COUNTY OF ST. PAUL
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Our Mission - To create desirable rural experiences

March 10, 2020 Council Meeting Highlights

Stoney Lake Municipal Campground is not closing The Alberta Government announced that it is closing or partially closing 20 parks. Stoney Lake Municipal Campground, located in the County, is not closing: It will be fully open on May 14, 2020. Stoney Lake Provincial Recreation Park which is located near Fairview, AB is closing.

Bylaws Council approved Bylaw 2020-01 to amend the Municipal Development Plan to permit one parcel not exceeding 6.60 hectares to be subdivided from Lot 1, Block 1, Plan 0720985 contained within SW 29-56-10-W4M. Council also approved Bylaw 2020-02 to amend the Land Use Bylaw allowing one parcel not exceeding 6.60 hectares within Lot 1, Block 1, Plan 0720985 contained within SW 29-56-10-W4M.

Bylaw 2020-03 Bylaw Enforcement Officer was passed by Council. The Bylaw specifies the powers and duties of the Bylaw Enforcement Officer and establishes disciplinary procedures.

Appointment of Enforcement Officer As per Bylaw 2020-03 Council passed a motion to approve the appointment of Tammy Goddu from Investigative Services as the Enforcement Officer for the County of St. Paul from March 3 to December 31, 2020.

Safety Code Services Council passed a motion approving Superior Safety Codes for safety code services. A Request for Proposals closed on February 5, 2020. A four-year contract was awarded effective April 1, 2020. Superior Safety Codes proposed the most cost-effective rates for residents.

Bill C-48, *Oil Tanker Moratorium Act* and Bill C-69, *An Act to enact the Impact Assessment Act* Council passed a motion supporting the County of Strathcona's resolution that will be presented at the Federation of Canadian Municipalities (FCM) Conference in June. The resolution asks the FCM to advocate to the Federal Government for the repeal or amendment of the Bills, to help restore investor confidence, and ensure the construction of future infrastructure.

Streetlighting Requests As per policy ADM-19, Public Works reviewed 11 requests from residents for streetlights at the various locations, both in the daylight and at night. Council moved a motion to approve 8 of the requests and will look into the feasibility of moving another light.

Whatsapp signage for Bayview and Ashmont Beach Council passed a motion for the area's Neighborhood Watch to install Whatsapp signs on County property at the organization's cost and with the locations to be approved by Public Works.

Volunteer Income Tax Program The County of St. Paul and Elk Point FCSS has partnered with Canada Revenue Agency to offer the Community Volunteer Income Tax Program for low income residents within the County of St. Paul and Town of Elk Point. Trained volunteers will complete income tax returns free of charge. *Until April 30*, residents who qualify for this service can drop off their taxes at the Elk Point FCSS Office (Tuesday, Wednesday, Friday) or the County Administration Office during regular business hours. Volunteers will be at Sunnyside Manor (for residents of the Manor only) on March 25 from at 9:00 a.m. to 1:00 p.m.

Funding Support

- St. Paul Regional High School – 2020 Provincial Curling Championships
  - $500 towards Mixed Curling
  - $500 towards Men's Curling
  - $500 towards Ladies Curling
- St. Paul Gymnastics Club Fundraising Event – Donation of two powered campsites for two nights at Westcove Campground that will be added to a live auction Family Camping package
- St. Paul & District 4-H Show and Sale – The County will sponsor Beef on a Bun at the Show and Sale on June 1 valued at $1,700

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The Council Meeting Highlights are also posted on the County's website under 'Council/ Governance & Transparency'.