNANIMOUSLY

9 SUBDIVISION

10 UNFINISHED BUSINESS

11 NOTICE / GIVING OF MOTION

12 NEW BUSINESS

12.1 Conditional Use Application No. CO2023-01

2023-033

Reeve Tuttosi - Councillor Klassen

WHEREAS George Thiessen had made an application for a conditional use CO2023-01 - to allow for a non-farm dwelling located in the "AG" Agricultural Zone

AND WHEREAS a Public Hearing was held on February 13, 2023 as stated in the notice to hear any representation for or against the application:

THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED that Conditional Use CO2023-01 - to allow a non-farm dwelling in the "AG" Agricultural Zone be approved. **CARRIED UNANIMOUSLY**

12.2 Variation Application No. V2023-01

2023-034

Councillor Foerster - Councillor Semeschuk

WHEREAS George Thiessen had made an application for a Variation Application No. V2023-01 - to reduce the residual agricultural parcel down from the minimum 80 acres required to the 58.22 acres.

AND WHEREAS a Public Hearing was held on February 13, 2023 as stated in the notice to hear any representation for or against the application:

THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED that Variation Application V2023-01 - to reduce the residual agricultural parcel down from the minimum 80 acres required to the 58.22 acres.

CARRIED UNANIMOUSLY

12.3 Conditional Use Application No. - CO2023-02

2023-035

Councillor Owens - Councillor Foerster

WHEREAS Molly Stewart had made an application for a Conditional Use CO2023-02 - to allow for a non-farm dwelling located in the "AG" Agricultural Zone

AND WHEREAS a Public Hearing was held on February 13, 2023 as stated in the notice to hear any representation for or against the application:

THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED that Conditional Use CO2023-02 - to allow a non-farm dwelling in the "AG" Agricultural Zone be approved. **CARRIED UNANIMOUSLY**

12.4 Variation Application No. V2023-02

2023-036

Councillor Storey - Councillor Mykula

WHEREAS Molly Stewart had made an application for a Variation Order No. V2023-02 - to increase the maximum 10 acre size of proposed lot 1 to the 13.3 acres being proposed in the "AG" Agricultural General Zone.

AND WHEREAS a Public Hearing was held on February 13, 2023 as stated in the notice to hear

any representation for or against the application:

THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED that Variation Order No. V2023-02 - to increase the maximum 10 acre size of proposed lot 1 to the 13.3 acres being proposed in the "AG" Agricultural General Zone be approved. **CARRIED UNANIMOUSLY**

12.5 Utility Connection Policy & Application GG-05

2023-037

Councillor Semeschuk - Councillor Klassen

That the Utility Connection Policy & Application be approved as presented.

CARRIED UNANIMOUSLY

12.6 Abuse and Molestation Policy

2023-038

That the Abuse and Molestation Policy 2023/1 be adopted as per the Association of Manitoba Municipalities General Insurance Program. **DEFERRED**

12.7 Regular Meeting of Council Dates, Times and Location

2023-039

Councillor Klassen - Councillor Mykula

Be It Resolved that the 2023 Regular Meetings of Council date, times and location as listed below be approved.

Futher Be It Resolved that the Regular Meeting date, times and locations could be changed with advanced notice by way of resolution as per the procedure by-law.

March 13, 2023 - Municipal Office - 8:30 am

April 11, 2023 - Kemnay Hall - 5:30 pm

May 15, 2023 - Municipal Office - 8:30 am

June 12, 2023 – Municipal Office – 5:30 pm

July 10, 2023 - Municipal Office - 8:30 am

August 14, 2023 - Kemnay Hall - 5:30 pm

September 11, 2023 – Municipal Office – 8:30 am

October 10, 2023 – Municipal Office – 5:30 pm

November 14, 2023 – Municipal Office – 8:30 am

December 11, 2023 - Kemnay Hall - 5:30 pm. CARRIED UNANIMOUSLY

12.8 Emergency Services Committee

2023-040

Reeve Tuttosi - Councillor Storey

That the Fire & Emergency Services Committee be a Committee of the Whole.

CARRIED UNANIMOUSLY

13 COMMITTEE AND BOARDS REPORTS

14 IN CAMERA

2023-041

Councillor Storey - Councillor Mykula

BE IT RESOLVED THAT this regular meeting now adjourns to an "in camera" meeting to discuss matters in the preliminary stages as per Subsection 152(3)(b)(iii) of The Municipal Act and all matters discussed in-camera are confidential until discussed in an open meeting as per Section 83(1)(d) of The Municipal Act. **CARRIED UNANIMOUSLY**

14.1 Human Resources, Legal, Land Acquisition

14.2 BACK TO OPEN SESSION

2023-042

Reeve Tuttosi - Councillor Storey

BE IT RESOLVED THAT this 'in camera' meeting does now resume back to a regular meeting.

CARRIED UNANIMOUSLY

14.3 Firefighter Remunerations

2023-043

Councillor Foerster - Reeve Tuttosi

That Administrations report be approved as presented. CARRIED UNANIMOUSLY

14.4 Cemetery Request Delegation

2023-044

Councillor Foerster - Councillor Mykula

That delegation 4.1 Griswold Cemetery Lack of Funding by Rob Willman and Russell Thiessen receive additional funding to provide maintenance and ground keeping be approved. **DEFEATED**

15 Adjournment

2023-045

Councillor Mykula - Councillor Klassen

Resolved that we now adjourn at 9:33 pm to meet again on March 13, 2023 at 8:30 am for a Regular Council meeting or at the call of the Reeve. **CARRIED UNANIMOUSLY**