Claresholm

TOWN OF CLARESHOLM PROVINCE OF ALBERTA REGULAR COUNCIL MEETING MINUTES **OCTOBER 9, 2012**

CALL TO ORDER: The meeting was called to order at 7:00pm by Mayor David Moore

PRESENT:

Mayor David Moore; Councillors: Betty Fieguth, David Hubka, Doug MacPherson, Connie Quayle; Daryl Sutter and Judy Van Amerongen; Chief Administrative Officer: Kris Holbeck; Secretary-Treasurer: Karine Wilhauk

ABSENT: None

Moved by Councillor Quayle that the Agenda be accepted as presented. AGENDA:

CARRIED

MINUTES: REGULAR MEETING – SEPTEMBER 24, 2012

Moved by Councillor Quayle that the Regular Meeting Minutes of September

24, 2012 be accepted as presented.

CARRIED

FINANCES: SEPTEMBER 2012 BANK STATEMENT

Moved by Councillor Van Amerongen to accept the September 2012 bank

statement as presented.

CARRIED

DELEGATIONS: CLARESHOLM FIRE DEPARTMENT: Kelly Starling, Chief RE: Update

> Kelly Starling was present to update Council as to the current events with the Claresholm Fire Department. They have about seven individuals on the waiting list to join the fire department. They may need to look at adding to the number of volunteer fire fighters as they continue to be very busy. They have very recently started the work experience program with the high school and now have two students. They are learning how to do truck checks and fire terminology, and they are also participating in fire training with the volunteers. They get school credits by participating. They are not allowed to go on calls, but will be allowed to join the department once they turn eighteen. There have been some issues with the ambulance services with Alberta Health Services, and the fire department being asked to be first responders on medical calls. Numerous infractions have been found when Kelly has been performing inspections on various properties in Claresholm. Fire Prevention Week is happening now so Kelly will be busy with that as well.

ACTION ITEMS:

1. BYLAW #1580 - Recyclable Materials Management Bylaw Amendment RE: 1st Reading

Moved by Councillor MacPherson to give Bylaw #1580, a Recyclable Materials Management Bylaw Amendment, 1st Reading.

CARRIED

2. <u>DELEGATION RESPONSE: Fortis Alberta</u> **RE:** Investment Buyout

Moved by Councillor Quayle to enter into a contract with Fortis Alberta for the investment buyback for 42 streetlights as per the quotation provided.

CARRIED

3. CORRES: Royal Canadian Legion Campaign Office RE: Military Service Recognition Books

Moved by Councillor Hubka to support the Military Service Recognition Book produced by the Royal Canadian Legion Campaign Office in the amount of \$445.00 for 2013.

CARRIED

4. CORRES: Teresa Pedersen RE: Lions Park

Referred to administration.

CORRES: Keith Linderman RE: Pond Hockey

Moved by Councillor Sutter to charge the Pond Hockey group the youth ice rental rates for the arena.

CARRIED

6. CORRES: The Bridges at Claresholm Golf Club RE: Municipal Portion of 2012 Property Taxes

Moved by Councillor Sutter to forgive the municipal portion of the 2012 property taxes of the Claresholm Golf Club in the amount of \$2,799.05.

CARRIED

7. CORRES: Claresholm History Book RE: Request for Extension of History Book Loan

Moved by Councillor MacPherson for administration to bring back a bylaw regarding the Claresholm History Book loan to update the timeline for repayment.

CARRIED

8. ADOPTION OF INFORMATION ITEMS

Moved by Councillor MacPherson to accept the information items as presented.

CARRIED

ADJOURNMENT: Moved by Councillor Quayle that this meeting adjourn at 7:41pm.

CARRIED

Mayor – David Moore	Chief Administrative Officer – Kris Holbeck