

Vision Statement: *The vision for the RM of Elton is to provide a desirable and safe community for residents and businesses by enhancing amenities, growing the population, using sustainable practices and being fiscally responsible.*

Municipal Minutes

Regular Meeting January 15, 2019

Councillors Mitchell, Campbell, Paterson, Bollman, Hales, Bromley and Reeve Farley attended. 1st and 2nd readings were given to BL 1604 (2019 Oakview Fire Protection Agreement). Agreement to purchase 1995 GMC Topkick water tanker at a total value of \$15,000.00 with \$7,500.00 to be paid by Cornwallis to Elton representing their 50% share was ratified. Second Dwelling for caregiver purposes on SE ¼ 21-12-19 (Davis) was approved with conditions. 409 Railway Street in Douglas was advised the shed structure extending onto the road allowance may remain subject to an agreement with Elton. Policy No. 70-2019 (Harassment Prevention) and No. 71-2019 (Accessibility Standards) were approved. Attendance for Councillor Mitchell and EMO Coordinator Anita Goertzen at MB EMO 2019 Municipal Emergency Workshop was ratified. Contract

with Bluestar Construction employee to plow Municipal Roads from January 7-10, 2019 due to staff sick leave was ratified. Authorization was given for Reeve Farley and Councillor Campbell to attend 2019 ARBI Conference in Brandon. Authorization was given for Reeve Farley, Councillors Mitchell, Paterson, & Bromley to attend AMM Seminar in Brandon on February 22, 2019. Contract with Commissionaires was approved. Staff overtime to December 31, 2018 was approved. Approval to install an underground fibre drop along the ROQ in order to service a new customer in Forrest was ratified. Accounts were approved in the amount of \$183,140.29 as per list of accounts presented to Council. Meeting was adjourned to meet again on Tuesday, February 12, 2019 at 9:00 am or at the call of the Reeve.

Snow Left on Municipal Roads

Policy No. 37-2014

POLICY DESCRIPTION: Be it resolved that Council of the RM of Elton adopt the following policy for snow left on municipal roads as follows:

- 1) Snow must not be left on the Elton roadways from clearing of lanes. This snow, once moved, hardens very quickly and causes danger to the travelling public, as well as danger and potential damage to municipal equipment and wings when they hit the snow. This applies to piles of snow as well as to ridges left when pushing snow across the road.
- 2) If snow is left on the municipal road or shoulder, registered written notice will be provided as follows:
 - i. A copy of this policy.
 - ii. Notice that for second and subsequent offences, billing for removal of snow from the municipal road and/or shoulder that originated from their property will be charged at the rate in effect at the time of the offence.
 - iii. Advice that only one notice per property will be issued. This one notice shall apply for all subsequent years wherein any additional notice will be deemed a second or subsequent offence and shall be subject to the billing charge.
 - iv. Notice that, following issuance of first notice, any damages caused by the snow being left on municipal road and/or shoulders to municipal equipment and/or injury to municipal employees will be billed to the ratepayer and collectible in the same manner as property tax may be collected or enforced under the Municipal Act.

PUBLIC NOTICE – VOTERS LIST MAINTENANCE

Public Notice is hereby given pursuant to Section 36 of The Municipal Councils and School Boards Elections Act:

- (a) that a person who wishes to have his or her name added to the voters list, or have any information about the voter on the voters list corrected, may do so by contacting the senior election official; and
- (b) that as per Section 34, any person can apply to have their name omitted or obscured from the voters list to protect his or her personal security as follows:
 - 34(2) An application may be filed with the senior election official in person or by mail or fax.
 - 34(3) The application must
 - (a) be made in writing to a senior election official at any time other than during the period when the voters list is closed to revision;
 - (b) set out the person's name and address; and
 - (c) include either an official document issued by a federal, provincial or municipal government that contains the person's name, address and photograph or at least two other documents that provide evidence of the person's identity satisfactory to the election official.

Kathleen Steele, Senior Election Officer
 Rural Municipality of Elton, Forrest MB ROK OWO
 Phone: 204-728-7834 Fax: 204-725-1865
 Email: kathy.steele@elton.ca

MUNICIPAL NEWS

Burning

Please call before controlled burns.

Please be sure to call the appropriate fire department before & after burning to ensure no unnecessary response fees are charged to Elton.

Brandon Fire Dep't Area (204) 729-2400 or (204) 729-2413

(All other lands not listed in CFB Shilo & Rapid City areas below)

CFB Shilo Fire Dep't Area (204) 765-3845

(Douglas & lands south of No. 1 Highway (Secs 1, 2, 3-11-17)

Rapid City Fire Dep't Area (204) 826-2589

(Sections 18, 19, 30 & 31-12-18 & Sections 13 to 36-12-19)

Animal Control

Norm Matiation is the animal control officer for Elton. If you have any concerns regarding domestic animals in your area, please contact Norm at 204-573-1441.

Newsletter Advertising

If you are interested in advertising in this newsletter, please contact the RM of Elton Office at 204-728-7834 or info@elton.ca Advertising as requested by businesses based in Elton is at a cost of \$10.00 per month and \$25.00 per month for businesses based outside of Elton. Non-profit businesses are free of charge.

Evergreen Environmental Technologies

Location Intersection Road 97 West & 80 North
Phone: 204-867-7161 www.evergreentech.ca

Hours of Operation:

Monday – Friday (Winter)

8:00 am – 4:00 pm

Saturday 8:00 am – 3:00 pm

Thursday (May 18 – August 31)

8:00 am – 8:00 pm

COMMUNITY NEWS

Church News

Everyone is welcome to worship at Forrest United Church on Sundays at 11:15 a.m. We have an active Sunday School for the kids and a vibrant community of faith. This is the Season After Epiphany and our worship is geared toward biblical epiphanies and how a relationship with God can also lead us to interesting experiences and enlightened actions.

Forrest Church has a working prayer group that is meeting twice a month to learn and to practice prayer. If you are interested in attending this group, please call Barb Jardine at 204-354-2248.

Watch for our Pancake Supper, which will be happening in early March.

Elton Community Centre

Upcoming Events:

15th Annual 3 on 3 Hockey Tournament Fundraiser February 22nd & 23rd

To register a 3 on 3 Hockey Team, please contact Kemal @ 204-724-5514. The "BIG SUPPER" will be held on Saturday. Lots of draws, prizes and activities for everyone.

For more information please visit our website @ eltoncommunitycenter.com and/or join our Facebook page.

ECC Notices:

Secretary Position is still vacant. Anyone interested in volunteering please contact Kemal Joomun @ 204-724-5514 for more details.

D.C.R.A.

D.C.R.A. Executive would like to take this opportunity to thank all the curlers for attending our 2019 Annual Douglas Mixed Curling Bonspiel, Jan. 24-27th, 2019. Special thank you to our event sponsors: Guild-HMS Insurance, CB Davis Farms, NYK Farms & the local businesses who donated to our Rainbow Auction. Kudos to our VOLUNTEERS! Your endless hours and hard work are truly appreciated, your dedication is our success.

The bonspiel winners have been posted on Facebook: The Community of Douglas, MB

DCRA rink is open Tues. to Thurs. 7 pm to 9 pm and Sat. & Sun. 1 pm - 4 pm. The Canteen is open. Club Curling is on Tues and Wed.

Come out and support your local rink!

Justice Community Club

Are you smarter than your fellow community members?!

"Quiz Night"

Friday, February 8th, 2019, Game starts @ 7PM.

Cash prize for the winning team!

Register as a **team of 4**: \$50

Register as an **individual**: \$15

*lunch included

Licensed bar until 1 am.

How to register?

- At the General Store
- Call / Text:
Linda Hales: (204) 724-8450
Angela Brackenreed: (204) 720-6923
Leanne Brackenreed: (204) 724-0468
- Pay by cash, cheque or e-transfer to justicecommunityclub@gmail.com