Municipality of Jasper Regular Council Meeting Minutes

Tuesday, January 8, 2019 | 1:30 p.m. Council Chambers, Jasper Library & Cultural Centre

Present Mayor Richard Ireland, Deputy Mayor Jenna McGrath, Councillors Rico Damota, Paul Butler,

Bert Journault, Helen Kelleher-Empey and Scott Wilson

Also present Mark Fercho, Chief Administrative Officer

Christine Nadon, Legislative Services Manager Kayla Byrne, Legislative Services Coordinator

Natasha Malenchak, Director of Finance and Administration Janet Cooper, Environmental Stewardship Coordinator

Martha Fleming, Human Resources Manager John Greathead, Director of Operations

Craig Gilbert, the Fitzhugh

Call to order Mayor Ireland called the meeting to order at 1:30 pm.

Additions to agenda

MOTION by Councilor Wilson – BE IT RESOLVED that council add the following item to today's

agenda:

#01/19 - 13.3 In camera item – legal matter

FOR AGAINST

7 Councillors 0 Councillors CARRIED

Approval of agenda #02/19

MOTION by Councillor Journault – BE IT RESOLVED that council approve the agenda for the

regular meeting of Tuesday, January 8, 2019 as amended.

FOR AGAINST

7 Councillors 0 Councillors CARRIED

Approval of regular minutes #03/19

MOTION by Councillor Kelleher-Empey – BE IT RESOLVED that council approve the minutes of

the December 18, 2018 regular council meeting as presented.

FOR AGAINST

7 Councillors 0 Councillors CARRIED

New Director of Operations

Council welcomed John Greathead, the Municipality's new Director of Operations.

Environmental Stewardship

The Environmental Stewardship Coordinator provided council with recent highlights and

updates from the department.

Bylaw summary Council received a summary of bylaws currently in force and those in various stages of readings

in the Municipality.

Utility Rates Bylaw – 3rd reading #04/19 MOTION by Councillor Damota – BE IT RESOLVED that Council read, for the third and final time, Bylaw #212 – the Jasper Levy and Collection of Utility Fees Bylaw 2019, being a bylaw of the Specialized Municipality of Jasper in the Province of Alberta to provide for the levying and

collection of fees for the provision of water, sewer, solid waste, and recycling services in 2019.

FOR AGAINST

7 Councillors 0 Councillors CARRIED

Notice – Policy E-007: Local Authorities Pension Plan Council gave notice that a request for decision regarding Policy E-007: Local Authorities Pension Plan will return for decision at the next regular council meeting. This item will also return for

further discussion at the next committee of the whole meeting.

Councillor reports

Deputy Mayor McGrath attended the Jasper Library Board's organizational meeting.

Councillor Kelleher-Empey will attend Community and Family Services' permanent residency information session. Councillor Kelleher-Empey, along with Councillor Wilson, will attend a

Community Futures meeting.

Upcoming events Council received a list of upcoming events. In camera MOTION by Deputy Mayor McGrath – BE IT RESOLVED that Council move in camera at 2:25 pm to discuss agenda items 13.1, 13.2 and 13.3. #05/19 FOR **AGAINST** 7 Councillors 0 Councillors **CARRIED** MOTION by Councillor Butler – BE IT RESOLVED that Council revert to open meeting at 4:53 pm. Revert to open meeting #06/19 FOR **AGAINST** 7 Councillors 0 Councillors **CARRIED** MOTION by Deputy Mayor McGrath – BE IT RESOLVED that council approve entering into a CAO Contract #07/19 contract with Mark Fercho as CAO of the Municipality of Jasper for the period of time extending September 1, 2019 to August 31, 2024. FOR **AGAINST** 7 Councillors 0 Councillors **CARRIED** MOTION by Councillor Journault - BE IT RESOLVED that, there being no further business, the Adjournment #08/19 regular meeting of January 8, 2019 be adjourned at 4:58 pm. FOR **AGAINST** 7 Councillors 0 Councillors **CARRIED** Mayor Chief Administrative Officer