VILLAGE OF MAYO

Minutes of Regular Council Meeting of Wednesday March 6, 2019 Village of Mayo Council Chambers

Present

Council:

Mayor Scott Bolton Councilor Blair Andre Councilor Joann Aird Councilor Carol Knight

CAO:

Margrit Wozniak

Administrative Assistant:

Taylor Ewing

Public:

RCMP Constable, Matt Traer

Public, Mike Mancini

Absent

Councilor, Trevor Ellis Manager, Scott Hamilton

1. Call to order

Mayor Scott Bolton called the meeting to order at 7:30pm.

2. Adoption of the Agenda

MOTION

2019-03-01

Moved by: Carol Knight

Seconded by: Joann Aird

THAT:

The agenda be adopted with the following changes:

Add Items:

a) RCMP Report for February, 2019

In Favour: 4

Opposed: 0

CARRIED

3. Adoption of the February 20, 2019 Regular Public Council Meeting Minutes

MOTION 2019-03-02

Moved by: Carol Knight

Seconded by: Joann Aird

THAT:

The minutes of the meeting of February 20, 2019 be adopted as

presented.

In Favour: 4

Opposed: 0

CARRIED

4. Approval of Accounts Payable to February 28, 2019

MOTION 2019-02-03

Moved by: Carol Knight

Seconded by: Joann Aird

THAT:

The Accounts Payable to February 28 2019, in the amount of

\$205,256.50 be approved for payment in total.

In Favour: 4

Opposed: 0

CARRIED

5. Introduction and Consideration of First, Second, and Third Readings of Bylaws

a) Introduction and possible first and second reading of bylaw #330, a Bylaw to set the property tax rate and minimum tax for 2019

MOTION 2019-02-04

Moved by: Carol Knight

Seconded by: Joann Aird

Be it resolved

that:

Mayor Scott Bolton introduce Bylaw #330, a bylaw of the Village

of Mayo for setting the 2019 Property Tax Rate and the 2019

Minimum Tax.

In Favour: 4

Opposed: 0

CARRIED

MOTION 2019-02-05

Moved by: Carol Knight

Seconded by: Joann Aird

Be it resolved

that:

Bylaw #330 be given first and second reading.

In Favour: 4

Opposed: 0

CARRIED

Mayor Bolton read bylaw #330 a first and second time.

Council moved to item 6b)i)v) at this time: RCMP Report for February 2019

Constable Matt Traer went through the February Report with council. February was a relatively quiet month for the detachment.

Some of the activities the RCMP members took part in were the Top Cop Reading Program, Family Violence programs, Elder Abuse Meetings, ski doo patrols. The RCMP will be going to NND's Culture camp at Ethel Lake next week. Cst. Traer left the meeting at 7:42 pm.

a) Mayor's Report

Mayor Bolton gave Council updates on the recent AYC board meeting and Strategic Planning session he had attended in Whitehorse. He and the CAO talked to the Mayor and CAO of the Village of Teslin regarding working with TTC about community issues. Mayor Bolton also gave Council a report about the recent meeting with the YG Project Manager about the Mayo Fire Hall, Arena, and Landfill projects.

b) Administration

i) CAO Report of Wednesday March 6, 2019

a) Tax Rate Bylaw

I've drafted the 2019 Tax Rate Bylaw for 1st and 2nd reading, as per Council's direction. Dealt with previously. Council introduced and had 1st reading of bylaw #330.

b) Yukon College Strategic Planning Session

The communities, innovation and development division of Yukon College has a web conference scheduled for March 7, 2019 from 1:30 to 3 pm. They are engaging in a strategic planning process to create a plan for the division that will set the foundation for the next 20 years. Yukon College is requesting confirmation on who is planning to attend.

No one from Council is able to attend this web conference.

c) Curling Ice Plant Compressor

The installation of the new ice plant compressor took place February 26-28, 2019. We will submit a claim to Gas Tax as soon as we receive the invoices for the compressor and installation. For Council's information.

d) Mayo Firehall Project

We received an email from the YG Project Manager. He said it is unfortunate that we lost Sarah Prodor as a team member and that YG has no control over staffing at Stantec. However, our Fire Hall project was left by Sarah in a solid state and it is moving forward with confirmed details. For Council's information.

e) Mayo Arena Project

Mike Ukrainetz will be in Mayo beginning of March to check out the Arena to get a clear picture about the project Council would like to undertake. For Council's information.

f) Mayo Landfill Update

Following the recent Joint Council meeting, I will send another request to NND Council asking for a letter of support for construction of a power line to the Mayo Landfill.

We received a document "Recommendations for a Solid Waste Regionalization Framework, and SW Implementation Recommendations. For Council's review and comments.

Council was questioning how YG is planning to determine the number of peripheral users for a regional site. They want to see the report from the consultant and comment on it. They look forward to seeing another draft of the regional landfill agreements from YG for their review and comments.

g) Minister of Justice Community Safety Awards

We received the nomination guidelines and nomination form from YG Justice. Would Council like to nominate someone for this award? Council agreed to nominate a Mayo citizen for this award. The CAO will complete the nomination form and submit to YG Justice.

h) VoM Lot sale

We are expecting the draft agreement for purchase/sale of lots and development agreement from lawyer. Then we will enter into the agreement with the purchaser. For Council's information.

i) Workers Compensation Health and Safety Board

We received a letter that was sent to AYC by WCB. They are seeking nominations for the WCB and Workers' Compensation Appeal Tribunal. AYC would like to receive names by March 29th. For Council's consideration. Council did not have anyone in mind to nominate at this time.

j) Single-use plastic bags

YG is asking the public for input regarding single use plastic bags. A questionnaire is available on the engage Yukon website. For Council's information. Council discussed that YG should ban the use of single-use plastic bags completely, as they have done in 2010. VoM has seen a big improvement at the landfill after the Village's bylaw to ban single use plastic bags in Mayo had come into effect. Council believes that charging \$0.25 for single-use plastic bags will not get rid of the problem, banning them will. Charging and making stores/retailers report on the numbers and pass on the fee to the Recycling Fund will only increase bureaucracy, not improve the environment.

k) Notes and follow-up from Minister's Community Tour

We received the draft minutes from the Minister's meeting with VoM Council on February 7, 2019. For Council's review and comments. Council agreed to the draft minutes as presented.

Mayo Area "Bearsmart" Initiative

We received a letter from the Mayo Renewable Resources Council inviting Village of Mayo Council, and NND Council to a working supper on March 26, 2019 at 5 pm at the Curling Lounge to discuss bear smart initiatives. For Council's consideration.

Mayor Bolton expressed interest in attending this.

MOTION 2019-03-06

Moved by: Carol Knight

Seconded by: Blair Andre

THAT:

The Chief Administrative Officer's Report of March 6, 2019 be

adopted as presented.

In Favour: 4

Opposed: 0

CARRIED

ii) Clerk Treasurer Report

a) Comparative Income Statement as at February 28, 2019

MOTION 2019-03-07

Moved by: Carol Knight

Seconded by: Joann Aird

THAT

The Comparative Income Statement for the month of

February, 2019 be approved.

In Favour: 4

Opposed: 0

CARRIED

iii) Monthly Recreation Coordinator's Report

Nothing presented.

iv) Manager's Report for Environmental Health/Public Works and Protective Services

Nothing presented.

v) Protective Services

a) Fire fighter incentive draw for February, 2019

MOTION 2019-03-08

Moved by: Carol Knight

Seconded by: Joann Aird

THAT:

The monthly fire fighter incentive in the amount of \$100 be paid to Rick Brooker for the month of February, 2019 as chosen by a random draw from the list of eligible volunteer fire fighters.

In Favour: 4

Opposed: 0

CARRIED

b) RCMP Report for February 2019

Dealt with previously.

7. Acceptance of Reports from Village boards and committees established by Council and consideration of any recommendations there from.

Nothing presented.

8. Notices of Motions be considered

Nothing presented.

9. General Correspondence

a) Letter from the Mayo Curling Club requesting donations for the 2019 Irene Hutton Memorial Bonspiel

Council agreed to donate the facility for this event. As per Village policy, the club must pay for the rental first then the Village will re-imburse the amount.

c) AYC Auction Item Request

Administration will send out letters to local Yukon companies asking for donations for the AYC auction. VoM will pick an item to purchase as their donation. Each councilor is welcome to bring an item themselves to contribute to the auction as well.

10. Hearings of Delegations and Individuals

Nothing presented.

11. Question Period

Nothing presented.

12. New and Unfinished Business

Mayor Bolton stated that Dr. Bakri does not want the community to put on a retirement dinner for him.

13. Adjournment

The meeting was adjourned at 9:10 pm

Mayor

Chief Administrative Office