



Village of Stirling

January 2, 2013

The Village of Stirling Council meeting was held at the Stirling Community Centre on January 2, 2013. In attendance were Mayor Edwards, Councillors Bikman, Hirsche and Tanner and Assistant CAO Selk. Councillor Maynes and CAO Barton were excused.

CALLED TO ORDER Mayor Edwards called the meeting to order at 7:00 pm.

2013-001 AGENDA Councillor Bikman moved to adopt the agenda with additions.
Carried

DELEGATION(S) Rita Nilsson spoke to Council about having fluoride in the drinking water. She spoke about what she feels are possible concerns of adding fluoride to the water. She asked about removing it from the water.

Stirling Chinook Arch representative Doug Cooper presented information to Council about the Library system. He spoke about the benefit of being part of Chinook Arch. Cooper continues to be part of the Chinook Arch Executive.

Al Wiersema asked Council to look at amending the Land Use Bylaw to better regulate certain types of development. He spoke about the application for the large residential development across the street from his home, which was denied. Wiersema spoke about improvements that could make the Land Use Bylaw better.

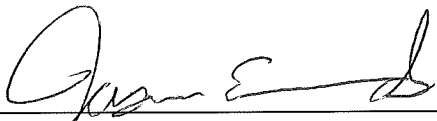
2013-002 MINUTES Councillor Hirsche moved to adopt the minutes of the December 12, 2012 Council Meeting.
Carried

2013-003 ACCOUNTS PAYABLE Councillor Bikman moved to accept accounts payable cheque #20121083-#20121095 and #20121105-#20121110.
Carried

2013 CAPITAL BUDGET Council discussed the capital projects for 2013.

2013-004 EMPLOYEE STRUCTURE Councillor Tanner moved to add a fulltime Public Works Operator position for 2013.
Carried

- PROPERTY TAX PENALTIES Council discussed using different strategies to encourage residents to pay property taxes on time. Council will not make any policy changes at this time.
- 2013-005 INFANT INTERNMENT FEES Councillor Tanner moved to wave the internment fees for infants under 2 years of age during regular hours. Carried
- ROUNDTABLE Councillor Hirsche nothing to report
Councillor Tanner nothing to report
Mayor Edwards discussed the Community Futures Business Improvement Loan Program. Edwards also asked Councillor Tanner to take Villages' need for Senior Housing to the next Ridge Country Housing meeting.
Council Bikman nothing to report
- 2013-006 FCSS COUNCIL REPRESENTATIVE Mayor Edwards moved to appoint Councillor Bikman as the Council representative to the FCSS board. Carried
- 2013-007 CORRESPONDENCE AND ITEMS FOR INFORMATION Councillor Tanner moved to accept the correspondence as information, as presented. Carried
- 2013-008 ADJOURN Councillor Hirsche moved to adjourn at 8:38 pm. Carried



Mayor



Assistant CAO