



Swift Current, Sask.
March 7, 2022

Within the Council Chambers, City Hall, a regular meeting of the Council of the City of Swift Current was held on March 7, 2022 commencing at 6:30 p.m.

Attendance: Mayor A. Bridal
Councillor T. Christiansen
Councillor P. Friesen
Councillor R. Plewis
Councillor R. Switzer
Councillor L. Tuntland-Wiebe
Councillor J. Wall

Tim Marcus, CAO
Mitch Minken, General Manager of Infrastructure and Operations
Marty Salberg, General Manager of Planning and Growth Development
Jim Jones, General Manager of Community Services
Jackie Schlamp, City Clerk
Ryan Hunter, Fire Chief
Michael Boutilier, Communications & Stakeholder Relations Coordinator
Kelley Elliott, Administrative Assistant

Adoption of
Agenda.

No. 33 Moved by Councillor Wall, Seconded by Councillor Plewis:

"THAT the Agenda for the Council meeting of March 7, 2022 be adopted as circulated."

CARRIED.

Adoption of
Minutes.

No. 34 Moved by Councillor Friesen, Seconded by Councillor Switzer:

"THAT the minutes of the regular Council meeting held February 22, 2022 be approved."

CARRIED.

Proclamations.

Jackie Neustaeter, Rachel Argue, Morgan Harll and Carianne Hunter of the SCCHS Students Against Drinking and Driving, attended to proclaim March 6 to March 12, 2022 as "Provincial Impaired Driving Awareness Week".

Jenn Stadd and Keelan Cornelson, of the Registered Social Workers of Saskatchewan, attended to proclaim March 20 to March 26, 2022 as "Social Work Week".

Jack and Mary Hoffart of Saskatchewan Epilepsy Inc., attended to proclaim March 21 to March 27, 2022 as "Epilepsy Awareness Week".

Delegations.

Public
Hearings/
Notice
Matters.

Items for
Action.

Accounts. The General Revenue Fund Disbursement Records for the period of February 11 to February 23, 2022 were presented by the Chief Administrative Officer.

No. 35 Moved by Councillor Christiansen, Seconded by Councillor Switzer:

"THAT the General Revenue Fund Disbursement Records for the period of February 11 to February 23, 2022 in the amount of \$2,251,276.88 be approved."

CARRIED.

Councillor Plewis declared a conflict of interest stating that his wife, Jennifer Plewis, is one of the local leaders for the Girl Guides who are listed within the next report. Councillor Plewis left the meeting at 6:58 p.m.

Sask. Lotteries Community Grant Program. A report regarding 2022 – 2023 Saskatchewan Lotteries Community Grant Program was presented by the General Manager of Community Services.

No. 36 Moved by Councillor Tuntland-Wiebe, Seconded by Councillor Wall:

"THAT Council approve the list of applications and funding amounts under the 2022 – 2023 Saskatchewan Lotteries Community Grant Program as follows:

Organization Name - Target	Recommendation
Art Gallery of Swift Current	\$ 2,450
Canadian Mental Health	\$ 2,000
Chinook Regional Library	\$ 500
City of Swift Current - Aquatics	\$ 8,000
City of Swift Current- Families in the Park	\$ 9,000
City of Swift Current- In Motion	\$ 7,000
City of Swift Current- Parks Play Program	\$ 26,420
City of Swift Current- Summer Zone	\$ 16,500
City of Swift Current-Community Rec Programs	\$ 5,080
Riverview Village Estates	\$ 250
SaskAbilities	\$ 3,000
Southwest Cultural Development Group Inc.	\$ 3,750
Southwest Literacy Committee	\$ 500
Southwest Multicultural Association	\$ 500
Special Olympics Swift Current	\$ 2,000
Swift Current Community Youth Initiative (The Center)	\$ 2,000
Swift Current Museum	\$ 750
Swift Current Museum	\$ 750
Swift Current Outdoor Hockey	\$ 750
Swift Current Rugby Club	\$ 1,000
Swift Current Sledge Hockey	\$ 1,500
Swift Current Wheelchair Basketball	\$ 1,000

Organization Name - Base	Recommendation
Blenders Events Inc.	\$ 750
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Docs Town Heritage Village	\$ 1,000
Eliminators Car Club	\$ 200
Gelico Gymnastics Swift Current	\$ 500
Good Tyme Dance Club	\$ 250
Haunted Town Tours Sk. Inc.	\$ 250
Line Dancercise Club	\$ 250
Swift Current Ladies Line Dance Club	\$ 250
Oratorio Choir	\$ 250
Prairie Pistol Club	\$ 500
Renz's Rounds	\$ 250

Organization Name- Base	Recommendation
SC Basketball League	\$ 250
SC Mixed Volleyball League	\$ 250
Southwest Newcomer Welcome Centre	\$ 750
Southwest Riderz Snowboard/skateboard Club	\$ 500
Southwest Square and Round Dance Zone 6	\$ 250
Swift Current ACT/UCT Stingrays Summer Swim Club	\$ 1,000
Swift Current AG & Ex	\$ 500
Swift Current Arts Council	\$ 750
Swift Current Barracudas Swim Club	\$ 1,000
Swift Current Curling Club	\$ 1,000
Swift Current Fencing Club	\$ 750
Swift Current Genealogical Society	\$ 250
Swift Current Girl Guides	\$ 750
Swift Current Lacrosse Inc.	\$ 1,000
Swift Current Mennonite Heritage Village Museum	\$ 1,000
Swift Current Minor Baseball	\$ 750
Swift Current Minor Girls Softball Association	\$ 750
Swift Current Motocross Association	\$ 500
Swift Current Music Festival Association	\$ 250
Swift Current Pickleball Club	\$ 500
Swift Current Soapbox Racing Club	\$ 500
Swift Current Square Dance Club	\$ 250
Swift Current Titans Wrestling Club	\$ 750
Windscape Kite Club Inc.	\$ 750

TOTAL TARGET FUNDING GRANTED \$ 94,700
TOTAL BASE FUNDING GRANTED \$ 20,200
TOTAL FUNDING GRANTED \$ 114,900.”

CARRIED.

Councillor Plewis returned to the meeting at 7:04 p.m.

Public Library Board Appointment. A report regarding Appointment to Public Library Board was presented by the City Clerk.

No. 37 Moved by Councillor Switzer Seconded by Councillor Friesen:

“THAT Council approves the appointment of Loretta Thompson to the Public Library Board effective immediately to December 31, 2022.”

CARRIED.

Cancellation of Council Meeting. A report regarding Cancellation of Council Meeting was presented by the City Clerk.

No. 38 Moved by Councillor Plewis, Seconded by Councillor Christiansen :

“THAT the Council meeting of April 4, 2022 be cancelled.”

CARRIED.

Reports for Information.

Bylaws.

Unfinished Business.

New Business.

No. 39 Moved by Councillor Friesen, Seconded by Councillor Switzer:

THAT the following be received as information and filed:

- Truth and Reconciliation Committee Meeting Agenda from February 15, 2022;
- Swift Current Ag & Ex Meeting Minutes from February 16, 2022;
- Swift Current & District Chamber of Commerce Meeting Agenda from February 16, 2022;
- Prairie Pioneers Independent Housing Inc. Meeting Agenda from February 23, 2022;
- Southwest Transportation Planning Council Inc. Executive Working Committee Meeting Minutes from January 28, 2022 and Meeting Agenda from February 25, 2022;
- Swift Current City Detachment Community Policing Report for February, 2022; and
- Swift Current Creek Watershed Stewards Meeting Agenda and 2021 Annual General Meeting Agenda from March 1, 2022.”

CARRIED.

Communications.

En Camera
Items.

Reports of
Council
Members/
Enquiries.

The following topics were raised by members of Council:

- Thank you to those who took part in Speak Up Swift Current Survey;
- Devan Praught named Head Coach of the Swift Current Broncos;
- Link on City website for Traffic Growth Survey being conducted by the Province, great opportunity for citizens to voice their opinion;
- Swift Current Creek Watershed Stewards AGM;
- The Center's "Coldest Night of the Year" raising approximately \$65,000;
- "Break the Bias" International Woman's Day; and
- World events, very thankful to live our lives in peace.

Adjourn-
ment.

No. 40 Moved by Councillor Switzer, Seconded by Councillor Plewis:

(7:16 p.m.) "THAT we do now adjourn."

CARRIED.

Mayor

City Clerk