

Minutes of the regular meeting of the Council of the Rural Municipality of Willow Bunch No. 42 held at the Municipal Office, #16 Edouard Beaupre St., Willow Bunch, Saskatchewan on Thursday, August 6th, 2026

Present were Reeve – Denis Lesperance, Administrator Sharleine Eger and the following councillors:

Division 1 – Patrick Bellefleur (8:50 a.m.)

Division 2 – Albert Lavallee

Division 3 – Colby Cairns

Division 4 – Scott Kirby

Division 5 – Dale Berner

Division 6 – Gilles Bissonnette

Consent Agenda

110.2026 Dale Berner That the consent agenda be adopted as presented with the following items included:

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Hamlet Water Reports

Correspondence – not requiring action

- a) CDO Report
- b) RCMP Report
- c) GWP Newsletter
- d) Municipal Hail – Storm Activity in July
- e) SARM – News Release – Provincial Enhancements to Disaster Assistance Program.
- f) Agromax – Strychnine Sales

Carried

Councillor Bellefleur arrived at 8:50 a.m.

Committee Reports

111.2026 Albert Lavallee: That the following verbal committee reports be accepted as presented:

- a) Pat Bellefleur: Trail at Rge Rd 2270 and Twp Rd 60 – fix/pit run where water washed and tractor stuck
- b) Albert Lavallee: No Report
- c) Colby Cairns: No Report
- d) Dale Berner: Mowing in his division – not started yet
Approach on rge rd 2282
- e) Scott Kirby: Mack semi
Fire in St. Victor
Concerns about narrowing of grids (spray out some of the road/trails for 2027) – high priority where we are pulling shoulders for 2027
Nozzles for sprayer – look for new
- f) Gilles Bissonnette: Gravel requests – noted for Foreman
- g) Denis Lesperance: Giraudier Pit Road is complete
Pit Road agreement - revise
Semi – Power unit is in Regina for the jake brake
Motor from the Mack power unit
Rocks in ditch on Lisieux grid – rip rap pile at shop

Carried

Gravel Sales – Non - Ratepayers

112.2026 Colby Cairns: That the Rural Municipality of Willow Bunch No. 42 reinstate its former practice of permitting gravel sales to non-ratepayers, and further, that such sales be conducted on a discretionary basis under an RM gravel-sale policy, with the non-ratepayer gravel rate set at \$23 per yard.

Carried

Park Road – Trees

113.2026 Albert Lavallee: That the Rural Municipality of Willow Bunch No. 42 contract Nick Haggerty to trim back the trees along the Jean Louis Legare Regional Park road (municipal road).

Carried

Lots 13 and 14, Block 2, Plan BW2705 Lisieux

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114.2026 Scott Kirby: That Council authorize Ms. Sharon Loy to access and utilize Lots 13 and 14, Block 2, Plan BW2705, located within the Hamlet of Lisieux, for the purpose of maintaining the condition and appearance of the properties. Council acknowledges that the property is abandoned and currently under tax enforcement. Use of the lots may continue only until such time as the properties are redeemed by the registered owners or Council is in a position to offer the lands for tender. This authorization is contingent upon Ms. Loy's acknowledgement and acceptance of these conditions, and Council affirms that the arrangement becomes null and void immediately upon redemption of the properties by the current owners.

Carried

Bylaw 2.2026 – First Reading

115.2026 Scott Kirby: That Bylaw 2.2026 being a bylaw to establish the requirements and condition for the licensing of trailers in the hamlet of Scout Lake be given first reading.

Carried

Bylaw 2.2026 – Second Reading

116.2026 Dale Berner: That Bylaw 2.2026 being a bylaw to establish the requirements and condition for the licensing of trailers in the hamlet of Scout Lake be given second reading.

Carried

Bylaw 2.2026 – Three Readings

117.2026 Colby Cairns: That Bylaw 2.2026 being a bylaw to establish the requirements and condition for the licensing of trailers in the hamlet of Scout Lake be read three times at this meeting.

Carried

Bylaw 2.2026 – Third Reading

118.2026 Albert Lavallee: That Bylaw 2.2026 being a bylaw to establish the requirements and condition for the licensing of trailers in the hamlet of Scout Lake be given third and final reading.

Carried

Financials

119.2026 Albert Lavallee: That the Statement of Financial Activities for July 2026 be accepted as presented.

Carried

DELEGATION: 11:00 a.m. Merlin Cochrane – RM Foreman
Putting up fence at Lance Eger parcel
Still have to do stripping at the pit
Signs after harvest – more will likely be down
On back trails now – trying to do all before harvest starts
After harvest start gravel reclamation
Look for a rock bucket for the loader/tractor

Accounts Payable

120.2026 Scott Kirby: That the accounts paid and presented for payment be approved and a list of the cheques #22453 to #22485 inclusive totalling (\$37,363.76), July payroll of (\$42,946.11) and EFT payments (\$67,385.13) be annexed hereto and form part of these minutes.

Carried

Adjournment

121.2026 Scott Kirby: That this meeting adjourn at 12:15 p.m.

Carried

REEVE

ADMINISTRATOR

Next Meeting – September 10th, 2026