REGULAR MEETING OF COUNCIL OF THE TOWN OF CALMAR WAS HELD IN PERSON AND VIRTUALLY ON MONDAY FEBRUARY 20, 2024

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1. CALL TO ORDER: Mayor Carnahan called the Regular Council Meeting of February 20, 2024, to order at the hour of 6:34 pm.

PRESENT: Mayor Carnahan, Councillors Faulkner, Gardner, McKeag Reber & Benson, CAO Losier, DCS Bryans, RC Miller

2. ADOPTION OF AGENDA:

Moved by Councillor Benson that the agenda is hereby adopted as presented.

CARRIED R-24-02-0027

- 3. PUBLIC HEARINGS: None
- 4. **DELEGATIONS:** None
- 5. ADOPTION OF MINUTES:
 - a) Regular Council Meeting February 05, 2024

Moved by Councillor Gardner that the minutes of the Regular Council Meeting of February 05, 2024, are hereby approved as presented.

CARRIED R-24-02-0028

- 6. UNFINISHED BUSINESS: None
- 7. BYLAWS or POLICIES:
 - a) Bylaw #2024-03 Parkland Bylaw

Moved by Councillor McKeag Reber that Bylaw #2024-03 – Parkland Bylaw, be given first reading as presented.

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- b) Bylaw #2020-14 Off Road Vehicles Bylaw Discussion Only
- c) Bylaw #2022-21 Procedural Bylaw Discussion Only
- d) Committee of the Whole Bylaw Discussion Only

8. NEW BUSINESS:

a) 2024 Regional Assessment Review Board Appointments

Moved by Councillor McKeag Reber that Council pass a motion to appoint the following as the Town of Calmar Assessment Review Board Officials for 2024:

ARB Chair: Raymond Ralph
Certified ARB Clerk: Gerryl Amorin
Certified Panelists: Darlene Chartrand

Sheryl Exley Tina Groszko Stewart Henning Richard Knowles Denis Meier Raymond Ralph

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b) Canada Day

Moved by Councillor Benson that Council pass a motion to direct Administration to move forward with the Calmar Canada Day Hockey Tournament.

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c) Recreation Board

Moved by Councillor Gardner that Council pass a motion to direct Administration to bring back a new draft bylaw to replace Bylaw #2017-15 at a future meeting for deliberation and discussion.

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d) Chronicle Discussion

9. FINANCIAL:

a) 2023 Operating Surplus

Moved by Councillor Benson that Council pass a motion to make the following reserve transfers from the 2023 Operating Surplus:

Operating Contingency Reserve - \$56,000 Debenture Stabilization Reserve - \$0 Incentive Grant Reserve - \$19,000 Infrastructure Reserve - \$600,000 Town Hall Reserve - \$20,000 Parks Facility Reserve - \$60,000 Parks Trail Reserve - \$50,000 Fleet Services Reserve - \$20,000 Arena Building Reserve - \$75,000

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- 10. DEPARTMENT REPORTS: None
- 11. COUNCIL AND COMMITTEE REPORTS: None
- 12. CORRESPONDENCE:
 - a) RCAF Centenary Dinner Invitation

Moved by Mayor Carnahan that Council accept this as information.

CARRIED R-24-02-0034

13. CLARIFICATION OF AGENDA BUSINESS - (Open mic)

Recess @ 9:10 pm Reconvene @ 9:20pm

Moved by Councillor Faulkner that the Regular Meeting of Council extended past 9:30pm

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14. CLOSED SESSION:

Moved by Councillor McKeag Reber that the Regular Council Meeting temporarily adjourn, and Council sit in Closed Session at this time being 9:21pm.

CARRIED R-24-02-00236

CAO Losier and DCS Bryans remained in the meeting for the Closed Session.

- a) Development (Pursuant to Section 25(1)(b) of the Freedom of Information and Protection of Privacy Act)
- b) Personnel (Pursuant to Section 24(1)(b)(i) of the Freedom of Information and Protection of Privacy Act).
- c) Personnel (Pursuant to Section 24(1)(b)(i) of the Freedom of Information and Protection of Privacy Act).
- d) Personnel (Pursuant to Section 24(1)(b)(i) of the Freedom of Information and Protection of Privacy Act).

Moved by Councillor Reber that the Regular Council Meeting reconvene from Closed Session at this time being 10:08 pm.

CARRIED R-24-02-0037

Moved by Councillor Gardner that administration is directed to proceed with the tax recovery auction on the designated manufactured home in the Calmar Trailer Park, with the reserve bid to be set at 90% of the 2023 assessed value.

CARRIED R-24-02-0038

15. ADJOURNMENT:

The Regular Council Meeting adjourned at 10:10 pm.

These minutes signed this 04th day of March 2024.

Mayor Carnahan

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