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Minutes of a Regular Meeting of the Council of the Municipal District of Peace No. 135, Province of Alberta, held October 27, 2020 at the Municipal Office, Berwyn,

Alberta.

**Present** 

Reeve

Robert Willing

Councillors

Sandra Eastman Theresa Johnson Janice Reyda Ken Herlinveaux

**Attending** 

CAO

Press

Barbara Johnson

Recording Secretary Lelia Sumner

Kristin Dyck

**Call to Order** 

Reeve Willing called the meeting to order at 5:28 p.m.

Adoption of Agenda

Sandra Eastman:

MOVED that the agenda for the October 27, 2020

**Agenda** 329/20

regular meeting of Council be approved with the following

addition:

I.5. Request for Decision – ICF with County of Northern

Lights

Carried

Approval of Minutes

1. October 13, 2020 Regular Council Meeting

Theresa Johnson:

MOVED that the minutes of the regular meeting of Council

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held on October 13, 2020 be approved as presented.

Carried

Business Arising
Out of Minutes

1. Update on RFD to Reduce Moisture on TWP825 in Front of MD Office

Council accepted this item as information.

**Appointments** 

None

Reports

1. CAO's Report

Barbara Johnson reviewed her written report with Council.

Sandra Eastman:

MOVED that the CAO's Report be accepted for

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information.

Carried

Land Use/Planning/ Subdivisions None

Correspondence

1. Walter Ciurysek

Lac Cardinal Drainage

Sandra Eastman:

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MOVED that administration write a letter to W. Ciurysek outlining what the Municipality has done to alleviate Lac

Cardinal high water levels but to clarify that because Bear Creek flows through private property, it is the landowners' decisions, not the County of Northern Lights, whether to

clean out beaver dams.

Carried

2. Interim AB Police Advisory Board

- RCMP Reporting Template

Council accepted this item as information.

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October 27, 2020 Correspondence Continued

### 3. Walter Ciurysek

- Drainage and Wet Road Area

Theresa Johnson:

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MOVED that administration include in the first letter to the

landowner that the MD is looking at solutions for these

issues.

Carried

## 4. Peace River Museum, Archives and Mackenzie Centre

Council accepted the item as information.

### 5. VSI Services (1980) Ltd. 2020 Annual General Meeting

- Agenda, Minutes & Financials

Janice Reyda:

MOVED that the level of support for V.S.I. Services (1980) Ltd. for 2021 remain at 50% and further, to keep the \$1800

334/20 Ltd. for 2021 r

Carried

### 6. Alberta Municipal Affairs

- Assessment Model Review

Council accepted the item as information.

### 7. County of Northern Lights

- Cancellation of Christmas Social/Thank You to Council

Council accepted the item as information.

#### **New Business**

# 1. Request for Decision – Appointment of Returning Officer & Substitute Returning Officer

cap per producer for 2021.

Theresa Johnson: 335/20

MOVED to appoint Lelia Sumner as Returning Officer

and Barbara Johnson as substitute Returning Officer for the

2021 municipal election.

Carried

### 2. Request for Decision – RMA 2020 Fall Convention

Council accepted the item as information as registrations had already been submitted.

### 3. MPA Engineering Ltd.

- BF07811-20 Tender Recommendation Summary

Janice Reyda:

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MOVED that Council award the contract for BF07811-20 to DCL Construction Ltd in the amount of \$1,490,933 plus

GST.

Carried

### 4. Request for Decision - Budget Meeting Date

Theresa Johnson:

MOVED to include the 2021 preliminary annual budget review with the November 24, 2020 Council meeting.

Carried

### 5. Request for Decision - ICF with County of Northern Lights

Janice Reyda:

MOVED that a letter be written to the County of

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Northern Lights indicating that there is no need for a full

Council meeting nor an ICF Committee meeting to be held in

2020.

Carried

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Information Items

Council discussed the information items.

**Question Period** 

None

Kristin Dyck excused herself at 6:20 p.m.

**Confidential Items** 

1. Rural Crime - FOIP Section 18

2. Land - FOIP Section 16

Theresa Johnson:

MOVED that Council move to closed session to discuss

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privileged information as per sections 16 and 18, FOIP at 6:21

p.m.

Carried

Theresa Johnson:

MOVED that Council return to open meeting at 6:48 p.m.

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Carried

6:48 p.m. – meeting resumed with no public attending.

**Adjournment** 

Being that the agenda matters have been concluded, the meeting adjourned at

6:49 p.m.

These minutes approved this <u>10th</u> day of <u>November</u>, 2020.

Reeve

Chief Administrative Officer