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MINUTES OF A MEETING OF THE AGRICULTURAL SERVICE BOARD OF THE MUNICIPAL DISTRICT OF FAIRVIEW NO. 136. HELD IN COUNCIL CHAMBERS, THE MUNICIPAL DISTRICT OF FAIRVIEW MUNICIPAL OFFICE, FAIRVIEW ALBERTA ON WEDNESDAY. DECEMBER 15, 2021 COMMENCING AT 9:00 A.M.

PRESENT AT THE MEETING:

**MEMBERS PRESENT:** 

Phil Kolodychuk

Reeve - Chairman

Nolan Robertson

Councillor

Barry Dewitz Kent Moskalyk **ASB Member ASB Member** 

Lorne Frank

**ASB Member** 

OTHERS IN ATTENDANCE

Fred Sawchuk

Director, Agriculture and Parks

Fiona Ness

Recorder

**REGRETS** 

Sandra Fox

CAO

**CALL TO ORDER** 

Chairman Kolodychuk called the meeting to order at 9:08 a.m.

**AGENDA** 

Member Moskalyk

Moved that the Agricultural Service Board (ASB) adopt the agenda for the December 15, 2021

ASB Meeting as presented.

CARRIED.

**MINUTES -**

**OCTOBER 6, 2021** 

Member Dewitz

Moved that the Agricultural

Service Board (ASB) approve the October 6, 2021 ASB Meeting

minutes as presented.

CARRIED.

**FINANCE** 

**FINANCIAL STATEMENT** 

Members reviewed the Financial Statement to November 20, 2021.

Member Robertson

Moved that the Agricultural Service Board (ASB) accept the **Financial Statement to November** 

20, 2021 for information.

CARRIED.

STAFF REPORTS

DIRECTOR, AGRICULTURE AND

**PARKS REPORTS**  The Director, Agriculture and Parks, Fred Sawchuk, presented his reports to the Agricultural Service Board (ASB) for review. This included reports

from October 7 to November 24, 2021.

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Member Dewitz

**Moved that the Agricultural** Service Board (ASB) receive the Director, Agriculture and Parks'

reports as presented.

CARRIED.

**2022 ASB PROVINCIAL** CONFERENCE

The board discussed the 2022 ASB Provincial Conference.

Member Robertson

Moved that all Agricultural Service Board (ASB) members wishing to attend the 2022 ASB Provincial Conference may do

CARRIED.

**MEMBERS/ COUNCILLOR-**CONCERNS/REPORTS

Member Moskalyk – Bussing to ASB Conference (Verbal).

## **OLD BUSINESS**

**ASB GRANT FUNDING** 

The board discussed the letter for ASB Grant funding and reply from the Minister.

Member Frank

Moved that the Agricultural Service Board (ASB) accept the

letter as information.

CARRIED.

## **NEW BUSINESS**

**MOWER AND** SIDEARM **QUOTES** 

The board discussed the quotes for a mower and sidearm.

Member Robertson

**Moved that the Agricultural** Service Board (ASB) direct the Director, Agriculture & Parks to research prices for a mower and sidearm without a trade-in.

CARRIED.

Katie McLachlan, Johanna Murray, Dr. Akim Omokanye & Dr. Blasius Azuhnwi from Peace Country Beef & Forage Association joined the meeting at 10:28 a.m.

## **DELEGATIONS**

10:30 a.m. - Peace Country Beef & Forage Association gave their annual presentation.

The Peace Country Beef & Forage Association group left the meeting at 11:04 a.m.

2022 ASB **RESOLUTIONS**  The board discussed the 2022 ASB resolutions for the 2022 Provincial Conference.

Member Moskalyk

Moved that the Agricultural Service Board (ASB) accept the

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2022 ASB resolutions as information. CARRIED.

ASB BUDGET 2022-2024

The board discussed the ASB budget for 2022, 2023 and 2024.

Member Dewitz

Moved that the Agricultural Service Board (ASB) accept the 2022 ASB budget as presented and recommend that Council integrate it into the 2022 municipal budget.

CARRIED.

INFORMATION ITEMS

The following items were presented for review:

-10A. White-tail Deer and Coronavirus

-10B. Letter to Minister Guilbeault from M.D. of Willow Creek

-10C. Letter from VSI President-10D. AG Plastics Information-10E. Peace Agronomy Update

Member Robertson

Moved that the Agricultural Service Board (ASB) direct the Director, Agriculture & Parks write a letter of concern regarding reduction of synthetic fertilizer use to Minister Guilbeault, Minister of Environment and Climate Change, in support of letters sent by other municipalities.

CARRIED.

Member Frank

Moved that the Agricultural Service Board (ASB) accept the information items as presented.

CARRIED.

ROUND TABLE 12:06 a.m.

NEXT ASB MEETING

**ADJOURNMENT** 

Member Kolodychuk

Moved that the December 15, 2021 Agricultural Service Board (ASB) Meeting be adjourned at

12:10 a.m.

CARRIED.

CHAIRMAN

The next Agricultural Service Board (ASB) meeting is to be determined.

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AND PARKS