Village of Viscount

Minutes for the Regular Meeting of Council held on the 16th day of May 2023 at 7:00 p.m.

PRESENT:

Mayor:

Dustin Gusikoski

Councilors:

Andrea Young, Maureen Vossen

Travis Tetzlaff, Mitch Gusikoski

Administrator:

Cyla Quiring

Foreman:

David Eades

CALL TO ORDER:

Mayor Dustin Gusikoski called the Regular Meeting to order at 7:03 p.m.

DELETIONS FROM AGENDA:

Mayor Dustin Gusikoski deleted from the agenda the following items as there was no information to be discussed: Proclamations, Public Hearing, Public Forum

ADOPT AGENDA:

2023-072

Tetzlaff T: THAT the agenda be adopted as presented with deletions noted above.

CARRIED

DELEGATIONS:

7:10p.m. Jenna Hale – Viscount Childcare Board – Loan/Leasehold Agreement
The Board has applied for a loan with the Connexus Credit Union under the Canada
Small Business Financing Program. The purpose of this program is for the completion of
the daycare renovations and startup costs. Included in this agreement for the loan,
Connexus Credit Union would take security in the form of registering against the title of
the building to the extent of the leasehold improvements. The Board is asking for the
Council's approval to proceed with the loan. Jenna provided the Childcare Centre's
three-year projected cash flow statement.

7:30p.m. Pinter and Associates Ltd. – Water Treatment Plant Upgrade Study - Project# 23-3068 As required by the Water Security Agency, the Village of Viscount hired Pinter & Associates Ltd. to assist the Village in determining the potential need to upgrade the existing water treatment plant. An assessment was completed, and Council was provided with 2 options for improvements. Pinter and Associates made recommendations for the Council's consideration. Attached is the Engineered Study/Report.

REPORTS OF ADMINISTRATION:

2023-073

Young A: THAT the Administrative and Foreman reports be accepted as presented with

summaries attached hereto.

CARRIED

COMMITTEE REPORTS:

2023-074

Gusikoski M: THAT the following Committee Reports of the Viscount Recreation Board, REACT Ward Meeting, and Central Area Transportation AGM be accepted as presented and the corresponding meeting minutes attached hereto: Viscount Recreation Board.

CARRIED

MINUTES:

2023-075

Vossen M: THAT the minutes of the Regular Meeting of Council held on the 12th day of

April 2023 be approved and a copy attached hereto.

CARRIED

FINANCIAL STATEMENTS:

2023-076

Gusikoski M: THAT the financial statements for the month of April 2023 be adopted as

presented with summaries attached hereto.

CARRIED

PAYMENT OF ACCOUNTS:

2023-077

Vossen M: THAT the list of accounts payable from Batch 2022-00025 to Batch 2023-00031 for a total of \$63,471.68 be adopted as presented with summaries attached hereto.

CARRIED

CORRESPONDENCE:

2023-078

Vossen M: THAT the general correspondence received be acknowledged.

CARRIED

NEW BUSINESS:

2023-079

VCS Sponsorship Request and Village Representation

Tetzlaff T: THAT the Village of Viscount provides for two \$25.00 sponsorship and two plaques for the Awards Ceremony at Viscount Central School and THAT Mayor Dustin Gusikoski present the Award and Sponsorship to the Viscount Central School recipient.

CARRIED

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| 2023-080 | Summer Student Position – Expression of Interest Gusikoski M: THAT Administration advertises an Expression of Interest for the Summer Student Position, and the Expression of Interest closing date shall be June 14, 2023. CARRIED |
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| 2023-081 | Spring Clean Up |
| 2023 001 | Young A: THAT Administration request from REACT a "No Charge Dump Day" for the residents of Viscount to promote a yard cleanup day for a non-scheduled dump day. CARRIED |
| 2023-082 | Village of Meacham – Summer Fun Program – Donation Request Vossen M: THAT Council for the Village of Viscount supports the Summer Fun Program initiated by the Village of Meacham and THAT a \$200.00 donation be approved for this program. |
| | CARRIED |
| 2023-083 | Viscount Fire Department 2022 Report & 2023 Budget Young A: THAT the Viscount Volunteer Fire Department Report and 2023 Budget be accepted as presented with copies attached hereto. |
| | CARRIED |
| 2023-084 | Viscount Fire Association 2023 Budget |
| | Young A: THAT the Viscount Volunteer Fire Association 2023 Budget be accepted as presented with a copy attached hereto. |
| 2023-085 | CARRIED |
| 2023-063 | Parks and Recreation Month Gusikoski M: THAT June be designated as Parks and Recreation Month and a copy of the proclamation be attached hereto. |
| | CARRIED |
| 2023-086 | TAXervice – Title Proceedings |
| | Vossen M: THAT TAXervice be authorized under s22(1) of The Tax Enforcement Act to commence proceedings to request title with respect to the following described lands: |
| | Roll 79000 LOT 13-BLK/PAR 8-PLAN M5243 EXT 0 LOT 14-BLK/PAR 8-PLAN M5243 EXT 26 |
| | CARRIER |
| 2023-087 | Policing Priorities – Saskatoon Detachment |
| | Young A: THAT Council agrees with the Action Plan set out by the Saskatoon Detachment for the fiscal year of April 1, 2023 – March 31, 2023. The Action Plan includes: |
| | 1. Enhancing Police Efforts – reduce rural crime |
| | 2. Building Trust |
| | a. Increase police visibility in our communities b. Reconciliation – improving relationships with our First Nation Community CARRIED |
| 2023-088 | 2023 Education Property Tax Mill Rate – Greater Saskatoon Catholic School Tetzlaff T: THAT Council acknowledges the 2023 Education Property Tax Mill Rate as set out by the Greater Saskatoon Catholic School Board and that these rates remain unchanged. |
| 2023-089 | CARRIED Budget Meeting |
| 2023-069 | Gusikoski M: THAT a Special Meeting of Council shall be held on May 23, 2023, at 7:00 p.m. |
| 2023-090 | Next Council Meeting Gusikoski M: THAT the next Regular Meeting of Council shall be held on June 21, 2023, at 7:00 p.m. |
| ADJOURN: | |
| 2023-091 | Gusikoski D: THAT this Regular Meeting of Council be adjourned at 11:27 p.m. |

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CARRIED

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