

REPORT 7-2019
CITY OF MARTENSVILLE
COMMITTEE OF THE WHOLE MEETING
TUESDAY – AUGUST 13, 2019
MINUTES

PRESENT: Mayor Kent Muench, Deputy Mayor Tyson Chillog, Councillors Michael Cox, Bob Blackwell, Debbie McGuire, Director of Infrastructure & Planning Matt Gruza, Director of Recreation & Community Services Ted Schaeffer, Community Economic Development Manager Dillon Shewchuk, Director of Corporate Services Leah Bloomquist

REGRETS: Councillors Darren MacDonald, Jamie Martens, City Manager Scott Blevins,

LOCATION: City Hall – Council Chambers

RECORDING SECRETARY: City Clerk Carla Budnick

CALL TO ORDER: Deputy Mayor Chillog called the meeting to order at 5:00 P.M.

2. DELGATIONS

A) RCMP

Sergeant Curtis Little gave a brief overview of the stats from 2018 compared to the current stats. He noted many stats had decreased, which was positive and there were no areas of concern.

Council had no further questions.

Deputy Mayor Chillog thanked Sergeant Little for attending.

4. REPORTS

4.6 Community Economic Development Manager

4.6.1 RFD – A & W 100 – Partial Road Closure

With the upcoming Show n Shine that accompanies the A & W 100 on September 7th, the Martensville Lions and A & W are requesting a partial closure of Centennial Drive North. The Show n Shine typically has between 80 and 110 cars each year and has become a popular event amongst residents and car enthusiasts from surrounding areas. The City recognizes that Centennial Drive is a busy road with development on either side, but with the assistance of the City Public Works Department a partial road closure has proven to work extremely well. The event is expected to run from 9:00 am – 3:00 pm and the RCMP and City Fire Department are notified of the event and assist in ensuring there are safe conditions for all participating and attending.

City Council was in favour of the request and motion will go to the next Regular Council Meeting for formal approval.

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4.6.2 RFD – Sponsorship Request – Ignite Business Summit

Prairie Sky Chamber is planning to host the first ever “Ignite Excellence Business Summit” on November 7, in Warman. The one-day conference is aimed at business and community leaders as well as entrepreneurs and it is the goal of the chamber to offer this event yearly. The Chamber is planning to alternate the location of the event following how they schedule the WMBEXA Awards. The years the City of Martensville hosts the event, their sponsorship would consist as in-kind provision of a facility, on the alternating years a cash donation of \$650 is requested to cover any expenses to run the event.

City Council was in favour of the request and motion will go to the next Regular Council Meeting for formal approval.

4.6.3 CEDM Report

Community Economic Development Manager Shewchuk, reviewed what he has been working on over the past month. The August edition of “The Banner” went out. Work continues on the Regional Run in partnership with Warman and SREDA, the event takes place Saturday September 14th and registration is now open. Planning has begun to start shooting new Business is Booming videos. There has been some interest in the Housing Functional Plan project along with inquiries about developing an assisting living project. Various inquires continue to come in regarding on available commercial and industrial lots.

6. IN-CAMERA

6.1 Recreation Facility

6.2 Budget

6.3 Agreements

ADJOURNMENT:

Meeting adjourned at 6:19 P.M.

Mayor Kent Muench