

THE CORPORATION OF THE VILLAGE OF ASHCROFT

MINUTES OF THE REGULAR COUNCIL MEETING

FOR MONDAY JANUARY 27, 2020 at 7:00 PM

PRESENT: Mayor Barbara Roden

Councillor Marilyn Anderson Councillor Jonah Anstett Councillor Nadine Davenport Councillor Debra Tuohey

Anne Yanciw, Chief Administrative Officer Yoginder Bhalla, Chief Financial Officer S. Daniela Dyck, Deputy Corporate Officer Brian Bennewith, Public Works Forman

Media & Public

EXCUSED: N/A

Prior to the meeting, Mayor Roden advised the gallery that the meeting was being recorded by the HUB Online Network.

1. CALL TO ORDER

Mayor Roden called the Regular Meeting of Council for January 27, 2020 to order at 7:00 pm.

2. ADOPTION OF THE AGENDA

Motion to adopt the Agenda as presented or as amended

Moved and Seconded

"That the Agenda for the Regular Meeting of Council for January 27, 2020 be adopted as presented." CARRIED – Unanimous (R-2020-22)

3. MINUTES

3.1	Minutes of the Regular Meeting of Council held Monday January 13,	
	2020	CARRIED
	Motion to adopt the minutes as presented or as amended	Unanimous
	Moved and Seconded	
	"That the Minutes of the Regular Meeting of Council be adopted as	(R-2020-23)
	presented."	
3.2	Minutes of the Special Meeting of Council held Wednesday January	
	22, 2020	CARRIED
	Motion to adopt the minutes as presented or as amended	Unanimous
	Moved and Seconded	
	"That the Minutes of the Special Meeting of Council held on January	(R-2020-24)
	22, 2020 be adopted as presented."	



4. **DELEGATIONS**

4.1	N/A	

5. **CORRESPONDENCE**

	FOR ACTION	
5.1	WRAPS – Canada Day Funding Increase Request Mayor Roden declared a Conflict as she is on the WRAPS Board of Directors and recused herself. Deputy Mayor Councillor Anstett assumed the chair.	CARRIED Unanimous
	Moved and Seconded	(R-2020-25)
	"That Council approve the WRAPS request to increase the Canada Day grant by 10% this year and that the annual cost of living increase be revisited each year going forward if requested"	
5.2	Ashcroft Barn Dance – Facility Use Request	
	Cnclr. Davenport recused herself declaring a conflict due to participation as one of the event organizers. Moved and Seconded	CARRIED Unanimous
	"That Council approve the free facility use request by Ryan Lake to host the Ashcroft Barn Dance at the Drylands Arena for August 13 – 15, 2020, and further that Council waive fees for up to three staff call	(R-2020-27)
	outs." Amendment M/S Roden/Anstett	CARRIED
	"That Council waive up to three staff call outs for the event" CARRIED – CncIr. Anderson - Against	(R-2020-26)
5.3	Cache Creek – Request for On Demand Transit Hours	CARRIED
	Moved and Seconded	Unanimous
	"That Council request staff to research On Demand Hours available and report back to Council what the new schedule would look like."	(R-2020-28)
5.4	Curling Club – Request to Establish a Working Group	CARRIED
	Moved and Seconded	Unanimous
	"That a meeting between Council and the Curling Club be scheduled."	(R-2020-29)
	FOR INFORMATION	
5.5	Operation Lifesaver –Share Rail Safety Information	CARRIED
	Moved and Seconded	Unanimous
	"That Operation Lifesaver Rail Safety Information be received and filed and further that the information be relayed to the community in the Newsletter."	(R-2020-30)
5.6	NDIT – 2020 Grant Writing Support Approval	CARRIED
	Moved and Seconded	Unanimous
	"That the NDIT 2020 Grant Writing Support approval letter be received and filed."	(R-2020-31)
5.7	Information Correspondence Listing for January 27, 2020	CARRIED
	Moved and Seconded	Unanimous
	"That the Information Correspondence Listing for January 27, 2020 be received and filed."	(R-2020-32)



6. UNFINISHED BUSINESS

6.1	Motions List	CARRIED
	Moved and Seconded	Unanimous
	"That the Motions List for January 27, 2020 be received and filed."	(R-2020-33)

7. NEW BUSINESS

Business arising from the current Council Meeting may be added to the agenda for discussion

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7.1	N/A	

8. BYLAWS

8.1	8.1 Council Procedures Bylaw No. 834, 2020 – First Reading		
	Moved and Seconded	Unanimous	
	"THAT the Village of Ashcroft Council Procedure Bylaw No. 834,		
	2020" be read a first time by title only."	(R-2020-34)	

9. STAFF REPORTS

REQUEST FOR DECISION					
9.1	Council Remuneration Report – 2019	CARRIED			
	Moved and Seconded Roden / Anstett				
	"That Council approve the Council Remuneration Report for 2019 as				
	presented."	(R-2020-35)			
	FOR INFORMATION				

10. COUNCIL REPORTS

10.1						
10.1	Mayor Roden – Report -					
10.2	Councillor Anderson - Report					
10.3	Councillor Anstett – Notice of Motion					
	Proposes that Council consider rewriting or amending the current					
	outdoor Burning Bylaw.					
	Rationale:					
	Transfer Station costs for yard waster is increasing					
	Safety concern - Fire fuel load reduction					
	FD unable to reduce fuel load in Village boundaries without					
	special permission;					
	Composting dumped over banks and in ravines, reduce fire	CARRIED				
	risk by allowing burning	Unanimous				
	 Consider a two-week window in spring and fall to allow 	(D 2020 26)				
	burning	(R-2020-36)				
	Moved and Seconded					
	"That Council approve staff to research burning bylaws and bring a					
	report back to Council."					
10.4	Councillor Davenport					



10.5	Councillor Tuohey - Report

11. RESOLUTIONS RELEASED FROM CLOSED MEETING

11.1	N/A	

12. QUESTION PERIOD

Any member of the public may ask a question of Council if that question pertains to any item on the current Council Agenda. The order of which people from the gallery may ask questions is at the sole discretion of the Mayor; that person has not already asked a question; additional questions may be asked if no other member of the public desires to ask a question; and no longer than 15 minutes has elapsed since Question Period has commenced

Comments and Question were received from members of the gallery.

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Motion to move to a closed meeting to discuss an item under the Community Charter Section 90.1

13.1 N/A	
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14. TERMINATION

Moved and Seconded

"That the Regular Meeting of Council for January 27, 2020 be adjourned at 8:02 pm." CARRIED – Unanimous (R-2020-37)

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Anne Yanciw, Chief Administrative Officer

Barbara Roden, MAYOR

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