Minutes of regular council meeting of Tuesday, April 16, 2013 in the Emergency Services

Building meeting room.

Councillor Gilbert Wall Present Mayor Richard Ireland

Councillor Dwain Wacko Councillor Mike Day Councillor Rico Damota Councillor Brian Skehill

Absent Deputy Mayor Brenda Zinck

Peter Waterworth, CAO Alice Lettner, Dir. Finance & Administration Also present

> Christine Nadon, recorder Yvonne McNabb, Director, Cult/Rec

Doug Rodwell, A/Director, Environmental Services Christine Nadon, Communications & IT Manager Kathleen Waxer, Director, Community & Family Services

Greg Van Tighem, Director, Emergency Services

Sarah Makowsky, The Fitzhugh

Chris Guilbeault, Auditor, Hawkings Epp Dumont

1 observer

Call to Order Mayor Ireland called the meeting to order at 1:40 p.m.

Additions None

MOTION by Councillor Skehill - BE IT RESOLVED THAT Council approve the agenda Approval of

Agenda for the regular meeting of Tuesday, April 16, 2013 as presented.

AGAINST #065/13 **FOR**

> 6 councillors 0 councillors **CARRIED**

Approval of Minutes

MOTION by Councillor Day - BE IT RESOLVED THAT Council approve the minutes of

the regular meeting of Tuesday, April 2nd, 2013 as presented.

FOR #066/13 **AGAINST**

> 6 councillors 0 councillors **CARRIED**

Presentation 2012

Council received a presentation from Chris Guilbeault, Auditor with Hawkings Epp Audit DumontLLP on her audit of the Municipality's financial status for 2012. A copy of the

audited financial statement is available on the municipality's website -

www.jasper-alberta.com.

#067/13 MOTION by Councillor Damota – BE IT RESOLVED THAT Council accept and approve the

financial audit as prepared by Hawkings Epp Dumont LLP for the fiscal year ended

December 31, 2012. **FOR AGAINST**

> 6 councillors 0 councillors **CARRIED**

Business Arising

Council were advised by the CAO that, given the weight of today's agenda, the Rodeo has been advised that their request will be dealt with at the next regular meeting,

together with other requests for funding recently received.

Discussions

with public

None

Department Reports

Fire Chief Greg Van Tighem advised Council that he will be flying to Wickenburg,

Arizona on April 20th in order to start his bike tour fundraising event for MS on Earth Day April 22nd. He indicated that he has been working with Tourism Jasper for media coverage and will be promoting Jasper on his trip. The Fire Chief plans to return to Jasper on May 15th. Details of his trip will be posted on the Municipality's website –

www.jasper-alberta.com and Endms93.com.

Environmental Services

Council received the written report of the A/Director of Environmental Services for information purposes. In his report, Doug Rodwell highlighted general operations including water/sewer, wastewater treatment plan, solid waste and recycling, streets, maintenance, grounds and special projects. The full report can be viewed on the

Municipality's website - www.jasper-alberta.com

Culture & Recreation

Council received the written report of the Culture and Recreation Director, together with the annual report of the Board for 2012. In her report, Yvonne McNabb highlighted the facilities, programmes, services and grants. Chairman of the Culture and Recreation Board Greg Van Tighem reminded Council about some upcoming events. Both report can

be viewed on the Municipality's website - www.jasper-alberta.com

Bylaw

Council received, for information purposes, a summary of bylaws currently in force

Summary in the community and those in their various stages of readings.

| Bylaw #172 Tax Rates 1st reading | MOTION by Councillor Wall – BE IT RESOLVED THAT Council give first reading to Bylaw #172, being a bylaw to authorize the rates of taxation to be levied against assessable property within the Municipality of Jasper for the 2013 taxation year. | | | |
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| #068/13 | | FOR 6 councillors | AGAINST 0 councillors | CARRIED |
| Bylaw #172 Tax Rates 2 nd reading #069/13 | MOTION by Councillor Wacko – BE IT RESOLVED THAT Council give second reading to Bylaw #172, being a bylaw to authorize the rates of taxation to be levied against assessable property within the Municipality of Jasper for the 2013 taxation year. FOR AGAINST 6 councillors 0 councillors CARRIED | | | |
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| Notice Old Fire Hall Roof Repairs | Some discussion took place on the repairs required to the old fire hall, and on the grant which must be used for preserving a heritage building. | | | |
| #070/13 | MOTION by Councillor Wacko – BE IT RESOLVED THAT Council give notice that, at the May 7^{th} , 2013 regular meeting, Council will be requested to accept the funds from Parks Canada so that the Old Fire Hall roof can be replaced, and | | | |
| | AGREE that acceptance of monies from Parks Canada is conditional upon an agreement to surrender the lease once work on the roof is complete. | | | |
| | It is anticipated that the replacement. | e total monies of \$135,00 FOR | 00 will cover all costs of AGAINST | the roof's |
| | · | 5 councillors | 1 councillor | CARRIED |
| Restricted Funds Transfer | MOTION by Councillor Skehill – BE IT RESOLVED THAT Council approve amounts transferred to restricted funds and expended from restricted funds as per the attached list. FOR AGAINST | | | |
| #071/13 | | 6 councillors | 0 councillors | CARRIED |
| Waiver of Public Notice Appointment to ESAC | MOTION by Councillor Day – BE IT RESOLVED THAT Council agree to waive the two week public notice period for the appointment of Kim Wallace to the Environmental Stewardship Advisory Committee in view of the fact that the term for this committee has already commenced. | | | |
| #072/13 | | FOR 6 councillors | AGAINST 0 councillors | CARRIED |
| Appointment | MOTION by Councillor Wall – BE IT RESOLVED THAT Council appoint Kim Wallace to the Environmental Stewardship Advisory Committee for a term to commence immediately and to conclude December 31, 2014. FOR AGAINST | | | |
| | | 6 councillors | 0 councillors | CARRIED |
| Councillors' Reports | Councillors attended the following meetings: Meeting of the Waters, Community Team, Communities in Bloom, Green Building policy workshop, Chamber of Commerce, Banff, Canmore and Parks Canada officials, and ultimately, Minister of Tourism regarding resort municipalities. | | | |
| Upcoming events | NETMA meeting – Thur GFOA conference – Mar | | | |
| Adjournment | There being no further | business, the Mayor adjo | ourned the meeting at 3: | 32 p.m. |
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