

## **RURAL MUNICIPALITY OF WHITEMOUTH**

Minutes of the Joint meeting of Councils held on May 1, 2018, at 6:00 pm, in the Council Chambers of the Rural Municipality of Reynolds.

**Present:** Rural Municipality of Whitemouth  
Reeve Dowbyhuz, Councillors Saxler, Nichol and Sikkenga,  
Fire Chief Thomson and Chief Administrative Officer Johnson  
Rural Municipality of Reynolds  
Reeve Turchyn, Councillors Holmes, Huzel, Shendroski, Turchyn,  
Buhley, Fire Chief Nixon and Chief Administrative Officer Boissonneault

**Excused:** Councillors Bachman and Gaetz

**Also Present:** Recording Secretary Marion

Reeve Turchyn called the meeting to order at 7:00 pm. Agenda items Highway Signage and Two Rivers for Seniors were added.

### **Whiteshell Whitemouth Reynolds Waste Treatment Facility:**

Councillor Sikkenga provided an update notation for discussion. The consensus of Councils was that they support the letter being sent to the Province urging that a new agreement be completed as we have been without one for over a year. It was recommended that both a Sustainable Development representative and MLA Smook be invited to the next meeting and suggested evening meetings. Chief Administrative Officers were directed to prepare a Request for Proposal to tender for an engineer to provide recommendations for future courses of action. They will also research to see if any grants are available for this engineer work.

### **Reynolds Lagoon:**

It was noted that Reynolds lagoon is being de-commissioned and they are in the initial stages of constructing a new lagoon. They inquired if Whitemouth would be interested in being a customer. Discussed. Reynolds will keep Whitemouth informed on their progress.

### **Cell Phone Coverage:**

Whitemouth is working on setting up a meeting with Bell to discuss the poor service in our region. Whitemouth CAO to provide contact and meeting information to Reynolds CAO so we attend the meeting together. They are to stress this effects not only safety but our ability to attract certain perspective economic ventures.

### **Tourism Shared Point of Interest:**

A few suggestions were discussed. Councillor Holmes and Saxler to meet and then provide the CAO's information to move forward on the Carmine Shiner initiative and request funding for same.

### **Rennie Fire Station:**

North Whiteshell has requested fire protection however any information requested such as survey which would show how many are requesting this initiative. No information has been received to date, there are no plans to provide same.

**Natural Gas:**

Presently there is a metering station near Reynolds. Should any additional information be received by Reynolds in this regard it will be forwarded to Whitemouth for their records and/or input.

**Signage for Highways:**

Should areas at the entrances/exits work for a double sided signs the municipalities would look at cost sharing such signage.


**Two Rivers for Seniors:**

Councillor Sikkenga advised that representatives are required for this Board.

**Adjournment:**

The meeting concluded at 8:45 p.m.

  
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Chief Administrative Officer