MINUTES

TOWN OF SEXSMITH

REGULAR COUNCIL MEETING

MONDAY DECEMBER 7, 2015

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.

COUNCIL Claude Lagace Mayor

PRESENT Bruce Black Deputy Mayor

Isak Skjaveland Councillor Clint Froehlick Councillor Jonathan Siggelkow Councillor Rick Sakundiak Councillor Nicole Cooke Councillor

COUNCIL **ABSENT**

STAFF PRESENT Rachel Wueschner Town Administrator

> Administrative Assistant Beth Endresen

PUBLIC PRESENT

DELEGATION James Obniawka, Larry Anderson & Jean Rycroft from the Sexsmith & District

Museum Society.

ADOPTION OF RESOLUTION NO. 455-12-15

AGENDA Moved by Councillor Skjaveland that the agenda for this meeting be adopted as

amended as follows: Delete item No. 3 under Business Arising.

CARRIED

PUBLIC SESSION

DELEGATION James Obniwka, Larry Anderson & Jean Rycroft from the Sexsmith & District

> Museum Society were present to discuss the possibility of the Town gifting or selling the old fire hall to the Museum Society once the new fire hall is built. They would like to store some of their larger artifacts (a printing press, a binder & tractor) to avoid vandalism to these items. Their current facilities are full and they need more room. They would use it as a museum and have it open for viewing at the same time as the current museum hours. James stated they would be willing to do the maintenance and upkeep on the building. It is very

convenient for them as all of their buildings are already in this vicinity.

James, Larry & Jean left the meeting at 6:50 p.m.

TOWN OF SEXSMITH

REGULAR COUNCIL MINUTES MONDAY DECEMBER 7, 2015

ADOPTIONS OF MINUTES

RESOLUTION NO. 456-12-15

Moved by Councillor Sakundiak that the Regular Council Minutes dated

November 16, 2015 be accepted as presented and the Budget Meeting Minutes dated November 23, 2015 and the Budget Meeting Minutes dated November 30,

2015 be accepted as amended.

CARRIED

BUSINESS ARISING

REVIEW OF RESOLUTION NO. 457-12-15

COUNCIL Moved by Councillor Cooke to accept for information only.

REMUNERATION CARRIED

SDAB BOARD RESOLUTION NO. 458-12-15

APPOINTMENTS Moved by Councillor Cooke to appoint Olaf Gundersen & Harry Schudlo to the

Subdivision & Development Appeal Board from November 16, 2015 to October

31, 2016.

CARRIED

ACTIVE RESOLUTION NO. 459-12-15

SECURITY Moved by Councillor Sakundiak to direct administration to contract Active **PROPOSAL** Security to do security patrols for the Town from 11:00 p.m. to 6:00 a.m.

DEFEATED

FIRE HALL RESOLUTION NO. 460-12-15

BUILDING Moved by Councillor Cooke to accept for information only.

ESTIMATE CARRIED

FRE HALL RESOLUTION NO. 461-12-15

TENDER Moved by Councillor Sakundiak to tender the construction of an 80'x80' fire hall

STRUCTURE as a package deal.

CARRIED

NEW BUSINESS

ORDER TO RESOLUTION NO. 462-12-15

REMEDY Moved by Councillor Skjaveland that Administration pursue the process for

UNSIGHTLY demolition of these buildings.

PREMISES

DEFEATED

Mayor Lagace declared a five minute break 7:30 p.m.

DIRECTION FOR RESOLUTION NO. 463-12-15

STRATEGIC Moved by Councillor Black that Administration advise PREDA to take a more

PLAN generalized approach when looking at the Town's economic strategy.

CARRIED

TAME+ **PROGRAM** **RESOLUTION NO. 464-12-15**

Moved by Councillor Black that Administration cost out an energy audit for the

TAME+ program for the Sexsmith arena.

CARRIED

CARRIED

COUNTY OF

RESOLUTION NO. 465-12-15

GRANDE PRAIRIE Moved by Councillor Froelick that the Town has no objection with the subdivision referral notice.

SUBDIVISION REFERRAL NOTICE

Councillor Sakundiak left the meeting at 7:55 p.m.

CROSS

RESOLUTION NO. 466-12-15

COUNTRY SKI TRAILS

Moved by Councillor Siggelkow to accept for information only.

CARRIED

REQUEST

RESOLUTION NO. 467-12-15

Moved by Councillor Siggelkow to talk to Melody Sample from the Sexsmith Wellness Coaltion and the Walking Trail Committee for follow up with the high

school regarding the cross country ski trails.

CARRIED

CAMP KITCHEN

RESOLUTION NO. 468-12-15

AT THE BALL **DIAMONDS**

Moved by Councillor Froehlick to send a letter to Minor Ball regarding their

current use of the camp kitchen.

CARRIED

FINANCIAL

RESOLUTION NO. 469-12-15

Moved by Councillor Cooke to accept the financial statements dated October 31, **REPORTS**

2015 and the cheque register dated October 31, 2015 as presented.

CARRIED

INFORMATION

ITEMS

For information only

COMMITTEE REPORTS

For information only

ROUND TABLE

Froehlick	Will there be a Council meeting on	Administration will
	the 21st?	determine whether there
		are enough agenda items
		to warrant a meeting and
		will advise.

	Councillor Froehlick felt the Town Light up went really went.	For information only.
Cooke	Councillor Cooke received a letter from SPARKED Coalition regarding sidewalk and playground placement.	Councillor Cooke would like this added to the next agenda.
	Kudos to all the volunteers, the Fire Department and the Peace Draft Horse Club for their hard work on the Reverse Santa parade.	For information only.
Skjaveland	Councillor Skjaveland reviewed the correspondence received from the Town's lawyers regarding the payment of per diem and the policy amendment.	Councillor Skjaveland would like to have this brought back to Council on the next agenda.
Black	Nothing to report at this time.	
Siggelkow	Councillor Siggelkow noted that in the County Highlights, residents are wanting more rustic trails and perhaps we could look at this for future trails.	For information only.
	Councillor Siggelkow would like to see a capital expense plan and he would like to perhaps meet on a Saturday to discuss this.	CAO advised that she is currently working on this.
	Councillor Siggelkow noted that in the webinar he and Councillor Sakundiak participated in, they learned that the Town needs to have a vision statement and a mission statement before the strategic plan can be completed.	For information only.
	Councillor Siggelkow requested that the Town's lawyer be invited to the next meeting to clarify their opinion on the Council remuneration policy.	Councillor Siggelkow would like this added to the next agenda.

TOWN OF SEXSMITH REGULAR COUNCIL MINUTES MONDAY DECEMBER 7, 2015

Claude Lagace, Mayor

REPORT CARD

ADJOURNMENT

IN CAMERA

Lagace	Thanks to Public Works for the great job on the Light Up & decorating the trees. Next year we could get residents or groups to decorate the trees.	For information only.
	Thank you to Linda Craik for doing the Council and staff photos for the paper. She did not charge us anything and the photos were wonderful.	For information only.
Moved by Cour	N NO. 470-12-15 ncillor Cooke to go "in camera" at 8:54 N NO. 471-12-15	p.m. CARRIED
Moved by Cour	ncillor Cooke to go "in camera" at 8:54	CARRIED
Moved by Coun RESOLUTION Moved by Coun	ncillor Cooke to go "in camera" at 8:54 N NO. 471-12-15	9:16 p.m. CARRIED
Moved by Country RESOLUTION Moved by Country Aquatera Utilitis	ncillor Cooke to go "in camera" at 8:54 N NO. 471-12-15 ncillor Cooke to go "out of camera" at 9	9:16 p.m. CARRIED well lease were discussed.

Rachel Wueschner, Town Administrator