

Resort Village of Shields
Monthly Council Highlights
Meeting April 20, 2020

PLEASE NOTE: Covid-19 Impacts: a. Municipal Office is closed to the public until further notice. b. Shields playground is closed. Social distancing is required and parents need to ensure that their children are not allowed to play with others at our playground facilities. c. Golf Course closed to public as per provincial legislation. People are also reminded to wash their hands and avoid touching shared surfaces.

1. Council noted that any culverts in the village that are plugged with ice and causing water to flow over roads or pose a risk of flooding dwellings will be steamed open.
2. Official Community Plan meeting will not be held until coronavirus danger has passed.
3. Bathroom addition at maintenance shop to proceed as soon as frost is out of the ground.
4. 2020 Election –Council will not be proceeding with a Bylaw to Require Criminal Record Checks to accompany Nomination form until a later date.
5. Shields Annual General Meeting will not be held until coronavirus danger has passed.
6. March accounts of \$39,290.99 approved for payment.
7. Annual operating budget approved. Revenues - \$761,968, Expenses - \$801,176, Transfers - \$40,000, Surplus - \$792, Mill rate will remain at 2 and base tax will remain at \$1,150.
8. Boat lot base tax abated at 50 percent for residential property owners.
9. Large garbage bins to be made available for May long weekend.
10. Sport Court project proceeding as planned, to begin this summer.
11. Community clean-up of parks postponed until after Covid-19 restrictions are lifted.