

**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 Dec. 10, 2019

Councillors Mitchell, Campbell, Paterson, Bollman, Hales, Bromley and Reeve Farley attended. Financial statement for the month ending November 30, 2019 was filed. 3<sup>rd</sup> reading of BL 1620 (Riverdale Fire Agmt) was given and passed. Fire and Emergency Services Agreement with City of Brandon & Rapid City Fire Department were approved and BL 1621 (Bdn Fire Agmt) and BL 1622 (RC Fire Agmt) were given 1<sup>st</sup> reading. BL 1623 (RFNow Fibre Optic Agmt) was given 1<sup>st</sup> and 2<sup>nd</sup> reading. Interim Budget for 2020 was approved. Authorization was given to the CAO to carry out all proceedings necessary for the tax sale process for lands in arrears of taxes. Fred Gilbert Trucking was awarded gravel haul contract for years 2020-2021 for wards 5 and 6. The 2020 Accessibility Plan was accepted as circulated. The proper signing authorities were authorized to execute a partial discharge of Municipal Heritage Designation on Pt. NE 12-12-19. 2<sup>nd</sup> and 3<sup>rd</sup> reading was given and passed to BL 1619 (2020 Indemnity). Grant in

the amount of \$500.00 to STARS Foundation in 2020 was approved. Grant in the amount of \$200.00 to the Samaritan House for their Safe and Warm Shelter was approved in 2020 year. Staff overtime to November 2019 was approved. Approval of building Inspector Services Agreement between RM of Cornwallis and RM of Elton was approved. Fees for developer connection of multi-lot subdivisions to the Elton Rural waterline were approved. The 2020 Elton Emergency Plan and 2020 Emergency Social Services Plan were approved as presented. Accounts were approved in the amount of \$473,513.02 as per list of accounts circulated to Council. Meeting adjourned to meet again on Tuesday, January 14, 2020 or at the call of the Reeve.

*The RM of Elton Council & Staff wish everyone a Merry Christmas & Happy New Year!*

## MUNICIPAL NOTICES

**Closures:** The RM of Elton office will close for Christmas Break at 12:00 pm December 24<sup>th</sup>, 2019 and will resume regular hours on January 2, 2019.

**Year End Payments:** All Tax, Accounts Receivable and Utility payments received up to Friday, January 3<sup>rd</sup>, 2020 at 3:00 p.m. will be dated in 2019 (interest charged only till December 31).

*The RM of Elton will provide information, in an accessible format on request, or with communication supports that consider a person's specific needs.*

## Waterline Repairs

### Policy No. 68-2018

**POLICY DESCRIPTON:** Being a policy to identify responsibility for waterline repairs within the Rural Municipality of Elton (Elton).

#### Responsibility of Elton:

Elton shall be responsible for:

- 1) Repairs and maintenance of all water pipes and devices on public property outside of private property lines. This includes such items as water mains, water main valves and curb stops.
- 2) Repair and/or replacement of the water meter and reader installed on private property.

#### Responsibility of Property Owner:

Following expiry of the warranty period after installation of the waterline, the property owner shall be responsible for:

- 1) all water pipes, equipment and connectors on private property after the curb stop, except the water meter and reader.
- 2) All costs for any lost water that is recorded through the water meter and reader.



# MUNICIPAL NEWS

## Evergreen Environmental Technologies

Location Intersection Road 97 West & 80 North  
Phone: 204-867-7161 [www.evergreentech.ca](http://www.evergreentech.ca)

### Hours of Operation:

**Monday – Friday (Winter)**

8:00 am – 4:00 pm

**Saturday** 8:00 am – 3:00 pm

## 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.

### FIRE DEPARTMENT RESPONSE AREAS AS OF JAN 1, 2020

#### A map is attached.

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

(All other lands not listed in CFB Shilo, Rapid City, & Rivers/Daly 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

(Sec 19, 20, 29, 30, 31, 32-12-18 & Secs 24 to 31-12-19)

**Rivers/Daly Fire Dep't Area** (204) 328-7930

(Sec 5, 6, 7, 8, 17, 18-12-18 & Secs 1 to 18-12-19)

## Recycling

Please note the following items cannot be recycled:

- Wrapping paper and cellophane
- Paper towels, tissue paper or napkins
- Dirty containers
- Styrofoam
- Windows
- Plastic film wrap
- Grocery bags

The following items can be recycled however, they must be dropped off at Evergreen Environmental:

- Automotive batteries
- Agricultural herbicide and pesticide containers – must be triple rinsed.
- Cloth material
- Electronic waste
- Florescent light bulbs
- Household batteries
- Paint and aerosol cans
- Used cooking oil
- Tires

# COMMUNITY NEWS

## Church News

Christmas Eve Worship will be held at Forrest United Church at 7:30 p.m. on Dec. 24. The Christmas Choir will be singing a number of anthems and everyone is welcome to attend. Come and remember with us the birth of Christ.

There will be no worship at Forrest UC on December 29. Our regular worship will resume on January 5 at 11:15 a.m. We have Sunday School for children and a vibrant, welcoming church family. Check us out in the New Year!

Anne Brolund is the chair of our Pastoral Care Committee, so any prayer concerns or needs can be addressed to her at 204-728-9958.

Many thanks to all who assisted with the Christmas Cheer Outreach from Forrest Community this year. We prepared and delivered 5 hampers to those in need among us.

**Merry Christmas to Everyone  
from Forrest United Church!**

## Elton Community Center

**Come on Down!** COME ON DOWN! We are now open for the season! Thank you to all of the volunteers that put in countless hours making ice, putting lines down and organizing the seasons events. Please visit our website Calendar for holiday hours of operation.

NEW YEARS EVE - FREE DAY!!! Head down to the Community Center for a free day of skating. The canteen will be open (limited supplies) for the afternoon. Come join us in the evening for a Pot Luck and Social gathering as we ring in the New Year. If you would like to attend and contribute to the evening festivities, please contact Joanne Moorehead @ 204-724-5621 or Kemal Joomun @ 204-724-5514.

**From all of us on the E.C.C Committee, HAPPY  
HOLIDAYS and a bright and prosperous NEW  
YEAR! See you at the rink!!**



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