REGULAR MEETING OF THE TOWN OF ESTERHAZY COUNCIL HELD ON WEDNESDAY MAY 25, 2022 IN THE TOWN OF ESTERHAZY COUNCIL CHAMBERS

PRESENT: Mayor Grant Forster and Councilors Tenille Flick, Vern Petracek, Marty Pfeifer and

Maggie Rowland

ABSENT: Councilors Earl Nickell and Randy Bot

STAFF: Community Development & Recreation Director - Garth Forster

Director of Operations – Joel Friesen

Community Planning & Economic Development Director – Tammy MacDonald

ABSENT: Chief Administrative Officer – Mike Thorley

CALL TO ORDER:

With a quorum present, Mayor Forster called the meeting to order at 6:30 p.m.

RECORDING SECRETARY

144-2022. Flick: THAT in the absence of Chief Administrative Officer, Council appoint

Tammy MacDonald to be recording secretary for this meeting.

CARRIED.

AGENDA: Additions/Deletions: Old Business: Fire Hall, Rock in the Park; Other: Personnel

145-2022. Petracek: THAT the Agenda of May 25, 2022 be adopted as amended.

CARRIED.

MINUTES: 146-2022. Rowland: THAT the minutes of the May 11, 2022 Regular Council Meeting be

adopted as presented.

CARRIED.

DELEGATION: Nil

FINANCIALS: 147-2022. Petracek: THAT the list of accounts #30591 to #30629 for the amount of

\$109,427.38 be approved as presented.

CARRIED.

ADMINISTRATIVE REPORTS:

Planning/Development Report – Received and presented.

Community Development/Recreation Report – Received and presented.

Fire Department Report – Received and presented.

Water Works Report - Nil

Esterhazy Regional Water System – Minutes received and presented. Public Works/Director of Operations Report – Verbal report presented.

Chief Administrative Officer Report – Received and presented.

DANA ANTAL ARENA - ICE PLANT

148-2022. **Pfeifer**: That Council approve the purchase of an Arena Ice Plant Condenser from Stevenson Industrial Refrigeration for \$233,668.82 as quoted.

CARRIED.

SUMMER STAFF

149-2022. Rowland: That Council approve the hiring of Kaitlynn Harrison as Summer Student Laborer for the 2022 season at the rate of \$15.00 per hour.

CARRIED.

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PUBLIC WORKS – PAVING CONTRACT

150-2022. Rowland: THAT Council award the paving contract for the Town of Esterhazy 2022 to Fedorwich Construction Limited.

CARRIED.

151-2022. Rowland: THAT Council approve the paving projects for 2022 in the total of \$232,780.00 of the following streets as recommended from the Public Works committee:

4th Ave & Main Street to Sumner Street \$54,820.00, Babyak Street \$36,291.00, 4th Ave & Lake Street to Babyak Street \$39,921.00 Veterans Ave \$68,180.00

CARRIED.

KENNEDY DRIVE & HIGHWAY 22 - SINK HOLE

152-2022. Flick: THAT Council approves administration to enter into an agreement with the RM of Fertile Belt 183 for the shared costs 50/50 for the repairs of the sinkhole, road repair and installation of a new culvert.

CARRIED.

ADMINISTRATION REPORTS

153-2022. Flick: THAT the Administrative Reports be accepted as presented.

CARRIED.

MAYOR/COUNCIL REPORTS:

Nil

OLD BUSINESS:

Fire Hall G.S.S.D. Contract Rock in the Park

ROCK IN THE PARK

154-2022. Petracek: THAT motion 139-2022 be hereby rescinded.

CARRIED.

NEW BUSINESS:

SARCAN Household Glass Packaging Recycling
Audited Financial Statement – DRAFT
2022 Esterhazy Operating, Capital and Reserve Budget - Tabled
Four-Town Journal – Grad Edition
Saskatchewan Public Safety Agency
-Fire service Minimum Standard Guide

AUDITED FINANCIAL STATEMENT – DRAFT

155-2022. Flick: THAT Council has reviewed the draft copy of the 2021 Financial Statement for year ending December 31, 2021 as prepared by Miller Moar Grodecki Kreklewich & Chorney; request a meeting with the Auditor prior to the next regular meeting of Town Council before approving.

CARRIED.

FOUR-TOWN JOURNAL – GRAD ADITION

156-2022. Rowland: THAT Council approves the placement of an advertisement in the Four-Town Journal at the cost of \$30.00 for the 2022 Graduation edition.

CARRIED.

Mayor	CAO
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SASKATCHEWAN PUBLIC SAFETY AGENCY - FIRE SERVICE MINUMUM STANDARD GUIDE

Tabled - Deferred as to be forwarded to the Fire Chief Borden Kislowich for review and report back to council.

CORRESPONDENCE:

Bylaw Enforcement Reports
Landworks Civil Engineering Ltd.
Sasktel – Business internet
SUMA – Municipal Update
Esterhazy Regional Park – Minutes
Trans Canada Yellowhead Highway Association

CORRESPONDENCE

157-2022. Petracek: THAT the correspondence be accepted as presented and filed. **CARRIED.**

OTHER: 158-2022. Flick: THAT pursuant to *The Local Authority Freedom of Information and*

Protection of Privacy Act, Council will be discussing Personnel.

Time: 7:30p.m. CARRIED.

159-2022. Rowland: THAT Council rise and report.

Time: 9:00 p.m. CARRIED.

ADJOURNMENT:

160-2022. Rowland: THAT this meeting of Council now be adjourned at 9:01 p.m.

Mayor	