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Resolution #8241

Moved by: Mayor St Jean

RESOLVED to reconvene the Regular Council meeting at 7:13 PM.

CARRIED

DELEGATION

S.Sgt. Mac Richards – Morinville RCMP

Mayor St Jean welcomed S.Sgt. Mac Richards to the meeting. S.Sgt. Richards reported that the first 3 months of the year saw a substantial decrease in thefts from vehicles from last year at that time. Thefts, mischief, and misdemeanours are also showing a decrease. Drugs; property crimes; thefts from vehicles; mischief; and traffic are their policing priorities for the Town of Legal.

Mayor St Jean informed S.Sgt. Richards that the RCMP event that was held through FCSS was well received by our community and was very informative.

S.Sgt. Richards indicated that they are planning for Fete au Village and will be keeping a close eye on the RV Park. Mayor St Jean invited the Morinville RCMP to participate in the Fete au Village due to the theme being Salute to Protective Services.

Councillor Hughes brought up the topic of disruptive ATV use in the community. He indicated that it seems to be a specific few people in the community who seem ignore the concerns of others. The RCMP can visit these residences to issue a warning, but cannot issue fines unless they are caught by the RCMP. An increase in patrols can be implemented but S.Sgt. Richards indicated that timing is crucial.

Mayor St Jean questioned what kind of area the Sheriffs will be covering and if it affected Legal. S.Sgt. Richards indicated Sheriffs will be policing provincial highways which will include Hwy 651 through Legal. Mayor St Jean thanked S.Sgt. Richards for his presentation.

NEW BUSINESS

Tour d' Alberta

CAO, Corey Brown informed Council of the reason for the sponsorship cost increase from \$250 to \$500 which is due to catering of the event; marketing and a 50% increase in riders.

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RESOLVED that the Town of Legal donate \$250.00 to the Tour d' Alberta.

CARRIED

Vimy Ridge Day 2010 - Letter

Mayor St Jean signed a letter recognizing Vimy Ridge Day 2010 remembering the 26 soldiers who served from the Town of Legal.

Sturgeon County Mayors Golf Tournament-Sponsorship

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Moved by: Councillor Ouellette

RESOLVED that the Town of Legal donate \$250.00 to sponsor a hole at the Sturgeon County Mayors Golf Tournament.

CARRIED

REPORTS

CAO

Written report submitted and forms part of these minutes.

MANAGER OF FINANCE REPORT

No report.

MANAGER OF OPERATIONS REPORT

Written report submitted and forms part of these minutes.

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Moved by: Councillor Ouellette

RESOLVED that the Town of Legal award the Playground Guys with the bid for playground upgrades at the Centennial and Knights of Columbus parks.

CARRIED

Water Line Break

The Manager of Operations reported that they had a water line break at the RV dump station which has since been repaired.

COUNCILLOR REPORTS

Mayor St Jean

Fete as Village

Mayor St Jean attended a Fete au Village meeting on April 29th. He informed Council that the theme this year will be a Salute to Protective Services. New this year will be the Legal Vipers hosting the beer gardens, a Show and Shine. Councillor Bennet suggested that Council discuss the Town's float at the next meeting.

Councillor Bennett

No report.

Councillor Hughes

Councillor Hughes attended the Administrative Law II course regarding tax assessment, and will be taking the Principles of Assessment once new schedule comes out.

Councillor Ouellette

Sturgeon Foundation

Sturgeon Foundation has hired contractors to repair the deficiencies at Northridge Place. It is understood that the original contractor will be paying for the repairs but has not given formal notice of this intention.

Sturgeon Foundation also had a Governance and Management meeting last Friday. It was discussed how to recover from the debt and how to make the organization for viable

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RESOLVED that the reports be accepted.

CARRIED

CORRESPONDENCE

Kids Help Phone – Donation Request

Received as information.

Government of Alberta – Volunteer Recognition Award

COA Corey Brown will contact Fred Malott to see if he will accept nomination of the award.

Alberta Municipal Affairs – Municipal Excellence Award

Received as information.

Alberta Municipal Affairs – Correction

Received as information.

ATCO Gas - Invitation

Received as information.

Town of Morinville - Invitation

Received as information.

Edmonton Regional Tourism Group – Request

Received as information

Sturgeon Victim Services Charity Golf Classic – Donation

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RESOLVED that the Town of Legal donate \$200 to the Sturgeon Victim Services Charity Golf Classic.

CARRIED

Sturgeon County Bylaw Statistics

Received as information.

8247

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Moved by: Councillor Bennett

RESOLVED that correspondence be accepted.

CARRIED

IN CAMERA

8248

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Moved By: Councillor Ouellette

RESOLVED that Council move “In Camera” to discuss “Legal” issues at 8:43 PM.

CARRIED

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Moved By: Councillor Hughes

RESOLVED that Council return to the regular session at 8:46 PM.

CARRIED

ADJOURNMENT

8250

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Moved by: Councillor Bennett

RESOLVED that the meeting be adjourned at 8:46 PM.

CARRIED

Mayor

Chief Administrative Officer

CAO - Report to Council

Date: May 3, 2010

Fire Ban Lift

With the amount of rain we are having we will be lifting the ban in Town.

Tower approval for wireless connection to the pump house

Was approved today as an addition under the Stimulus grant.

Chief Administrative Officer
Corey Brown

Summer Student- Hired and filled one 16 week position. The summer employment position will commence May 4th and end on August 24, 2010. Currently reviewing and conducting interviews for the second 16 week position and the eight week position.

Fish Stocking- 2000 rainbow trout have been added to the pond.

Maintenance Operator- Currently advertising to fill the vacant position.

Playground Project- require council resolution to approve the playgrounds upgrades to The Playground Guys.

Pump house Upgrades- Corey and I attended the tender opening for upgrades at the reservoir site. Two tenders were received. The recommendation from Select Engineering to award the contract will be received and included at the next council meeting. There was some concern on portion of the tender that Select Engineering wants to clarify with the contractor prior to tender approval.

2010 Infrastructure Improvements- AECOM will be sending out a preliminary drawing for review. It's anticipated the tender be out in two weeks. I can update you on the infrastructure upgrades that are identified for 2010 if you wish at tonights meeting.

Valve Inspections- the inspection are taking place this week(weather permitting). We have limited funds so not sure if all the valves will be inspected. A total of 12 valves from Legal to Morinville will be excavated, if required the rusty colts will be replaced with stainless steel, anodes will be installed for cathodic protection, valve boxes will be replaced if required, valve body wrapped with denso tape and the hole will be backfilled. This will be done under the MSP grant.

RV PARK – will be attempting to work on marking out the existing stalls. A total of 16 stalls will be available. 8 full service stalls and 8 non serviced. Rate change on the sign are almost complete.