

**MINUTES**  
**TOWN OF SEXSMITH**  
**REGULAR COUNCIL MEETING**

**MONDAY MAY 5, 2014**

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Mayor Lagace called this regular Council meeting of Town Council to order at 6:30 p.m. in the Council Chambers in the Town of Sexsmith.

<b>COUNCIL PRESENT</b>	Claude Lagace Jonathan Siggelkow Isak Skjaveland Rick Sakundiak Nicole Cooke Bruce Black Jordan Hack	Mayor Deputy Mayor Councillor Councillor Councillor Councillor Councillor
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**COUNCIL  
ABSENT**

<b>STAFF PRESENT</b>	Carolyn Gaunt Rachel Wueschner	Town Administrator Assistant Administrator
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**PUBLIC  
PRESENT** Vella Anderson, James Obniawka, Patrick Aiello, Tanya Richards

**DELEGATION** Tanya Richards, Assessor - County of Grande Prairie No. 1

**ADOPTION  
OF AGENDA** **RESOLUTION NO. 147-05-14**  
Moved by Councillor Skjaveland that the agenda for this meeting be adopted with the following additions and deletions:

**BUSINESS ARISING** 1. 104 Street Road project

**CARRIED**

**PUBLIC  
SESSION** Vella Anderson and James Obniawka were present to discuss the proposed LED sign downtown. They were not in favor of the sign being located downtown. Vella read a letter of concern submitted by Jean Rycroft on behalf of the Sexsmith & District Museum Society requesting the Town to take a close look at the proposed location of the LED sign and that it will be in sympathy with the Main Street theme.

Patrick Aiello inquired when the playground will be installed in Forest Grove Subdivision. Patrick also voiced concerns regarding the 2014 mill rate.

Vella Anderson and James Obniawka left the meeting at 6:50 p.m.

**DELEGATION** Tanya Richards, Assessor - County of Grande Prairie No. 1

Tanya gave a short presentation regarding 2014 tax assessments in Sexsmith. She answered questions of the public and Council.

Patrick Aiello left the meeting at 7:15 p.m.

**ADOPTION  
OF MINUTES** **RESOLUTION NO. 148-05-14**  
Moved by Councillor Black that Council approve the Public Hearing Minutes of April 22, 2014, Regular Council meeting minutes of April 22, 2014 and Budget meeting minutes of May 1, 2014.

**CARRIED**

**BUSINESS  
ARISING**

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104 ST. ROAD  
PROJECT

An alternative form of repair to 104 street was suggested.  
No motion was made.

NEW  
BUSINESS

SENIOR’S WEEK

**RESOLUTION NO. 149-05-14**  
Councillor Skjaveland made a motion to proclaim June 2<sup>nd</sup> to 8<sup>th</sup>, 2014 as Senior’s Week 2014.

CARRIED

ASSESSMENT  
SERVICE

**RESOLUTION NO. 150-05-14**  
Councillor Skjaveland made a motion to enter into another three year contract with the County of Grande Prairie No. 1 for the provision of assessment services for the Town of Sexsmith.

CARRIED

2014 MILL RATE  
BYLAW NO. 918

**RESOLUTION NO. 151-05-14**  
Councillor Cooke made a motion to give first reading to 2014 Mill Rate Bylaw No. 918.

CARRIED

**RESOLUTION NO.152-05-14**  
Councillor Skjaveland made a motion to give second reading to 2014 Mill Rate Bylaw No. 918.

CARRIED

**RESOLUTION NO. 153-05-14**  
Councillor Sakundiak made a motion for permission to have third and final reading of the 2014 Mill Rate Bylaw No. 918.

CARRIED

**RESOLUTION NO.154-05-14**  
Councillor Black made a motion to give third and final reading to 2014 Mill Rate Bylaw No. 918.

CARRIED

Tanya Richards left the meeting at 7:50 p.m.

FINANCIAL  
REPORTS

None

INFORMATION  
ITEM

For information only.

COMMITTEE  
REPORTS

For information only.

Black	Citizens seem to be upset with our garbage collectors.  I’ve looked at the sidewalks on 97 street with the Superintendent of Public Works. Some areas will be shaved down for safety.	For information.  For information.
Cooke	The May the 4 <sup>th</sup> be with you run went very well!  I moved into my new house 3 years ago, at this time almost no one recycled. Now almost the whole street is recycling!	For information.  For information.

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	I will be attending a meeting for Canadian Sport for Life in Grande Prairie.	For information.
Skjaveland	Garbage cans are getting a good learning curve.	The new contractors have a different type of arm that is rougher than the last contractors.
Siggelkow	The development permit ad in the Sentinel for the LED sign downtown showed that it was a 4ft. x 8 ft. sign. It is actually a 5ft. x 8ft. sign. This signage would be a good thing to revitalize downtown.	For information.
Sakundiak	<p>There are dog feces in our green areas. What can we do about this?</p> <p>There are still ruts in the back alley behind the Catholic Church.</p> <p>People are parking on both sides of the road down the street near where the old St. Mary’s school was located to pick up children after school.</p> <p>I have heard complaints from residents saying they can’t get in to see the doctor at the Medical Clinic.</p>	<p>An ad was put in the paper to please pick up after pets. Public Works can make sure there are bags available in dispensers for this.</p> <p>ATCO created the ruts and are going to come and fix this.</p> <p>For information.</p> <p>The Medical Clinic sets their own policy regarding taking patients.</p>
Hack	<p>There was a security company going door to door using scare tactics to sell their merchandise.</p> <p>Have we heard anything about what is happening with the hardware store?</p> <p>Has Public Works gone around Town to repair signs?</p>	<p>The company will be contacted by Town office with a complaint.</p> <p>For information.</p> <p>Public Works will be doing this.</p>
Lagace	<p>The guy wire along the trail at the highway has been moved.</p> <p>Can a sign be erected at 104 Street to let residents know there will be construction in the area?</p>	<p>For information.</p> <p>This request will be forwarded to Public Works.</p>

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**IN CAMERA**

**RESOLUTION NO.155-05-14**  
Councillor Siggelkow made a motion to go “In Camera” at 9:15 p.m.  
**CARRIED**

**RESOLUTION NO.156-05-14**  
Councillor Sakundiak made a motion to go “Out of Camera” at 9:35 p.m.  
**CARRIED**

Possible new members for the Aquatera Board were discussed. Decision is to be made at a later date.

**ADJOURNMENT**

**RESOLUTION NO. 157-05-14**  
Councillor Cooke made a motion to adjourn at 9:36 p.m.  
**CARRIED**

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**Claude Lagace, Mayor**

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**Carolyn Gaunt, Town Administrator**