

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, September 10th, 2026

Present were Reeve – Denis Lesperance, Administrator Sharleine Eger, Assistant Admin Tereena Bartlett and the following councillors:

- Division 1 – Patrick Bellefleur
- Division 2 – Albert Lavallee
- Division 3 – Colby Cairns
- Division 4 – Scott Kirby
- Division 5 – Dale Berner
- Division 6 – Gilles Bissonnette

Consent Agenda

122.2026 Albert Lavallee: 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

Admin Report

Administrators Vacation Days - Report

Carried

Committee Reports

123.2026 Patrick Bellefleur: That the following verbal committee reports be accepted as presented:

- a) Pat Bellefleur: Lautier Hill – bad washboard
- b) Albert Lavallee: No Report
- c) Colby Cairns: No Report
- d) Dale Berner: No Report
- e) Scott Kirby: Ken Rasmussen – Pole Trail – ½ mile west of St. Victor hill – road allowance isn't done – need to put a truck turning sign
Sabourin Pit – gravel quality
- f) Gilles Bissonnette: St. Victor bill board
Trail behind properties on North side of main street – still needs a little work
- g) Denis Lesperance: Town of Willow Bunch tractor – suitable for walking path
Haul road – move to cut across from Richard Giraudier – Rge Rd 2274 between Twp Rds 53 and 52

Carried

Change Designated Haul Route – Heavy Truck Traffic

124.2026 Scott Kirby: That the RM change the designated haul route set for heavy truck traffic, including Coloured Shale, to detour around the Town of Willow Bunch from the 705 grid East of Willow Bunch, heading North on Rge Rd 2274 to the Harptree Grid (Twp Rd 53).

Carried

Gravel Sales Policy 2026

125.2026 Albert Lavallee: That the RM adopt the Gravel Sales to Non-Ratepayers policy, attached hereto and forming part of these minutes.

Carried

Draft Access Agreement

126.2026 Dale Berner: That the RM approve the draft access agreement for the Giraudier gravel pit and send to Richard and Gail Giraudier for review.

Carried

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Enter "In Camera" or "Closed Session"

127.2026 Albert Lavallee: That the RM enter in an "in camera" session at 8:40 a.m. to discuss issues as per Section 12.4 of the Council Procedures Bylaw and that those in attendance are Denis Lesperance, Dale Berner, Patrick Bellefleur, Albert Lavallee, Scott Kirby, Colby Cairns, Gilles Bissonnette, Sharleine Eger, & Tereena Bartlett.

Carried

Exit "In Camera" or "Closed Session"

128.2026 Albert Lavallee: That the RM exit the "in camera" closed session at 9:07 a.m.

Carried

WB Fire Department Gala Sponsorship

129.2026 Patrick Bellefleur: That the RM co-sponsor the entertainment, with the Town of Willow Bunch and that the RM's share be \$600.

Carried

Financials

130.2026 Albert Lavallee: That the Statement of Financial Activities for August 2026 be accepted as presented.

Carried

Accounts Payable

131.2026 Colby Cairns: That the accounts paid and presented for payment be approved and a list of the cheques #22486 to #22511 inclusive totalling (\$55,514.46), August payroll of (\$40,178.40) and EFT payments (\$281,124.09) be annexed hereto and form part of these minutes.

Carried

DELEGATION: 11:00 a.m. Merlin Cochrane – RM Foreman
Loader tires on
Working on trails
Confined Space course – required for St. Victor waterworks
Gravel at Sabourin Pit

Adjournment

132.2026 Dale Berner: That this meeting adjourn at 11:36 a.m.

Carried

REEVE

ADMINISTRATOR

Next Meeting – October 15th, 2026