

MINUTES OF A MEETING OF THE COUNCIL OF THE VILLAGE OF NEILBURG,
held in the Municipal Office at 39 L.E. Gibbons Centre Street, Neilburg on Monday, July 13 2020 at 6:00 p.m.

Call to Order

Mayor Brent Wiens called the meeting to order at 6:03 p.m.

Members Present

Mayor Brent Wiens
Deputy Mayor Nicole Martin
Alderman Jim Lamb
Alderman Darwin Urlacher
Chief Administrative Officer Janet Hollingshead

Members Absent

Alderman Ernie Ducherer

Minutes

75/2020 *Nicole Martin*

That the minutes of the June 8, 2020 regular meeting be adopted as circulated.

Motion Carried.

Financial Activities

76/2020 *Jim Lamb*

That the Statement of Financial Activities for the month of June 2020 and the Bank Reconciliations for June 2020 be approved as presented.

Motion Carried.

Councillor Darwin Urlacher declared a pecuniary interest in payment number 3661 in the amount of \$1,551.00 and left the meeting at 6:55 p.m.

Pecuniary Interest – Colby Urlacher Payment

77/2020 *Nicole Martin*

That payment number 3661 in the amount of \$1,551.00 to Colby Urlacher be approved and authorized for payment.

Motion Carried.

Alderman Darwin Urlacher returned to the meeting at 6:58 p.m.

Accounts

78/2020 *Darwin Urlacher*

That the accounts to be approved and authorized for payment and that a list of cheques number 3658 to 3692 and online payment 915238 be presented in Schedule 'A' to these minutes.

Motion Carried.

Correspondence

That the list of correspondence be filed:

- Samurai Industries
- G&C Asphalt
- City of Cold Lake
- Sask Power
- SK Baseball Hall of Fame
- Re: Thiessen/Wiebe Lot Line
- Re: Street Improvements
- Re: Gun Control
- Re: Vegetation Management
- Re: Donation Request

Reply to Letter from Samurai Industries79/2020 *Brent Wiens*

That the Chief Administrative Officer reply to Lorne and Russell Wiebe and Wilbert Thiessen that the property line issue is between the two landowners and all costs to rectify will be theirs to bear. The Council of the Village of Neilburg would approve the subdivision and parcel tie of additional lands required to meet the zoning bylaw requirements.

Motion Carried.

Gun Control80/2020 *Nicole Martin*

That the Council of the Village of Neilburg lobby the federal government to revoke the amendments to the criminal code on May 1, 2020 under an "Order in Council" titled and referred to as "Regulations Amending the Regulations Prescribing Certain Firearms and Other Weapons, Components and Parts of Weapons, Accessories, Cartridge Magazines, Ammunitions and Projectiles as Prohibited, Restricted or Non-Restricted: SOR/2020-996."

WHEREAS on May 1, 2020, the federal government amended the Criminal Code by ordering regulations prescribing certain firearms, components and parts of firearms, accessories, cartridge magazines, ammunition and projectiles as prohibited or restricted;

AND WHEREAS the Government of Canada is planning a buyback program to get the guns out of circulation, which is expected to cost between \$400 million and \$600 million;

AND WHEREAS the Village of Neilburg supports the Government of Canada's commitment to end violence, whether firearms are involved or not, by taking the opportunity to be more engaged and to collaborate with the public and local stakeholders to develop more effective solutions on the issue;

NOW THEREFORE BE RESOLVED that the Council of the Village of Neilburg urges the Government of Canada to revoke the amendment, and instead institute the following:

Target crime, and focus on enforcement through enhance enforcement capacity for law enforcement and border services, as well as harsher punishments for firearms trafficking and crimes involving firearms. The current ban targets law-abiding owners, rather than the holders of illicit firearms, and would not greatly impact crime reduction;

Collect and share relevant data on crime involving firearms through improved collection and sharing of data on crimes involving firearms, particularly in terms of sources of illicit firearms, and the types of crime being committed. This data is critical for supporting law enforcement and border agencies efforts, as well as informing policy and legislation;

Collaborate with the firearms community and industry to support communication, training and public education regarding firearms to create a multi-faceted approach rather than implementing a ban in isolation.

Motion Carried.

E-Transfer Policy

81/2020 *Brent Wiens*

That the Village of Neilburg shall allow for the acceptance of E-Transfer payment for taxes, sewer and water and accounts receivable. The Village of Neilburg, Synergy Credit Union Sewer and Water Chequing Account, shall be set up to allow for auto-deposit.

Motion Carried.

Municipal Economic Enhancement Program Project

82/2020 *Darwin Urlacher*

That the Council of the Village of Neilburg participate in the Municipal Economic Enhancement Program by supporting the project plan of a pavement overlay on 3rd Avenue East from Centre Street to the east end of the street to enhance the pavement life.

Motion Carried.

Untidy/Unsightly – Ryley Olchowecki

83/2020 *Brent Wiens*

That we send Ryley Olchowecki a second notice warning regarding the untidiness of his property described as Lot 4, Block 11, Plan BP2400. If the Village employees are dispatched to mow the said property there will be a minimum charge of \$100.00.

Motion Carried.

Animal Keeping – Heather and Stewart Williams

84/2020 *Nicole Martin*

That a letter be sent to Heather and Stewart Williams regarding the contravention of Bylaw No. 199 section 2, no person(s) shall be permitted to possess livestock or poultry within the limits of the Village of Neilburg.

Motion Carried.

Alderman Nicole Martin left the meeting at 8:10 pm.

Adjourn


85/2020 *Brent Wiens*

That this meeting does now adjourn at 8:30 p.m.

Motion Carried.



Mayor



Chief Administrative Officer

Schedule 'A'

3658	Arin Ostensoe	1,000.00
3659	David Gingell	1,500.00
3660	Janet Hollingshead	3,336.88
3661	Colby Urlacher	1,551.00
3662	Arin Ostensoe	2,070.18
3663	Sask Energy	307.85
3664	Sask Power	2,051.96
3665	Sask Tel	480.55
3666	David Gingell	1,650.00
3667	Keri Bratkowski	200.00
3668	Amanda Nutbrown	353.60
3669	Arin Ostensoe	547.04
3670	Receiver General for Canada	3,680.11
3671	Municipal Employees Pension Plan	1,714.74
3672	Janet Hollingshead	22.72
3673	Cut Knife Courier	36.75
3674	Information Services Corporation	200.00
3675	Jay's Group of Companies	471.68
3676	Knights Spraying Inc.	945.00
3677	Lyall Lee	1,386.00
3678	Voided by print process	
3679	Lloydminster Co-Operative Ltd.	544.12
3680	Glen McGladdery	863.21
3681	McIntosh Garage & Autobody Ltd.	267.83
3682	Meridian Source	186.38
3683	Minister of Finance – Health	46.00
3684	M.R. App & Website Design	410.03
3685	Neilburg Composite School	25.00
3686	Neilburg Legion	25.00
3687	Neilburg Recreation Board	1,215.00
3688	Nutbrown Brothers Trenching Ltd.	1,246.70
3689	Pat Gibbons Ltd.	119.92
3690	Spring Joy Greenhouses	420.69
3691	Sask Urban Municipalities Assoc	373.86
3654	Village of Neilburg	845.00
970201	Minister of Finance – EPT	1,053.57

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AGENDA

Regular Council Meeting of the Village of Neilburg • July 13, 2020

Call to Order

Members Present

Declaration of Interest

Minutes

June 8, 2020 Regular Meeting

Statement of Financial Activities

June 2020

Bank Reconciliation

June 2020

Accounts

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- Re: Thiessen/Wiebe Lot Line
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Other Business

1. Human Resources
2. MEEP Program
3. Rain Fall Event
4. Untidy/Unsightly Premises
- 5.
- 6.
- 7.
- 8.

In Camera

Delegations

- 1] Sgt. Matt Robinson – RCMP – 6:30 pm
- 2]

Adjourn