



Swift Current, Sask.
September 6, 2022

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

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

Tim Marcus, CAO
Kari Cobler, General Manager of Corporate Services
Mitch Minken, General Manager of Infrastructure & Operations
Marty Salberg, General Manager of Planning and Development
Nicole Spenst, Acting General Manager of Community Services
Jackie Schlamp, City Clerk
Rri Branconnier-Bye, Interim Communications & Stakeholder Relations Coordinator
Chrissy Carter, Interim Communications & Stakeholder Relations Coordinator

Absent: Councillor P. Friesen

Adoption of
Agenda.

No. 178 Moved by Councillor Switzer, Seconded by Councillor Wall:

"THAT the Agenda for the Council meeting of September 6, 2022 be adopted as circulated."

CARRIED.

Adoption of
Minutes.

No. 179 Moved by Councillor Plewis, Seconded by Councillor Christiansen:

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

CARRIED.

Proclamations.

Bula Ghosh of the Southwest Literacy Committee, and Kathryn Foley of the Chinook Regional Library, attended to proclaim September 4 to 10, 2022 as "International Literacy Week".

Delegations.

Public
Hearings/
Notice
Matters.

Items for
Action.

Councillor Christiansen declared a conflict of interest stating that his business, Décor Complete, is listed within next report. Councillor Christiansen left Council chambers at 6:43 p.m.

Accounts. The General Revenue Fund Disbursement Records for the period of August 6 to August 29, 2022 were presented by the General Manager of Corporate Services.

No. 180 Moved by Councillor Switzer, Seconded by Councillor Tuntland-Wiebe:

"THAT the General Revenue Fund Disbursement Records for the period of August 6 to August 29, 2022 in the amount of \$4,975,416.18 be approved."

CARRIED.

Councillor Christiansen returned to Council Chambers at 6:47 p.m.

Reports for
Information.

Bylaws.

No. 181 Moved by Councillor Wall, Seconded by Councillor Switzer:
1st Rdg “THAT Bill No. 8 – 2022 being a Bylaw to adjust the electric current usage rates and incorporate by way of Schedule “A” to Bylaw No. 6 – 1989, hereinafter to be known as The Electrical Utility Bylaw be introduced and read a first time.”
CARRIED.

No. 182 Moved by Councillor Wall, Seconded by Councillor Switzer:
2nd Rdg “THAT Bill No. 8 – 2022 be taken as read a second time.”
CARRIED.

No. 183 Moved by Councillor Wall, Seconded by Councillor Switzer:
3rd Rdg “THAT Bill No. 8 – 2022 be given three readings at this meeting.”
CARRIED.

No. 184 Moved by Councillor Wall, Seconded by Councillor Switzer:
Final Rdg “THAT Bill No. 8 – 2022 be taken as read a third time and finally passed.”
CARRIED.

THIS BILL IS THEN NUMBERED BYLAW NO. 8 – 2022.

No. 185 Moved by Councillor Plewis, Seconded by Councillor Christiansen:
1st Rdg “THAT Bill No. 9 – 2022 being Bylaw to amend the Rates in Section C - Schedule “A” of Bylaw No. 17 – 2001 being the Water and Wastewater Utility be introduced and read a first time.”
CARRIED.

No. 186 Moved by Councillor Plewis, Seconded by Councillor Christiansen:
2nd Rdg “THAT Bill No. 9 – 2022 be taken as read a second time.”
CARRIED.

No. 187 Moved by Councillor Plewis, Seconded by Councillor Christiansen:
3rd Rdg “THAT Bill No. 9 – 2022 be given three readings at this meeting.”
CARRIED.

No. 188 Moved by Councillor Plewis, Seconded by Councillor Christiansen:
Final Rdg “THAT Bill No. 9 – 2022 be taken as read a third time and finally passed.”
CARRIED.

THIS BILL IS THEN NUMBERED BYLAW NO. 9 – 2022.

Unfinished
Business.

New
Business.

No. 189 Moved by Councillor Wall, Seconded by Councillor Christiansen:

“THAT the following be received as information and filed:

- Prairie Pioneers Independent Housing Inc. Regular Meeting Agenda from July 20, 2022;
- Swift Current & District Chamber of Commerce Board Meeting Agenda from August 17, 2022;
- Swift Current Ag & Ex Board of Directors Meeting Agenda from August 17, 2022; and
- Tourism Swift Current Inc. Board of Directors Meeting Agenda from August 24th, 2022.”

CARRIED.

Communi-
cations.

En Camera
Items.

Reports of
Council
Members/
Enquiries.

The following topics were raised by members of Council:

- SaskPower franchise area purchase, thank you Light & Power staff for your professionalism and making this a smooth transition;
- Congratulations to Rri Branconnier-Bye;
- Stewart Valley School fire: thank you to all the firefighters, school staff, and community members;
- Cypress Hills Provincial Park fire;
- Canadian Mental Health Association grand opening and tour of new facility;
- Chamber on Tap: Southwest Saskatchewan Immigration Partnership (SSIP);
- Happy Birthday Councillor Friesen;
- Safe Places Certification;
- Horrific event within the James Smith Cree Nation and additional alerts by Spiritwood, Lloydminster, and Maidstone RCMP detachments; and
- Thank to RCMP and First Responders for all that you do to keep us safe.

Adjourn-
ment.

No. 190 Moved by Councillor Switzer, Seconded by Councillor Wall:

(7:04 p.m.) "THAT we do now adjourn."

CARRIED.

Mayor

City Clerk