# MINUTES OF THE MUNICIPALITY OF GLENELLA-LANSDOWNE GLENELLA HALL THURSDAY, APRIL 13<sup>th</sup>, 2023

Present: Reeve Kevin Paramor, Councillors Greg McConnell, Jayce Muir, Don Boxall, James Paramor, Damian Dempsey, John Pottinger, CAO Wendy Wutzke ACAO Joy Smith

## Call to order

Reeve K Paramor called the meeting to order at 9:00 a.m.

## Adoption of the Agenda

Muir - Pottinger

Be it resolved Council of the Municipality of Glenella-Lansdowne approve the agenda with additions.

Carried

# Confirmation of Minutes

Muir - McConnell

Be it resolved Council of the Municipality of Glenella-Lansdowne approve the minutes from March 9<sup>th</sup>, 2023, as read and circulated.

Carried

## **Financial Statement**

McConnell - Muir

Be it resolved Council of the Municipality of Glenella-Lansdowne approve the monthly financial statement and bank reconciliation for the month ended March 31<sup>st</sup>, 2023, as read, and circulated.

Carried

### Accounts

Muir - McConnell

Be it resolved cheques numbered 8059 to 8122 in the amount of \$95,876.52, MLLCC Arden Curling Rink Liquor debit charges of \$2,781.88, and payroll direct deposit accounts in the amount of \$47,475.90, having been certified by the Finance Committee, be approved for payment.

Carried

#### Boxall - McConnell

Be it resolved Council Indemnity accounts amounting to \$6,680.66, be hereby approved for payment by direct deposit.

Carried

### By-laws

McConnell - Pottinger

Be it resolved, Bylaw 3/2023, being a bylaw of the Municipality of Glenella-Lansdowne amending Bylaw 8/2021 to include pass through rate increases from Yellowhead Regional Water Coop be hereby given first reading.

Carried

Council stayed the Regular meeting of Council at 10:00 am to hold a Public Hearing regarding the 2023 Financial Plan.

# The Regular Meeting of Council resumed after the Public Hearing

Dempsey – J Paramor

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Whereas subsection 162(1) of the Municipal Act requires council to adopt a Financial Plan for each year consisting of an operating budget, a capital budget, an estimate of operating revenue and expenditures for the following fiscal year, and a five year capital expenditure program; and Whereas the Municipality of Glenella - Lansdowne has prepared such a plan and subjected it to a public hearing as per sections 162(2) and 420 of the Municipal Act of which the Council of the Municipality of Glenella - Lansdowne received no objections to the plan; Now therefore be it resolved Council of the Municipality of Glenella - Lansdowne hereby adopt the said Financial Plan for 2023 and incorporate the same into the 2023 tax levy by-law #2/2023.

Carried

McConnell - Pottinger

Be it resolved, Bylaw 2/2023, being a bylaw of the Municipality of Glenella – Lansdowne authorizing the levying of taxes for 2023 be hereby given second reading.

Carried

Pottinger - Muir

Be it resolved, Bylaw 2/2023, being a bylaw of the Municipality of Glenella – Lansdowne authorizing the levying of taxes for 2023 be hereby given third reading and be finally done and passed. In accordance with 137 M.A., take requiring that a recorded vote be taken on the third reading of a bylaw.

In Favor – K Paramor, McConnell, Muir, Boxall, J Paramor, Dempsey, Pottinger Opposed – None

Abstained - None

Carried

Correspondence

Council reviewed the RCMP Mayors Report for February 2023 - filed

Melvin Mulligan sent a request for the siding and tin roof on 406 Hipwell Lane, Arden – review with him our policy regarding Municipal property

Pottinger – McConnell

Be it resolved Council of the Municipality of Glenella-Lansdowne agree to sell Hans Pedersen Lots 13/16 Block 13 Plan 237, part of Roll 10100 Certificate of Title #2680135 in the Village of Arden; and further be it resolved the purchase cost is \$2,500.00, plus \$15,000 water and sewer hookup fees; and further be it resolved a permanent residence be constructed within two years of transfer date; and further be it resolved all legal and title transfer fees be the responsibility of the purchaser.

Carried

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McConnell- Pottinger
2022,58 Be it resolved Council

Be it resolved Council of the Municipality of Glenella-Lansdowne approve a 2023 grant to Burrows Trail Arts Council in the amount of \$200.00.

Carried

MPI sent a letter regarding the claim on the 2009 Freightliner - filed

Pottinger - McConnell

Be it resolved Council of the Municipality of Glenella – Lansdowne do now sit as a "Committee of the Whole in Camera" and that all matters discussed shall be kept confidential.

Carried

J Paramor - Dempsey

Be it resolved Council of the Municipality of Glenella – Lansdowne do now adjourn as a "Committee of the Whole in Camera" and that all matters discussed shall be kept confidential.

Carried

New Business

Dempsey – J Paramor

Be it resolved Council of the Municipality of Glenella-Lansdowne hire Oscar Funk, Quin Ray, Dustin Mitchler, Fred Bennett, and Carter McKinnon as summer students; and further be it resolved the terms of employment and rate of pay be based upon recommendations of the Personnel Committee.

Carried

**Unfinished Business** 

J Paramor - Dempsey

Be it resolved Council of the Municipality of Glenella – Lansdowne, hire Ray Wilson, as the Public Works Coordinator; and further be it resolved the terms of employment and rate of pay be based upon the recommendations of the Personnel Committee.

Carried

J Paramor - Dempsey

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Be it resolved Council of the Municipality of Glenella – Lansdowne hire Dennis Orton and Raymond Dengate as Seasonal Public Works; and further be it resolved Don McGorman, Henry Enns and Lorence Steeg be recalled; and further be it resolved the terms of employment and rate of pay be based upon the recommendations of the Personnel Committee.

Carried

Committee Reports

Council reviewed the Neepawa & Area Planning District minutes and proposed budget from the board meeting held March 20<sup>th</sup>, 2023 - *filed* 

**Drainage License Applications** 

Dempsey - J Paramor

Be it resolved Council of the Municipality of Glenella-Lansdowne apply for an application to construct water control works license to clean out the ditch on east side 17-18-12 wpm (Road 70W) between Road 104N and Road 105N, pending survey.

Carried

2023/65

McConnell - Pottinger

Be it resolved Council of the Municipality of Glenella-Lansdowne apply for a water control license as per Derek Klassen's drainage proposal on 12, 13, & 24-18-13 wpm, subject to approval from Whitemud Watershed and pending further review of the survey and accompanying license documents.

Carried

Council reviewed the Summary of Operator Hours for year ended April 7th, 2023 - filed

Sensus completed the financial audit on March 24, 2023.

Stride Credit Union accepted the \$82,000 from the land sale for debenture payments. Therefore, we are within our borrowing bylaw approval and the debentures will be paid off in the approved timeline.

Code of Conduct - Online training to be completed by April 26, 2023, for all members of Council.

Emergency Coordinator is needed - All correspondence to be sent to Municipal Office in the interim

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Dempsey – J Paramor

Be it resolved Wendy Wutzke and Joy Smith are hereby authorized to attend the MMAA Convention in Winnipeg, April 30 to May 3, 2023; and further be it resolved all expenses incurred by reimbursed according to Bylaw 2/2020; and further be it resolved Yvonne Heudebourck also attend May 2 & 3, 2023; and further be it resolved the Municipal Offices will close for these 2 days.

Carried

2023/67

Pottinger – McConnell

Be it resolved Council of the Municipality of Glenella-Lansdowne purchase 2 C-Can Containers through the Ritchie Auction Sale in the amount of \$19,712 (including taxes and transaction fees).

Carried

Delegates

None

Open Discussion

Council discussed purchasing a loader, taking a tour of the Municipality, and scheduling a meeting with our MLA, Eileen Clarke.

Notice of Motion

None

Adjournment

Dempsey - Boxall

Be it resolved the meeting be adjourned, the time being 3:10 p.m.

Carried

Reeve – Kevin Paramor

C/A.O. - Wendy Wutzke