

COUNCIL HIGHLIGHTS



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October 30, 2017

Electoral Boundary Review Final Report – Council reviewed the Alberta Electoral Boundary Commission (ABEC) Electoral Boundaries Review Final Report.

Council will write a letter to the Premier and Municipal Affairs Minister stating their support for the Alberta Association of Municipal Districts and Counties (AAMDC) position that if the recommendations are accepted, it will result in a loss of the rural voice due to the dissolving of three rural ridings.

Family Violence Prevention Month – Council proclaimed November 2017 as Family Violence Prevention month in the County of Grande Prairie. The proclamation to launch Family Violence Prevention Month will be taking place on November 1, 2017 at 11:30 a.m. at Eastlink Centre.

Public Hearings – Council held a public hearing for Bylaw 2680-017-031 to redesignate approx. 0.193 acres of land located within the Hamlet of La Glace, adjacent to Hwy 59 from a General Commercial (GC) District to a Rural Residential Mix (RR-4) District to allow for the rezoning of the existing lot for residential use. Council gave the bylaw third reading.

Council held a public hearing for Bylaw 2680-017-032 to redesignate approx. 4.45 acres located within the Hamlet of Clairmont, adjacent to Rge Rd 63 and Twp Rd 724 from Agricultural (AG) District to Highway Industrial (RM-4) District to allow for a boundary adjustment to existing

Plan 1722403; Block 2; Lot 2 for industrial use. Council gave the bylaw third reading.

Council held a public hearing for Bylaw 2680-015-74 to redesignate 8.35 acres of land located approx. 17.6 km northeast of Teepee Creek, adjacent to Twp Rd 744 from Agricultural (AG) District to a Country Residential (CR-5) District to allow for subdivision of two country residential lots. Council gave the bylaw third reading.

Council held a public hearing for Bylaw 2680-017-033 to redesignate 5.22 acres of land located within the Bad Heart area, adjacent to Rge Rd 24 and Twp Rd 752 from Agricultural (AG) District to Country Residential (CR-5) to allow for the subdivision of one residential lot. Council gave the bylaw third reading.

La Glace People Deterrent Citizens on Patrol Society funding request – The La Glace People Deterrent Citizens on Patrol Society (LAPP COPS) requested grant funding of \$1,400 for operating costs and to cover the costs to purchase a lock for equipment storage. Council tabled the motion to the November 20, 2017 meeting and directed administration to look into the possibility of LAPP COPS having access to the La Glace Fire Station to store the equipment.

Employee Introductions – Council and staff welcomed Georgia Illiou, Earl Doole, Maybelle Leck, Allen Kuykendall, Adam Reiter and Gavin Enns

Georgia has been working for the Family and Community Support Services (FCSS) department as a Community Program Coordinator at the Wellington Resource Centre. Earl will be working as a grader

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operator, Maybelle as a Utilities Officer and Allen as a temporary Scale Operator for the Public Works department. Adam and Gavin both work for Regional Enforcement Services as Peace Officers.

Council Electronic Device and Internet Use Policy – Council approved updates to Policy F8, which addresses reimbursement for electronic devices used by Council for County business.

Request for Proposal – Council awarded the Request for Proposal (RFP) to enter into a contract with Brandt Tractor Lt. for the purchase of two new 2018 replacement Articulated Group 4 Motor Graders for \$915,690.

Transportation Master Plan – Council tabled the review of the Transportation Master Plan to the November 20, 2017 Council Meeting.

Roadside signage for Hamlet of Clairmont – Council directed administration to look into ideas and associated costs to have monuments and roadside signs made and installed at the Hamlet of Clairmont limits.

Next Council meeting will take place on November 20, 2017.

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