THE CORPORATION OF THE CITY OF GRAND FORKS

SPECIAL MEETING OF COUNCIL Thursday, May 11, 2017



PRESENT: MAYOR FRANK KONRAD

COUNCILLOR JULIA BUTLER

COUNCILLOR CHRISTINE THOMPSON

COUNCILLOR BEVERLEY TRIPP

ABSENT: COUNCILLOR CHRIS HAMMETT ("with notice")

COUNCILLOR NEIL KROG ("with notice")

COUNCILLOR COLLEEN ROSS

CHIEF ADMINISTRATIVE OFFICER - Interim /

CORPORATE OFFICER

CHIEF FINANCIAL OFFICER
DEPUTY CORPORATE OFFICER

D. Heinrich

J. Rhodes D. Drexler

CITY AUDITORS - Kemp Harvey Burch Kientz Inc.

GALLERY

1. CALL TO ORDER

a) Mayor Konrad called the May 11, 2017, Special Meeting to order at 11:54am

2. ADOPTION OF MEETING AGENDA

Adopt agendaMay 11th, 2017, Special Meeting agenda

MOTION: BUTLER / TRIPP

RESOLVED THAT Council adopts the May 11th, 2017, Special Meeting agenda as presented.

CARRIED.

3. REGISTERED PETITIONS AND DELEGATIONS

- a) Chief Financial Officer
 External Auditor presentation of 2016 Financial Statements
 - Council spoke regarding the financial statements and variances between values from

previous years due to re-classifications of items, Statements were streamlined and modernized according to current accounting standards. To streamline and modernize the current financial statements some detailed break downs were removed.

- The Chief Financial Officer gave a brief presentation regarding the review of the 2016 Financial Statement.
- Council thanked the Chief Financial Officer and the Auditors for their work.



MOTION: THOMPSON / BUTLER

RESOLVED THAT Council receives the presentation made by Kemp Harvey Burch Kientz Inc. with regard to the 2016 audited Financial Statements; AND FURTHER RESOLVED THAT Council approves and accepts the 2016 audited Financial Statements as required under the Community Charter.

CARRIED.

Councillor Tripp opposed the motion

- 4. <u>UNFINISHED BUSINESS</u>
- 5. RECOMMENDATIONS FROM STAFF FOR DECISIONS
- 6. REQUESTS ARISING FROM CORRESPONDENCE
- 7. BYLAWS
- a) Chief Financial Officer2017 Tax Rates Bylaw No. 2038

MOTION: THOMPSON / TRIPP

RESOLVED THAT Council gives final reading to the 2017 Tax Rates Bylaw No. 2018.

CARRIED.

8. LATE ITEMS

- 9. ADJOURNMENT
- a) Councillor Thompson left Chambers due to other prior obligations at 12:10pm. Due to a loss of quorum, Mayor Konrad terminated the May 11, 2017, Special Meeting.

DEPUTY CORPORATE OFFICER – DANIEL DREXLER