Minutes of the Regular Meeting of the Council of the Town of Luseland held on Tuesday, November 9, 2021.

PRESENT:

Mayor Kathy Wurz, Councillors Krystal Bazylinski, Charlie Boser, Bobbi Elliott, Edie Gillis, Neil Kennedy, Candice Kraft, Administrator Karyl Richardson and Assistant Virginia Brice

Mayor Wurz called the meeting to order at 7:00 p.m.

AGENDA:

21/358 KRAFT

THAT the agenda be adopted as presented.

CARRIED

MINUTES:

21/359 BOSER

THAT the minutes of the regular meeting held on October 12, 2021, be approved as presented.

CARRIED

FINANCIAL STATEMENTS:

21/360 KENNEDY

THAT the Statement of Financial Activities as at October 31, 2021, be accepted as presented.

CARRIED

21/361 GILLIS

THAT the Statement of Financial Activities as at October 31, 2021, for the Luseland Community Motel be accepted as presented.

CARRIED

21/362 ELLIOTT

THAT the Statement of Financial Activities as at October 31, 2021, for the Luseland Mini-Mail be accepted as presented.

CARRIED

ACCOUNTS FOR APPROVAL:

21/363 BAZYLINSKI

THAT the accounts as set out in the List of Accounts for Approval in the amounts of \$90,832.50 (general) and \$16,445.72 (payroll) be approved for payment.

CARRIED

PECUNIARY INTEREST ACCOUNTS FOR APPROVAL:

Councillor Kraft declared a pecuniary interest and abstained from voting on the following motion pursuant to *M.A.* s. 144 (3):

21/364 KENNEDY

THAT the account of D-Can Ag Repair Ltd. (\$41.01) be approved for payment.

CARRIED

COMMITTEE REPORTS

Pioneer Haven:

The Pioneer Haven reports for October 12 & 25, 2021 were received.

Mini-Mali:

Councillors Kraft & Elliott gave a verbal update on the Mini-Mall exterior upgrade project.

Emergency Measures

Councillor Gillis gave a verbal report on the emergency measures plan.

21/365 BOSER

THAT Mayor Wurz, Deputy Mayor Kraft and Councillor Bazylinski attend the Emergency Measures meeting on December 2 at the Town Office.

CARRIED

Library:

Councillor Kraft gave a verbal report on the library.

21/366 ELLIOTT

THAT Sharon Stang be given a back door key to the library for Lego Club.

CARRIED

Building Committee:

Mayor Wurz gave a verbal report on the building committee.

Community Hall

Councillor Bazylinski gave a verbal report on the community hall.

Arena:

Councillor Kraft and Bazylinski gave a verbal report on the arena.

21/367 KENNEDY

THAT committee reports be accepted.

CARRIED

STAFF REPORTS

Police Report:

The police report for October was presented.

Public Works Report:

The Town Foreman provided a written report.

21/368 BAZYLINSKI

THAT Jason Englot be promoted to the position of Town Foreman.

21/369 KENNEDY

THAT the staff reports be accepted.

CARRIED

OLD BUSINESS:

21/370GILLIS

THAT the Policy 4013 – Employee Certifications & Pay Raises be adopted.

CARRIED

21/371 BOSER

THAT Labour Relations hold individual performance evaluations for office and Public Works staff at the Town Office on December 13.

CARRIED

21/372 ELLIOTT

THAT the request to have the utility bill for 517 Graham Place adjusted be denied as the Foreman has tested the meter and it is accurate.

CARRIED

21/373 KRAFT

THAT the invoice from Kurt's Contracting Ltd. for enforcement of an Order to Remedy regarding 441 Lonsdale Street be invoiced to the property owner.

CARRIED

21/374 BOSER

THAT the request to have lilac hedges at 307 Lonsdale Street at a height greater than 3ft be denied.

CARRIED

NEW BUSINESS:

21/375 ELLIOTT

THAT the mall space previously rented by Jensen Stromberg Chartered Accountants be advertised for rent.

CARRIED

21/376GILLIS

THAT Monica Englot be hired to clean the vacant office space, hallway and common bathroom in the Mini-Mall.

CARRIED

21/377 KRAFT

THAT the annual Christmas Light Contest be held again this year with the residential first place prize being \$50.00, second prize \$35.00 and third prize \$25.00, and that businesses be included in the contest this year, with a prize of \$50 and judging be held on December 12. 2021.

CARRIED

21/378 GILLIS

THAT the accounting software used by the Motel be updated.

CARRIED

21/379 KENNEDY

THAT a laptop be purchased from Munisoft with all Munisoft programs installed for the Office.

CARRIED

21/380 GILLIS

THAT the Development Permit Application to construct a fence at 511 Graham Place, be approved as it is in compliance with the Zoning Bylaw.

CARRIED

21/381 KRAFT

THAT The Development Permit Application to move a shed to 707 Pacific Avenue, be approved on condition the move occur when there is a good layer of ice and snow on the streets, or be moved on a wheeled conveyance.

CARRIED

21/382 BOSER

THAT the following correspondence, having been read, be filed:

- SK Health Authority Plumbing permits to Technical Safety Authority 2 Jan 22
- Enbridge Pipeline safety & emergency information
- ConX Wireless Bulk Water System
- Rat Inspection Report 30 October 2021
- WCMG 28 October 2021
- Municipal Voice
- Outgoing:
 - Dirt and other material piled on corner of property
 - Hedges (lilacs)

ADJOURNMENT 21/383 GILLIS

THAT this meeting now adjourn (9:16 p.m.).

CARRIED

Administrator

Mayor