

VILLAGE OF MEOTA - MINUTES

REGULAR MEETING OF COUNCIL

VILLAGE COUNCIL CHAMBERS - 502-2ND AVENUE EAST

THURSDAY, AUGUST 6, 2026 – 7 PM

PRESENT: Mayor Derek Welford
Councillors Laurie Shury, Teresa Ducharme, Richard Rokosh, and Ryan Wheaton

STAFF: Kristen Tokaryk, Chief Administrative Officer

DELEGATION: a. Caren and Abe Schmirler
b. Robert Corson, Bill Sittler and Trevor Bachman
c. Charles Baillargeon

GALLERY: Elizabeth and Ken Buchinski
Rod Thomson
Charles Baillargeon

*A quorum being present Mayor Welford called the meeting to order at 7:00 PM

DELEGATION: Caren and Abe Schmirler attended the meeting to express concerns regarding the overall maintenance and appearance of the Village, including the work priorities and productivity of public works staff. Concerns included drainage and standing water, gravel and levelling along roads and parking areas, weed and grass trimming, tree maintenance, and the general upkeep of Village-owned property. The delegation requested that Council review public works priorities and consider a more proactive approach to identifying and completing maintenance throughout the Village.

Caren and Abe Schmirler exited Council Chambers at 7:15 p.m.

DELEGATION: Rob Corson, Bill Sittler and Trevor Bachman of Lakeshore Drive attended the meeting to discuss concerns regarding drainage along Lakeshore Drive. The delegation advised that during spring runoff and recent heavy rainfall, water flowed over the east side of the road and partially flooded properties. The delegation requested that Council consider alterations to the drainage along Lakeshore Drive to align with the development plan specifications and help address ongoing drainage concerns.

* Rob Corson, Bill Sittler and Trevor Bachman exited Council Chambers at 7:30 p.m.*

DELEGATION: Charles Baillargeon attended the meeting to present a petition requesting that Council reconsider its decision to reopen the Beach Avenue roadway to local traffic. The delegation expressed concerns regarding the reopening of the road, including traffic and safety concerns, and requested that the roadway remain closed.

* Elizabeth Buchinski, Ken Buchinski and Rod Thomson exited Council Chambers at 7:37 p.m.*

* Charles Baillargeon on exited Council Chambers at 7:49 p.m.*



REGULAR MEETING MINUTES –JULY 9, 2026:

092.26 SHURY: THAT the minutes of the Regular meeting of July 9, 2026, be approved as circulated. CARRIED

CULVERT QUOTE:

093.26 SHURY: THAT Council approves the quote from DC Dirtworks, for culvert installation at Lakeshore and Ian Drive, in the amount of \$3,924.35. CARRIED

LOT PURCHASE REQUEST:

094.26 SHURY: THAT Council approve the request from Trevor Bachman to purchase the Village owned walkway Parcel W2, Plan 102099067 for the offered amount of \$6500.00. DEFEATED

CORRESPONDENCE, DISCUSSION & REPORTS:

095.26 ROKOSH: THAT the following correspondence, discussion and reports be dealt with as directed and filed. CARRIED
a. Lakeview Avenue Petition

STATEMENT OF RECEIPTS AND EXPENDITURES JULY 2026:

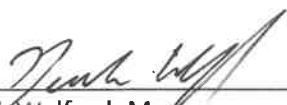
096.26 WHEATON: THAT the Statement of Receipts and Expenditures for July 2026 and Bank Rec, as attached be accepted as presented. CARRIED

PAYMENT OF ACCOUNTS:

097.26 WHEATON: THAT the list of accounts in the amount of \$95,587.03 be approved for payments as follows:
Cheque Numbers 3328-3349 \$ 23,050.73
Other Numbers 0049-0056 \$ 56,861.80
Payroll 493-501 \$ 12,674.50 CARRIED

ADJOURN:

098.26 DUCHARME: THAT we adjourn at 9:02 PM


Derek Welford, Mayor


Kristen Tokaryk, Chief Administrative Officer