The regular meeting of Sedgewick Town Council was held in the Council Chambers of the Sedgewick Town Office, Sedgewick, Alberta on Thursday, December 15<sup>th</sup>, 2016 at 4:00 p.m.

PresentPerry RobinsonMayorGreg SparrowCouncillorGrant ImlahCouncillorStephen LevyCouncillorTim SchmutzCouncillorShawn HigginsonCouncillor

Present Amanda Davis Chief Administrative Officer

Call to Order Mayor Robinson called the meeting to order at 4:00 p.m.

**Opening Ceremony** Council conducted an opening values ceremony.

Agenda

2016.12.291 MOTION by Clr. S. Levy that the agenda is approved with the

following additions:

Old Business:

OB2. 2017 Municipal Budget - Draft

New Business:

NB2. 2017 Proposed Budget – Sedgewick Golf Club <u>CARRIED.</u>

Mayor P. Robinson rearranged the agenda proceeding with Old Business 1 (OB1) Strategic Plan – Presentation of Short Term

Priority #2.

Strategic Plan – ST

Rearrangement

Priority #2

CAO Davis presented the plan to address Short Term (ST) Priority

#2 - Sedgewick Recreation and Leisure, Where People Come First.

2016.12.292 MOTION by Mayor P. Robinson to recess the meeting at 6:00

p.m.

CARRIED.

2016.12.293 MOTION by Mayor P. Robinson to reconvene the regular meeting

at 6:42 p.m.

CARRIED.

Minutes Council reviewed the minutes of the November 17<sup>th</sup>, 2016

organizational meeting.

2016.12.294 MOTION by Clr. T. Schmutz that the November 17<sup>th</sup>, 2016

organizational meeting minutes are approved as presented.

CARRIED.

Minutes Council reviewed the minutes of the December 1<sup>st</sup>, 2016 special

meeting.

2016.12.295 MOTION by Clr. G. Sparrow that the December 1<sup>st</sup>, 2016 special

meeting minutes are approved as presented.

CARRIED.

<u>Financials:</u>

Financial Statement Council reviewed the financial statement for the month ending

October 31<sup>st</sup>, 2016.

2016.12.296 MOTION by Mayor P. Robinson that the financial statement for

the month ending October 31<sup>st</sup>, 2016 are approved as presented. <u>CARRIED.</u>

Reports:

Committee Reports Council provided written Committee Reports to December 15th,

2016 as attached to and forming part of these minutes.

Discussion held regarding Flagstaff Intermunicipal Partnership's (FIP) Regional Governance Project and the recommendation to

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FRSWMA	move towards a single tiered government.  Clr. S. Higginson reported on Flagstaff Regional Solid Waste Management Association (FRSWMA) society bylaws and discussions regarding upcoming amendments.	
2016.12.297	MOTION by Clr. S. Levy that the Committee Reports are approved as presented and discussed.	CARRIED.
Public Works	A written Public Works Report was provided to December 15 <sup>th</sup> , 2016 as attached to and forming part of these minutes.	
2016.12.298	MOTION by Clr. S. Higginson that the Public Works Report is approved as presented.	CARRIED.
CAO Report	CAO Davis provided a written Administrative Report to December 15 <sup>th</sup> , 2016 as attached to and forming part of these minutes.	
CAO Education	A follow-up discussion regarding motion 2016.05.115 was had.	
2016.12.299	MOTION by Clr. S. Levy that \$55,000 is transferred from account 112110 for education expenses as per motion 2016.05.115.	CARRIED.
Council Meeting Dates	Discussion held regarding the February 16 <sup>th</sup> , 2017 council meeting due to the absence of Mayor P. Robinson and CAO Davis.	
2016.12.300	MOTION by Clr. T. Schmutz that the February 16 <sup>th</sup> , 2017 council meeting is cancelled with further review of a special meeting in March if necessary upon the return of Mayor P. Robinson and CAO Davis.	
2016.12.301	MOTION by Clr. G. Sparrow that the Administrative Report is	

Old Business:

Strategic Plan – ST Priority #2 2016.12.302 Further discussion held regarding Short Term Priority #2.

MOTION by Clr. G Sparrow that:

approved as presented and discussed.

- the Sedgewick Recreation and Leisure Plan dated December 9<sup>th</sup>, 2016 is approved as presented.
- that operating funds for recreation remain unchanged for 2017-2019.
- that \$150,000 is transferred from 49700997 'Recreation Operating Reserve' and dedicated solely to the implementation of Sedgewick's Recreation and Leisure Plan as presented for 2017-2019.
- that the municipal office remains closed two full days per week (Thursday – Friday) for regular administrative duties, implementation of the Recreation and Leisure Plan as well as time to focus on council's strategic priorities.
- that regular monthly recreation reports be provided by the CAO to council regarding plan implementation.

CARRIED.

CARRIED.

2017 Municipal Budget

A draft 2017 municipal budget was presented.

2016.12.303

MOTION by Mayor P. Robinson that council approves reserve transfers and account closures as follows:

Close 49700994 and transfer \$64,836 to 49732900

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	<ul> <li>Close 49724901 and transfer \$1,043 to 49791903</li> <li>Close 49772993 and transfer \$16,486 to 49700998</li> <li>Close 49772992 and transfer \$4,504 to 49700998</li> </ul>	CARRIED.
2016.12.304	MOTION by Clr. G. Sparrow that the 10% Municipal Reserve paid for the subdivision of PRT NE 8-44-12 W4M is transferred to account 49700992 'Future Development Reserve'.	CARRIED.
2016.12.305	MOTION by Clr. S. Higginson that the cost for lagoon dredging is approved as an unbudgeted expenditure in 2016 in the amount of \$36,649.20 as the scope of the project changed and the use of Federal Gas Tax Funds is no longer valid.	CARRIED.
2016.12.306	MOTION by CIr. G. Imlah that office revitalization occurs in 2017 and funds are allocated as follows:  112210 – VCU Interest - \$7,000 2016 Operating Surplus (salaries) - \$20,000	
	Revitalization shall not exceed this budget; any excess funds shall be transferred to 49732900, 'Infrastructure Reserve' upon completion.	CARRIED.
2016.12.307	MOTION by Clr. S. Levy that the Town of Sedgewick enter into a one-year service contract with NIC.212 for Bylaw Enforcement as follows:	
	<ol> <li>One hour of patrol per week in 2017.</li> <li>That NIC.212 only enforces bylaws when written complaints are received or enforcement is directed by the CAO.</li> </ol>	CARRIED.
2016.12.308	MOTION by Clr. T. Schmutz that council approves the 2017 Municipal Sustainability Initiative Operating proposed project plan as revised.	CARRIED.
2016.12.309	MOTION by Mayor P. Robinson that council approves the 2017 municipal budget as per option 2 as revised.	CARRIED.
Fees & Charges Bylaw	Fees & Charges Bylaw #528 was presented.	
#528 2016.12.310	MOTION by Clr. G. Sparrow that council gives first reading to Bylaw #528.	CARRIED.
2016.12.311	MOTION by Clr. S. Higginson that council gives second reading to Bylaw #528.	CARRIED.
2016.12.312	MOTION by Clr. G. Imlah that council has third reading of Bylaw #528.	CARRIED.
2016.12.313	MOTION by Clr. S. Levy that council gives third and final reading to Bylaw #528.	CARRIED.
Land Use Bylaw (LUB) #461 – Re-districting	Bylaw #527 was presented.	
2016.12.314	MOTION by Cir. T. Schmutz that council gives second reading to Bylaw #527.	CARRIED.
2016.12.315	MOTION by Mayor P. Robison that council gives third reading to Bylaw #527.	CARRIED.
FIP Budget	The Flagstaff Intermunicipal Partnership (FIP) 2017 budget was presented.	
2016:32.316	MOTION by Clr. G. Sparrow that the 2017 FIP budget is approved as presented.  —	CARRIED.

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Sedgewick Golf Budget The Sedgewick Golf Club's 2017 budget was presented.

2016.12.317 MOTION by Clr. S. Higginson that the 2017 Sedgewick Golf Club's

budget is approved as presented.

CARRIED.

Correspondence:

Municipal Affairs - Bill

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Notification was received from Alberta Municipal Affairs that Bill

21 was approved in Legislature on December 6<sup>th</sup>, 2016.

FFCS – Annual Report The 2016 Family and Community Support Services Association of

Alberta's annual report was presented.

BRAED Battle River Alliance for Economic Development (BRAED)

provided a project update for November 2016.

BRSD Battle River School Division's (BRSD) News Release for October

31<sup>st</sup>, 2016 was presented.

Canada 150 Western Economic Diversification Canada provided notification

that the application to construct a spray park at Sedgewick Lake under the Canada 150 Community Infrastructure Program was

rejected.

Flagstaff County –

**Mutual Aid** 

Flagstaff County provided notice of rate changes under the All

Hazards Mutual Aid Agreement as of January 1<sup>st</sup>, 2017.

FRSWMA Minutes Flagstaff Regional Solid Waste Management Association

(FRSWMA) Organizational minutes of November 28th, 2016 were

presented.

FRSWMA Minutes FRSWMA regular minutes of November 28th, 2016 were

presented.

Hall Minutes Sedgewick Community Hall Board minutes of November 15<sup>th</sup>,

2016 were presented.

Interagency Minutes Interagency minutes of November 1<sup>st</sup>, 2016 were presented.

SPL Minutes Sedgewick Public Library (SPL) minutes of November 24<sup>th</sup>, 2016

were presented.

SKNGS Financials Sedgewick Killam Natural Gas System (SKNGS) financials for the

month ending October 31st, 2016 were presented.

Flagstaff County –

**Proposed Subdivision** 

A proposed subdivision regarding NE 19-43-11 W4M was

presented.

FRHG Requisition The 2017 Flagstaff Regional Housing Group (FRHG) requisition

was presented.

Flagstaff Kids
Connection Daycare

Flagstaff Kids Connection Daycare sought sponsorship funding for

their program.

2016.12.318 MOTION by Mayor P. Robinson directing administration to

request additional information from Flagstaff Kids Connection Daycare regarding the sponsorship request: how much is being

sought and what is the expected of the funders?

CARRIED.

FIRST Flagstaff's Initiative to Relationship & Spousal Trauma (FIRST)

sought financial support for the 19<sup>th</sup> Annual Supper and Auction.

A list of correspondence (LOC) items was presented as attached to and forming part of these minutes.

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and filed as information.

**Round Table** Round table session held; discussion ensued.

**Adjournment** 

2016.12.320 MOTION by Mayor P. Robinson for adjournment at 9:45 p.m. CARRIED.

Perry Robinson, Mayor

Amanda Davis, CAO

The Public Hearing Meeting of Sedgewick Town Council was held in the Council Chambers, Sedgewick, Alberta on Thursday, December 15<sup>th</sup>, 2016 at 6:00 p.m.

**Present** 

Perry Robinson Mayor
Greg Sparrow Councillor
Stephen Levy Councillor
Tim Schmutz Councillor
Grant Imlah Councillor
Shawn Higginson Councillor

Present

**Amanda Davis** 

CAO

**Call to Order** 

Mayor P. Robinson called the Public Hearing to order at 6:00 pm.

Overview

Mayor P. Robinson provided an overview of the purpose of the public hearing. The Public Hearing is to receive input from those affected by the proposed bylaw amendment #527 for the redistricting of Plan 5755S, Block C, Lots 29-30P from Residential Multi Family (R2) to Direct Control 1 (DC1).

The floor was open for comment.

Representative from the Good as New and Bethania Lutheran Church addressed council

explaining their application for re-districting.

No further comments were received.

Adjournment

Mayor P. Robinson adjourned the public hearing at 6:20 p.m

Perry Robinson, Mayor

Amanda Davis, CAO

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