June 17, 2025

Rural Municipality of Beaver River No. 622
Regular Meeting of Council held in the RM Council Chambers
159 Main Street, Pierceland, Saskatchewan
Tuesday June 17, 2025, at 8:30 AM

Present:

Reeve:	Kevin Turchyn	
Councillors:	Div. 1 – Matthew Wiatr	Div. 2 – Brian Sawatzky
	Div. 3 –	Div. 4 – Ken Hammett
	Div. 5 – Lorne Wyss	Div. 6 – Wayne Rewega
Administrator:	Debbie Johnson	
Observer:	Morgan Pollock	
Absent:	Division 3 Councillor Dwayne Degenhardt	

A quorum being present, Reeve Turchyn called the meeting to order at 8:30 AM.

154-25 Council Bylaw 02-25 **Sawatzky**: That Bylaw 02-25 being a Bylaw of the RM of Beaver River No. 622 to provide for the closing of a municipal road be tabled.
Carried.

Delegation #1 – RM Maintenance Supervisor – Mike Coolidge – 8:55 AM
Mike Coolidge attended the meeting to discuss various maintenance plans and ongoing projects in the RM.

Mike Coolidge exited the meeting at 9.30 A.M.

Delegation #2 – Ken Lange, owner of Bigfoot Septic – 9:33 AM
Discussed tipping fees at sewage lagoon

Ken Lange exited the meeting at 9:45 A.M.

155-25 Tipping Fees **Hammett:** That the R.M. adjust the tipping fees as follows:
Single Axle truck - $15.00
Tandem Axle truck - $25.00
Tridem Axle truck - $40.00.
Carried.
(Later found out that a Bylaw is required and it needs Saskatchewan Municipal Board approval.)

Delegation #3 – Northbound Planning – Robin Bloski (via Zoom) – 10:00AM
Robin Bloski presented the May Development Report for discussion.

156-25 LD1 Use Change **Wyss:** That the R.M. deny the application for an amendment to Bylaw # 57 to allow RV's and motor homes in the LD1 district.
Carried.

157-25 Land Use Change Hammett: That the R.M. table the request to change Parcel D Plan 101945685 in SE 34-62-23-W3 from Agricultural to Commercial until the next regular meeting of Council
Carried.

158-25 Appraisal of Land Subdivide Sawatzky: That due to the inability of an agreement being reached between the approving authority, the applicant and the municipality, regarding the cash in lieu of the dedicated lands amount for the subdivision of Lot 4 Block 1 Plan 00B01503 and part of SE 27-62-22-W3, the R.M. get an appraisal done by Fortier, Matilla Appraisals.
Carried

Robin Bloski exited the zoom meeting at 10:45.

Reeve Turchyn exited the meeting at 10:46 am
Reeve Turchyn returned to meeting at 10:52 am.

159-25 Minutes **Sawatzky** That the minutes of May 20, 2025, regular meeting of Council be amended by changing resolution 127-25 and 128-25 council member name to Degenhardt and that the minutes be adopted as amended.
Carried.

160-25 Financial State **Rewega:** That the monthly financial statement for May 2025 be approved as presented. **(Attachment "A")**
Carried.

Delegation #4 – RCMP – Sgt Tremblay – 10:53AM
RCMP member Sgt Tremblay attended the meeting to discuss ongoing RCMP updates and priorities.

The council thanked Mr. Tremblay for attending the meeting and he exited the meeting at 11:15 AM.

Administrator exited the meeting at 10:56 am
Administrator returned to meeting at 10:59 am.

161-25 Accounts Payable **Wiatr:** That the accounts payable listed on **(Attachment "B")** in the amount of $ 240,348.04 being cheque numbers 24147 to 24180 inclusive and including online payments and May 2025 payroll be approved as presented.
Carried.

162-25 Tender Dock There were 2 tenders for Dock #1 and 2 tenders for dock #2
Hammett: That the R.M. accept the tender from Mike O'Grady in the amount of $8,500.00 (Plus GST) for Dock Section # 1 and the tender from Shawn Seefried in the amount of $10,000.00 (Plus GST) for Dock Section # 2
In favor: Hammett, Turchyn, Wyss
Opposed: Wiatr, Rewega, Sawatzky
Defeated

163-25 **Wiatr:** That the R.M. accept the tender of $10,000.00 (Plus GST) from Shawn Seefried for Dock Section #2
Carried.

164-25 **Wiatr:** That the RM retender dock section #1 with closing date of July 14, 2025, at 4PM 1st section 6" x 12" dock (5), with 6" x 12" ramp, with bumper pads (20), legs and tires. Highest or any bid not necessarily accepted. Carried.

165-25 Tender Rock Picker There were 2 tenders for the rock picker
Sawatzky: That the R.M. accept the bid from Dennis Hofer in the amount of $1,800.00 (Plus GST)
Carried.

166-25 Cost Dock Adjust **Hammett**: That the R.M. approve the estimate from Brady Lay for dock adjustments at Shores and Laumans of $5,000.00 each plus taxes.
Carried.

167-25 Recess **Hammett:** That Council recess for a lunch break (12:01 PM).
Carried.

Reeve Turchyn reconvened the meeting at 12:52 PM.

168-25 WTP Log — **Hammet**: That May 2025 Lauman's Landing Water Treatment Plant Log report be accepted as presented. **(Attachment "C")**
Carried.

169-25 Corresp. — **Sawatzky:** That the Correspondence for May 20, 2025, be accepted as presented and filed. **(Attachment "D")**
Carried.

170-25 Canada Day — **Rewega:** That the R.M. send a letter to the Village of Goodsoil Canada Day Committee, thanking them for the invitation to participate in the parade and the opening ceremonies, but must decline.
Carried.

171-25 Canada Post — **Rewega**: That the RM send a letter to the MP for this area, stating that the Rural Areas of the country need the rural post offices.
Carried.

172-25 Accept E-Tsf — **Hammett:** That the R.M. accept e-transfers providing the sender provides identifying information
In favor – Turchyn, Wiatr, Sawatzky, Hammett, Rewega
Opposed – Wyss
Carried.

173-25 — **Hammett**: That resolution 172-25 be rescinded.
Carried.

174-25 Admin Report — **Wiatr**: That the Administrator Report and attachments be accepted as presented. **(Attachment" E")**
Carried.

175-25 Development Officer — **Sawatzky:** That motion 108-15 appointing Yvonne Prusak as Development officer be rescinded.
Carried.

176-25 Annual Financial Report — **Wyss:** That as required per Section 185(3)of the Municipalities Act, the R.M. publicize the annual Financial statements or a summary of them and the auditors report on the R.M. website, in the monthly newsletter and by placing a notice on Facebook, Advertise as well as making them available at the office.
Carried.

177-25 Gravel Goodsoil Cemetery — **Rewega:** That the R.M. table discussion of gravelling the Cemetery Road in Goodsoil until the regular July council meeting.
Carried.

178-25 Mtnce Supervise Ad — **Rewega:** That the R.M. advertise for a maintenance supervisor/operator. Ad should state that Class 1 license will be an asset. Closing date 4 PM on August 1, 2025 with a starting date of September 15, 2025.
Carried.

Councillor Hammett exited the meeting at 2:10 pm
Councillor Hammett returned to meeting at 2:20 pm

Administrator exited the meeting at 2:12 pm
Administrator returned to meeting at 2:15 pm

179-25 Beach Volley **Hammett:** That the R.M. approve the issuance of a Community Event Liquor Permit for the Goodsoil and District Recreation Assoc annual beach volleyball tournament and social at the Shores on Saturday July 5th and Sunday July 6th, 2025 on the condition that the association forwards a copy of their insurance coverage to the RM prior to the event.
Carried.

180-25 Lease Land Sale **Rewega:** That the R.M. agrees to the sale of lease land SE and SW 16-62-26-W3 to Curtis Diamond and Melanie Diamond.
Carried.

181-25 Truck Purchase **Hammett**: That the R.M. purchase a 2025 Ford F350 Extended cab truck from Cold Lake Ford for a total price all taxes included of $72,000.00.
Carried.

182-25 Sask Power **Hammett**: That the R.M. approve Sask Power's request to trench in the road allowance on SE 27-622-23-W3 providing they obtain all required 1st calls
Carried.

183-25 Adjourn **Sawatzky:** That the meeting be adjourned (3:30 P.M).
Carried.

REEVE

ADMINISTRATOR