

VILLAGE OF STANDARD TOWN / VOLUNTEER MEETING
WEDNESDAY April 10, 2018
Seniors Center 7PM

PRESENT

Mayor Alan Larsen, Deputy Mayor Joe Pedersen, Councilors Martin Gauthier, Adam Sommerfeldt, and Brandon Duffala

Yvette – Acting C.A.O.

Brian Pedersen – Public Works

Don & Val Sundgaard, Garry Lorna Kapaniuk, Allan Mckinnon
Larry Casey, Gloria Laycock, Lucille Story, Susan & Allan Bragg
Dawn & Phil Faubion, Janice Reagan, Arthur Tellier
Traci Rasmussen, Jenny & Chuck Green, Les Zakariasen
Leighton & Lesley Ann Arnold, Trent Sundgaard,
Leanne Gerrard, Jolayne Christensen, Verna Nelson
Adreena Harder, Brent Gregory, Drew Gregory, Lori Bach
Dale Beingessner, Dawn-Lee & Joe Martin, Joan Holm
Marian Christensen, Jackie Jensen, Mark Clark, Missy Leglanc
Donna Christensen, Willie Frittaion, Don Cuthill.

CALL TO ORDER Mayor A. Larsen called the regular meeting to order at 7:00PM.

A.Larsen welcomed everyone to the meeting

A.Larsen informed that the Village was looking at purchasing the school, with the different possibilities that could become of it. Medicine Hat interested in an Art Museum, supernet runs into the school for future possibilities of having town supplied with Fiber cable. The major expense with the school at present is that the roof leaks really bad and that there is asbestos. If the Village doesn't purchase that it would go for public sale.

Tender bids in 2017 came in under bid and the Village was able to do some extra paving on 11th and 7th ave. this year budget of \$800,000.00 would include water/sewer & paving on 2nd street, road work on Christian Ave, Yorick Ave in front of Hall and Church and finish road work on 9th ave.

Informed that the Village if anyone was interested in starting a Citizen on Patrol in Standard to call the office. This is a RCMP Sponsored program with training.

Talked about various other options for the town, Electronic Sign, Solar panel speed sign at each end of town. Gas Plus gas station.

A.Larsen opened the floor for discussion on Village issues.

L.Casey expressed his concern that there was many properties In the Village that were getting unsightly with derelict vehicles and garbage everywhere. A.Larsen explained that there was a limit of 2 unregistered vehicle per property and to send a complaint to the office where a letter will be sent re the bylaws.

Community Hall: Brent Gregory

AGM May 2nd, Looking for member, meeting 1x monthly

Community Nights starting June, Will do a casino.

Putting up a sign board for advertising events

Suggestion box at hall for any ideas.

Ag Society: Trent Sundgaard (Vice Chair)

With Grants & Crisp Money received they purchase the Zamboni and new LED Lights for the Arena

Lights installed for the Tennis and Volley ball Court

Working on the Outdoor Arena Phase 1 Concrete pad to tie in for future indoor Arena. Obtained used boards from Ranchland. Budget \$150,000.00

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Library: Lori Bach

5 Year plan for the building to replace carpet, tiles, trees
Sidewalks, Stairs and ramp done last year.
Leak in roof estimate at \$30,000.00
Membership and Programs has increased.
Yearly events, Mothers Day Market, Golf Tournament July 20th, Fall Supper
Looking for new members,
Approved for Casino by the Friends of the library for 2019-20

Memory Lane: Don Sundgaard Prseident

Planted 40 trees in 2017 that were donated, path dug out
2018 will pack 800 yards of gravel donated by the County
Paving will be inconjunction with Hwy 840

Larry Casey- Planning Memorial Garden, with brands on the boards

Walking bridges, Board walk. Rail road on the west side of parking lot with 140 feet of Track
with station. Gerald Knowlton's (major contributor for this part) fatherWas the Station
Manager.

Jackie Jensen - West end of track if they can get snow plow moved very heavy.

Old railway track, 1911 Speeder Shack, Windmill
Will need people with drills to build a 1km 2rail fence on the south side.

Recreation for walking, cycling, signs.
Corporation will supply water for watering
Cash Calender will bring in \$10,000.00

Beautification: Donna Christensen

Will not expand planters, but need more volunteers

Big Horn: Martin Gauthier

Hosting 3D archery shoot July 21-22 approx 200 pp using B.Rassmussen land

Rural Fire: Brett Gates

Volunteer Fire Members needed

Curling Rink: ???

Planning 2 year Renovation, purchase new rocks

Lions: Darrell Larsen

No new projects, Donated \$75,000..00 to the outdoor arena this year

Lionettes – Adreena Harder

Support Seniors and youth programs
Annual Ladies night April 21st

Baseball: Leann Gerrard

100 kids registered, Will need New jerseys, Helmet, Bats

Hockey Assoc:

45 kids registered last year.

Playschool

Fundraising ongoing. Operating costs \$16 to 20,000.00 Yearly

A.Larsen thanked everyone for coming out and invited anyone to come to Council meeting, letting
them know that if they wish to speak to call a few days in advance and get put on the Agenda

ADJOURN

The meeting adjourned at 8:30PM

Mayor

C.A.O.