

Resort Village of Shields
Monthly Council Highlights
Meeting November 18, 2020

(full minutes will be approved at December 16, 2020 Council Meeting and posted upon approval)

ROADS

- Gravelok report shows that the results of the process were favorable
- Traffic bylaw revisions to be prepared for next meeting.
- Villagers asked to follow snow removal equipment at a safe distance and not to place snow on the roadways or alleys when clearing their yards.

PERMITS/BYLAWS/POLICY

- Council Procedures Bylaw will be considered at the December 16/20 Council meeting.
- development permit for landscaping at #8 Sunterra Dr and permit for regrading of back yard at #5 Sunterra Dr approved.
- Dock permit granted for 5 Shortt Rd.

SUNTERRA DEVELOPMENTS

- Results from 4 meetings with Sunterra discussed. Several outstanding issues have been resolved.
- Mayor Larson and administrator Williams are working on new agreement

PROJECTS

- Dedicated lands survey to be incorporated into Community Consultation process

EVENTS

- 2020 Christmas events include Drive by Santa & Candy Cane Lane at Outlaws Ravine. Residents must register for Santa treats. Details will be provided by email. \$1500 budgeted for Christmas Events.

HUMAN RESOURCES

- Jeannesta McLean to be contracted for hall cleaning services.

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- Shields short-term disability has been amended reducing the Village's employment insurance premium creating a savings.

GRANTS

- Administrator authorized to sign Declaration of Eligibility for Municipal Revenue Sharing Grant and submit it to the Ministry of Government Relations.
- File closed on the 2020 SK Lotteries Grant. Funding received and used towards the Basketball equipment for the Sports court.
- ICIP Grant application has been submitted.

COMMITTEES/MEETINGS/CONFERENCES

- EMO committee has new members and received training November 16 at the hall.
- Animal Control Committee met in October and has requested some changes to the bylaw which will be reviewed by the Bylaw Committee.

EQUIPMENT/BUILDINGS FIXTURES

- Seasonal Storage Site area to be tidied and made more accessible.
- Maintenance Building addition is complete.
- Sport Court to be used for ball hockey this winter, no equipment allowed on surface. (SUBJECT TO COVID REGULATIONS)
- Generator service be expanded to cover shop – approx. cost \$1100.
- \$200 infrastructure levy be abated for 2020.

FINANCIAL

- Monthly accounts in the amount of \$65,321.78 approved for payment.

CAUTION

- There have been 2 break ins in Shields and one in Thode. Please be cautious and ensure that your doors and vehicles are locked. If you notice anyone suspicious, please notify the office or the police.

NEXT REGULAR COUNCIL MEETING – Wednesday, December 16/20 at 6 pm

**Please note that we are looking for people to sit on the board of revision.
Please contact Jessie if interested.**