

Town of Badger

Minutes of the regular public meeting of the Badger Town Council held
Tuesday, July 12, 2022 at 6:30pm in Council Chambers.

Members present:	Mayor:	Dennis Butt
	Deputy Mayor:	Michelle Noseworthy
	Councillors:	Jazmin Eddy
		Jessica George
		Nicholas Blackwood
		Natasha Beaton

Also, present:	Town Clerk/ Manager:	Pansy Hurley
	Superintendent of Works:	Scott Luscombe

Absent:	Councillor:	Ann Marie Young
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Meeting called to order and chaired by Mayor Butt at 6:30pm

Discussion:

1. Mayor Butt welcomed Mr Scott Luscombe, Superintendent of Works to the meeting. Mr Luscombe gave his report.
Scott advised that they had trouble with the lift station on Main Street last Thursday night. This is one of the stations that will be upgraded this Summer. Budgell's was here looking at the three lift stations that they will be upgrading.
-Students are working good. They are weeding the ballfield this week. Door in the zamboni as been repaired. Scott said he was working to repair the floor in the zamboni.
General discussion held.
-Scott said there was nothing on asphalt roller. Mayor said he spoke to our MHA, Chris Tibbs regarding the matter.
-Discussion on calcium for the Trailway. We have contacted the office for the Provincial Parks and were advised that they have no funding in their budget for calcium for the Trailway.
-Scott advised that they are working on the structure similar to last year for the beer tent for Badger Day.

There being no further discussion Mr Luscombe left the meeting at 6:45pm

Adoption of Minutes:

1. Mayor Butt asked if there were any errors or omissions to the minutes of the regular public meeting of Council held June 14, 2022 which were circulated with the agenda for tonight's meeting.

Motion #048-2022 N. Beaton/J. Eddy

Resolved that the minutes of the regular public meeting of Council held Tuesday, June 14, 2022 be adopted as circulated.

Vote:

**In Favor 5: D. Butt; M. Noseworthy; J. Eddy;
N. Blackwood; N. Beaton..**

Opposed 0:

Abstained 0.

MOTION CARRIED

2. Mayor Butt asked if there were any errors or omissions to the minutes of the special meeting of Council held June 28, 2022 which were circulated with the agenda for tonight's meeting.

Motion #049-2022 M. Noseworthy/N. Blackwood

Resolved that the minutes of the special meeting of Council held Tuesday, June 28, 2022 be adopted as circulated.

Vote:

**In Favor 5: D. Butt; M. Noseworthy; J. Eddy;
N. Blackwood; N. Beaton.**

Opposed 0;

Abstained 0.

MOTION CARRIED.

Business arising:

1. There has been no response from the Minister of Municipal and Provincial Affairs regarding our request to lease land to Qalipu First Nations. Check will be made with the department.
2. The information we have received to date is regarding back yard composting not community. General discussion.

Councillor Jessica George arrived at 6:52pm

3. The youth program with the student summer employees has started and is working really well.

Correspondence:

1. Badger Sports and Recreation received a revised quote from T. Mitchell Construction estimating the repairs to the Stadium roof will cost \$21,045.00. General discussion held. It was agreed that Council would have to have a discussion with Badger Sports and Recreation on what the group wants to do moving forward.
2. Exploits Engineering Consultants are wondering what Council's plans are for the Sunset Drive Project which is \$25,749.95 over budget. There is also the possibilities of other expenses after the project begins. It was agreed that Council would have discussion with our engineer and MHA regarding the matter.

Finances:

1. The Town Clerk/Manager presented the accounts payable journal dated July 12, 2022 in the amount of \$40,976.83 for disbursement as presented. Discussion held.

Motion # 050-2022 N. Beaton/N. Blackwood.

Resolved that Council approve the accounts payable journal dated July 12, 2022 in the amount of \$40,976.83 for disbursement as presented:

Vote:

**In Favor 6: D. Butt; M. Noseworthy; J. Eddy; J. George;
N. Blackwood; N. Beaton.**

Opposed 0;

Abstained 0.

MOTION CARRIED.

2. Reimburse Petty Cash. Discussion held.

Motion #051-2022 N. Blackwood/J. George

Resolved that Petty Cash be reimbursed by \$74.50

Vote:

**In Favor 6: D. Butt; M. Noseworthy; J. Eddy; J. George;
N. Blackwood; N. Beaton.**

Opposed 0;

Abstained 0.

MOTION CARRIED.

Other Business:

1. Discussion on new jackets and hoodies for Council and staff. Councillor Beaton will check with Staggs Signs again on the matter.
2. Discussion on the issue of low water pressure at #36 Badger Drive. This service line is connected back near #26 Badger Drive. Discussion on the possibility of have a line go under the TCH through a tunnel. Check will be made on companies that do this work and the costs involved.
3. Discussion on Badger Day events which will include Stadium Bingo, youth softball, parade, men's and women's mixed softball tournament. Chris Mitchell is the DJ for the adult dance. Discussion on having the pageants since there are very few participants. It was agreed that since it was advertised we would do it for this year.

Adjournment:

Motion #052-2022 N. Beaton/J. Eddy

Resolved that there being no further discussion Council will now adjourn to meet again on Tuesday, August 9, 2022 at 6:30pm in Council Chambers.

Vote:

**In Favor 6: D. Butt; M. Noseworthy, J. Eddy, J. George;
N. Blackwood; N. Beaton.**

Opposed 0;

Abstained 0.

MOTION CARRIED.

Meeting adjourned at 8;25pm

Mayor

Town Clerk/Manager