



MINUTES OF THE REGULAR MEETING OF COUNCIL
Held on Thursday August 13, 2026
in the RM Council Chambers
at 101 Railway Avenue in Bethune, Saskatchewan

Present	Reeve Division 3 Councillor Division 5 Councillor Division 6 Councillor	Brian Weisbrod Sheila Fishley Ashton Riche Robert Bennett
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Absent	Division 1 Councillor Division 2 Councillor Division 4 Councillor	Kyle Sanderson Ed Hofer Brent Smith
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Administrator	Tobi Duck
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Call to Order	Reeve Weisbrod called the meeting to order at 8:00 a.m.
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Declarations of Conflict	NIL
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Admin Report	1. Bennett	That the Administration Report be acknowledged.	CARRIED
Minutes	2. Riche	That the minutes of July 9, 2026 be approved as presented.	CARRIED
Public Hearing Minutes	3. Fishley	That the minutes of the Public Hearing held on July 9, 2026 be approved as presented.	CARRIED
Financial Reports	4. Bennett	That the Budgetary Report, Balance Sheet, Bank Reconciliation and Tax Owning Report for July 2026 be acknowledged as attached hereto and forming part of the minutes.	CARRIED
Accounts for Payment and Payroll	5. Riche	That the List of Accounts for Approval from Cheque 15543, 1556 to 15611, and all EFT payments, totaling \$3,782,924.65 plus payroll deposited in the amount of \$40,140.48 be approved for payment, as attached hereto.	CARRIED
Foreman's Report	6. Fishley	That the Foreman's Report be acknowledged.	CARRIED
Development Agreement	7. Riche	That the Council accept the Development Agreement, attached hereto, and enter into with Buffalo Potash Corp.	CARRIED
Bylaw Amendment Request	8. Bennett	That the Council direct the Administrator to prepare a zoning bylaw amendment to allow Park Model Trailers as a permitted, principal use for units 68-237 in Northshore Lands only.	CARRIED
Bylaw Amendment Request	9. Riche	That the Council deny the request at this time for section 7.3.5(f)(1) of Zoning Bylaw to be amended by removing "from April 1 st to October 31 st "	CARRIED
Recess	10. Weisbrod	That the Council recess the meeting at 10:25am. <i>The meeting reconvene at 10:35am.</i>	CARRIED
Development Report	11. Fishley	That the Development Report be acknowledged.	CARRIED
Twp Rd 194	12. Bennett	That the Council deny the request to have Twp Rd maintained as an all-weather/season road. Furthermore, the RM is to gravel the road in 2027.	CARRIED

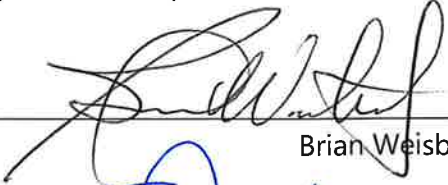


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Tax Abatement Request	13. Riche	That the Council deny the request to have \$500 abated from the following parcels: Parcel 3 – 4, Plan # 102203200 due to the two parcels having the abatement in 2025, as per the Base Tax Abatement Policy.	CARRIED
	14. Fishley	That the Council abate \$500 from the following properties, lots 12 – 13, Block 5, Plan #64MJ08516, as the lots were consolidated into one.	CARRIED
Tax Refund	15. Weisbrod	That the Administrator be authorized to refund \$2000 in overpaid taxes to tax roll #232 200, as requested.	CARRIED
Findlater CIT Grant Application Amendment	16. Bennett	That the Administrator be instructed to request an amendment for the CIT grant application for Findlater as follows: - To remove potable water; - To include sewer main and lift station replacement; - Cleaning and possibly replacement of the water cistern and tanks; - Flushing water lines.	CARRIED
Highwood Beach Parking Concerns	17. Weisbrod	That the Council decline the request to restrict parking on public road allowances in Highwood Beach.	CARRIED
Mun Reserve Cash in Lieu	18. Fishley	That the cash in lieu of Municipal Reserve for subdivision file: 6303-2026 be set at \$1700/acre.	CARRIED
In-Camera	19. Riche	That the Council move in-camera at 11:20am to discuss legal, strategic and long-range planning and human resource matters.	CARRIED
<i>Council came out of in-camera at 12:15pm</i>			
Bethune Co-op	20. Fishley	That the Council table Bethune Co-op's request to cost share in highway improvements until September's meeting.	CARRIED
Legal Matter	21. Bennett	That the Council agree to the settlement of \$3000 regarding the outstanding QBG RG 00804-2012 legal matter.	CARRIED
Meeting Adjourned	22. Riche	That this meeting now be adjourned at 12:30pm.	CARRIED

Mark Your Calendars:

Regular Meeting – September 10, 2026, at 8:00 a.m.



Brian Weisbrod, Reeve



Tobi Duck, Administrator