

# Town of Lumsden Meeting Minutes Special Budget Meeting April 11, 2024 - 6:30 PM

#### Call to Order

The Lumsden Town Council convened their Special Meeting in the Council Chambers of the Municipal Office and via Zoom on Thursday, April 11, 2024 at 6:30 pm.

#### Present:

Mayor: Bryan Matheson

Councillors: Rhonda Phillips, Jim Rawlings, Byron Tumbach

Chief Administrative Officer: Monica M. Merkosky Director of Finance: Ryan Haresign (attended via Zoom)

#### Absent:

Councillors: Verne Barber, Jenelle Brennan, Ashlee Longmoore

Assistant Chief Administrative Officer: Krystal Strong

"We would like to begin by acknowledging that we are on the traditional lands, referred to as Treaty 4 territory, and that the Town of Lumsden is located on Treaty 4 territory, the original lands of the Cree, Ojibwe, Saulteaux, Dakota, Nakota, Lakota, and on the homeland of the Métis."

# Resolution No.

**Approval of Agenda** 

2024-168

Moved by: Councillor Rawlings
Seconded by: Councillor Phillips

"That we approve the agenda as presented."

**CARRIED** 

### **Declaration of Conflict of Interest**

There were no Declarations of Conflict of Interest.

# <u>Financial Reports</u>

## Resolution No.

**2024** Reinspection Assessment Analysis

2024-169

Moved by: Councillor Tumbach Seconded by: Councillor Phillips

"That having reviewed preliminary budget documents, we commit to reducing the municipal mill rate by a minimum of 4% for 2024."

CARRIED

## Resolution No.

2024 Budget

2024-170

Moved by: Councillor Rawlings Seconded by: Councillor Phillips

"That we meet again, closer to the conclusion of the assessment appeal period, to set the 2024 mill rate."

CARRIED



Resolution No.

**Landfill Reserve Contribution** 

2024-171

**Moved by:** Councillor Phillips

**Seconded by:** Councillor Tumbach

"That we contribute the 2023 operating surplus of \$71,723 to the Landfill Reserve

effective December 31, 2023."

**CARRIED** 

Resolution No.

<u>Adjournment</u>

2024-172

Moved by: Councillor Rawlings

"That we adjourn the meeting at 8:03 pm."  $\,$ 

**CARRIED** 

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Chief Administrative Officer