



Swift Current, Sask.  
January 9, 2023

Within the Council Chambers, City Hall, a regular meeting of the Council of the City of Swift Current was held on January 9, 2023, 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  
Kari Cobler, General Manager of Corporate Services  
Mitch Minken, General Manager of Infrastructure and Operations  
Marty Salberg, General Manager of Planning and Development  
Jim Jones, General Manager of Community Services  
Jackie Schlamp, City Clerk  
Ryan Hunter, Fire Chief  
Greg Parsons, Director of Asset Management  
Rri Branconnier-Bye, Interim Communications & Stakeholder Relations Coordinator  
Chrissy Carter, Interim Communications & Stakeholder Relations Coordinator  
Sandra Kern, Administrative Assistant

Adoption of  
Agenda.

No. 1 Moved by Councillor Switzer, Seconded by Councillor Friesen:

"THAT the Agenda for the Council meeting of January 9, 2023, be adopted as circulated."

CARRIED.

Adoption of  
Minutes.

No. 2 Moved by Councillor Christiansen, Seconded by Councillor Wall:

"THAT the minutes of the regular Council meeting held December 12, 2022, be approved."

CARRIED.

Proclamations.

Delegations.

Cameron Hutchinson, EMS Chief of Hutch Ambulance Service Inc., attended to discuss Advanced Care Paramedic Services.

Staff Sergeant Evan Gordon of the Swift Current City RCMP, attended to discuss RCMP issues.

Public  
Hearings/  
Notice  
Matters.

Items for  
Action.

Accounts. The General Revenue Fund Disbursement Records for the period of November 23<sup>rd</sup> to December 12<sup>th</sup>, 2022 were presented by the General Manager of Corporate Services.

No. 3 Moved by Councillor Plewis, Seconded by Councillor Christiansen:

"THAT the General Revenue Fund Disbursement Records for the period of November 23<sup>rd</sup> to December 12<sup>th</sup>, 2022 in the amount of \$3,233,307.14 be approved."

CARRIED.

Transit Funding Program. A report regarding the One-Time Public Transit Funding Program 2022 – 2023 was presented by the General Manager of Infrastructure and Operations.

No. 4 Moved by Councillor Wall, Seconded by Councillor Tuntland-Wiebe:

"THAT City Council approve the submission of Swift Transit Operations Expenses for the years 2019, 2020, and 2021 in the project plan in the One-Time Public Transit Funding Program 2022-23 Funding Agreement and the Mayor and City Clerk be authorized to sign the One-Time Public Transit Funding Program 2022-23 Funding Agreement."

CARRIED.

Digger Derrick Truck Replacement. A report regarding E3 Digger Derrick Truck was presented by the General Manager of Infrastructure and Operations.

Moved by Councillor Friesen, Seconded by Councillor Switzer:

“THAT City Council awards the purchase of a 2024 Altec derrick digger truck to Altec Industries Ltd. of Winnipeg, MB in the amount of \$360,034.30 (PST included, GST excluded).”

No. 5 Moved by Councillor Wall, Seconded by Councillor Tuntland-Wiebe:

“THAT a motion be made to further discuss retaining the E3 Digger Derrick Truck at a future Council meeting.”

CARRIED.

No. 6 The original motion, as follows, was then voted on and CARRIED.

“THAT City Council awards the purchase of a 2024 Altec derrick digger truck to Altec Industries Ltd. of Winnipeg, MB in the amount of \$360,034.30 (PST included, GST excluded).”

CARRIED.

Interim Appointment of CAO. A report regarding the Appointment of Interim Chief Administrative Officer was presented by Mayor Bridal.

No. 7 Moved by Councillor Tuntland-Wiebe, Seconded by Councillor Friesen:

“THAT City Council appoint Jim Jones as the Interim Chief Administrative Officer for the City of Swift Current effective February 1<sup>st</sup>, 2023 and for as long as Council deems appropriate during recruitment for the permanent replacement.”

CARRIED.

Reports for Information.

Bylaws.

Unfinished Business.

New  
Business.

Communi-  
cations.

En Camera  
Items.

Reports of  
Council  
Members/  
Enquiries.

The following topics were raised by members of Council:

- Chief Hunter: current staff with paramedic training and structure fire update;
- Swift Current Broncos' winning streak and Rri Branconnier-Bye best anthem performer in WHL;
- Homelessness & Houselessness – those at risk within the City; and
- Happy New Year.

Adjourn-  
ment.

No. 8      Moved by Councillor Wall, Seconded by Councillor Switzer:

(8:13 p.m.) "THAT we do now adjourn."

CARRIED.

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Mayor

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City Clerk