

The first meeting of the Council of the Rural Municipality of Blucher, #343 was called by the Chief Administrative Officer and was held in the Municipal Office, Village of Bradwell, on Wednesday, December 11, 2024 commencing at 8:20 a.m.

Oath of Office

314-2024 - Boehm

That, pursuant to Section 94(1) of *The Municipalities Act*, we accept the Oath of Office as presented by Reeve Cummins, Councillors DeCorby, Appelt and Goebel.
Carried.

Those in attendance were Reeve Cummins, Councillors Nicole DeCorby, Quintin Senger, Jim Appelt, Dale Chysyk, Travis Goebel, Francis Boehm and Chief Administrative Officer R. Doran Scott.

Reeve Cummins began the meeting by having Council read the Council Code of Ethics as contained in the Municipal Policy Manual.

Annual Declaration

315-2024 - Chysyk

That we do acknowledge receipt of Councillors DeCorby, Senger, Appelt, Chysyk, Goebel, Boehm and Reeve Cummins's annual declaration forms.

Carried.

Minutes

316-2024 - Appelt

That the minutes of the previous regular meeting held November 6, 2024 be adopted as distributed.

Carried.

Discussion Arising out of Minutes & Emergent Requests

- ◆ Elizabeth Doerksen Fence Letter
 - ◆ pushing snow over road as well – amend letter
- ◆ Letter to RM of Lost River Re: Village of Zelma contracting fire district
- ◆ SSA Elstow Animal Control Bylaw
 - ◆ draft bylaw – send to Councillor DeCorby

Monthly Statement

317-2024 - DeCorby

That the statement of Assets, Liabilities, Revenues and Expenditures for the month of November, 2024 be approved as distributed and also acknowledge the submission of the November, 2024 bank reconciliations.

Carried.

Bills 318-2024 - Senger
 That we approve for payment, the bills and accounts as attached to these minutes.
Carried.

Interviews – 9:00 a.m.

- ◆ Chelsea Neuberger, Plant Health Technical Advisor, Division 5
 - ◆ CAP Programs

Interviews – 9:30 a.m.

- ◆ Cargill – Richard Weishaupt
 - ◆ Improvements to Cargill
 - ◆ Installing scrubber and associated buildings onto “E2”

Public Hearings – 10:00 a.m.

- ◆ Rezoning & Subdivision Application – Bylaw 15-2024
 - ◆ Cassidy Dyer & Tyson Norris – PCL A SE 35-36-3 W3
- ◆ Discretionary Use Application Public Meeting
 - ◆ Andy Fisher – Carpentry – building small sheds – SW 6-36-3 W3
- ◆ Single Parcel Residential Subdivision Application
 - ◆ Regan Brown (Tony & Tammy Freimark) – NW 31-36-1 W3

Dyer/Norris
 Rezoning
 SE 35-36-3 W3
 Bylaw 15-2024

319-2024 - Boehm
 That Bylaw 15-2024 be now read a second time.
Carried

Dyer/Norris
 Rezoning
 SE 35-36-3 W3
 Bylaw 15-2024

320-2024 - Chysyk
 That pursuant to *The Planning & Development Act, 2007*, public notice of Council’s consideration to amend Bylaw 7-2017 The Zoning Bylaw was advertised once a week for two consecutive weeks in the Clark’s Crossing Gazette and was mailed to all landowners within 1/2 mile of the proposed rezoned area; and further, that a public meeting was held Wednesday, December 11, 2024 at 10:00 a.m. in the RM Office, Village of Bradwell, to hear any submissions with respect to Bylaw 15-2024, being a bylaw to amend Bylaw 7-2017 The Zoning Bylaw; and further, that no objections were received for Bylaw 15-2024; therefore, be it resolved that Bylaw 15-2024 as annexed hereto and forming a part of these minutes be now read a third time; and further, that Bylaw 15-2024, being a bylaw to amend Bylaw 7-2017 The Zoning Bylaw as annexed hereto and forming a part of these minutes be now adopted, sealed and signed by the Reeve and Administrator.
Carried.

Dyer/Norris
Rezoning
SE 35-36-3 W3

321-2024 - Goebel
Pursuant to Part 6, Schedule B, Section 1 (e) of Zoning Bylaw 7-2017 and Section 5.3 of the Municipality’s Official Community Plan Bylaw 6-2017, that since public notice was given and no objections received, that Cassidy Dyer and Tyson Noris’s single parcel residential discretionary use application and application to subdivide proposed Parcel B from the SE 35-36-3 W3 be approved as follows:

- ◆ a cash in lieu of public reserve fee in the amount of \$3,380.00 is received
- ◆ register the said subdivision with ISC
- ◆ ensure any new utility services to the said subdivision are installed underground

And Further;

- ◆ That Council approves the remainder of the Agricultural parcel being less than 160 acres pursuant to Part 6, Schedule A Section 3 (3) of Zoning Bylaw No. 7-2017.

Carried.

Home Occ
Discretionary
Use

322-2024 - Boehm
Pursuant to Part V, Section 5.2 and Part VI, Schedule A, Section A.2 (e) of Bylaw 7-2017, the Zoning Bylaw, that since public notice was given, and no objections received, that permission be granted to the following to conduct the stated operation as indicated, providing as follows:

- ◆ all conditions as stated in said Part V, Section 5.2 are complied with

Company	Occupation	Legal Description	Location
Andy Fisher	Carpentry – building small sheds	SW 6-36-3 W3	Part Time Yardsite

Unanimously Carried.

Home Occ
License Fee

323-2024 - Appelt
Pursuant to Bylaw 2-2003 and Municipal Policy 2.6 that we approve the following home occupation license fee:

Company	Legal Description	Occupation	Location	Fee
Andy Fisher	SW 6-36-3 W3	Carpentry – building small sheds	Part Time Yardsite	100.00

Carried.

Freimark
Subdivision
NE 31-36-1 W3

324-2024 - Chysyk
Pursuant to Part 6, Schedule A, Section 3 (3) of Zoning Bylaw 7-2017 and Section 5.3 of the Municipality’s Official Community Plan Bylaw 6-2017, and that since public notice was given and no objections received, that Regan Brown’s (Tony and Tammy Freimark) single parcel residential discretionary use application and application to subdivide proposed Parcel A from NE 31-36-1 W3 be approved providing as follows:

- ◆ register the said subdivision with ISC
- ◆ and further, since this is the first subdivision from this quarter section, that the public reserve requirement be waived.

And Further;

- ◆ That Council approves the remainder of the Agricultural parcel being less than 160 acres pursuant to Part 6, Schedule A Section 3 (3) of Zoning Bylaw No. 7-2017.

Carried.

Planning & Development

- ◆ William Gallaher - zoning change request – 10-35-3 W3
- ◆ Lyle & Kelly Goebel – zoning bylaw amendment request – 9-35-3 W3
- ◆ Ministry of Environment
 - ◆ Temporary Scrap Tire Storage Amendment
- ◆ Ministry of Government Relations
 - ◆ Subdivision Approval – Peter Butt
 - ◆ PCL A SE 32-36-1 W3
 - ◆ Subdivision Approval – Jocelyn & Mervin Zurevinsky
 - ◆ PCL B SE 11-36-3 W3
 - ◆ Subdivision Approval – Windhaven Farms – Ann Rodgers
 - ◆ PCL M SW 18-36-3 W3
 - ◆ Subdivision Approval – Sask Highways – Hwy #5 Twinning
 - ◆ NW 31-36-3 W3 & NE & NW 33-36-3 W3
- ◆ Rezoning & Subdivision Application – Bylaw 16-2024
 - ◆ Don Harder – SW 6-34-2 W3

W Gallagher
Rezoning
10-35-3 W3

325-2024 - Appelt

That we do decline to amend the RM Zoning Bylaw as to permitting commercial storage in the AR Zone.

Carried.

Zoning Bylaw
Amendment in
Commercial
Zone

326-2024 - Appelt

That we do direct the Administrator to prepare a zoning bylaw amendment that will reduce the smallest parcel allowed in the Commercial Zone from 5 acres (2.02 ha) to 2 acres (.809 ha).

Carried.

Don Harder
Rezoning
SW 6-34-2 W3
Bylaw 16-2024

327-2024 - Senger

That Bylaw 16-2024, being a bylaw to amend Bylaw 7-2017 The Zoning Bylaw, be hereby read a first time.

Carried.

Don Harder
Rezoning
SW 6-34-2 W3
Bylaw 16-2024

328-2024 - Boehm

That pursuant to *The Planning & Development Act, 2007* that public notice of Council's consideration to amend Bylaw 7-2017 The Zoning Bylaw, be mailed to surrounding ratepayers and be advertised once a week for two successive weeks in the Clark's Crossing Gazette.

and further, that a public meeting be held Wednesday, January 8, 2025 at 10:00 a.m. in the R.M. of Blucher, #343 Office at Bradwell, Sask., to hear any submissions with respect to Bylaw 16-2024.

Carried.

Chief Administrative Officer's Report

- ◆ Municipal Revenue Sharing Declaration of Eligibility
- ◆ APAS 2025 Membership & 2024 Report
- ◆ District Board of Revision for 2025
- ◆ Development Appeals Board for 2025
- ◆ 2025 Custom Work Rates
- ◆ 2025 Committees of Council
- ◆ 2025 Council Meeting Dates
- ◆ 2025 Deputy Reeve
- ◆ 2025 Signing Authority
- ◆ 2024 Outstanding Invoices
- ◆ 2025 Council Remuneration
- ◆ 2025 Office Fees
- ◆ 2025 Ratepayer Supper
- ◆ 2025 Village office rental rate
- ◆ Bradwell Administration Services 2025 Rate
- ◆ SSA Elstow Water Treatment Plant – November, 2024 Operator report
- ◆ SSA Elstow Employee Wages - table
- ◆ SSA Elstow Water Sewer Arrears
- ◆ RMAA Curling
- ◆ SARM Report
- ◆ Don Pogoda – road survey
- ◆ Larfarge – dumping material at SE 14-36-3 W3
- ◆ Paving of RR 3040
- ◆ Untidy property – SW 18-35-3 W3
- ◆ SSA Elstow water meter deposit refund
- ◆ Blucher Aberdeen Fire Department – change service level
- ◆ Fire District purchase of SCBA's
- ◆ Well Decommissioning for Margaret Beck (Sheila Beck) – Garden Well
- ◆ Well Decommissioning for Margaret Beck (Sheila Beck) – Cattle Well
- ◆ Option Pay - table
- ◆ 2025 Waste Transfer Station operation - table
- ◆ Chief Administrative Officer 2025 Salary - table
- ◆ Inside Employees 2025 Salaries - table

Municipal
Revenue
Sharing
Grant

329-2024 - Boehm

The Council of the Rural Municipality of Blucher No. 343 confirms the municipality meets the following eligibility requirements to receive the Municipal Revenue Sharing Grant:

- ◆ Submission of the 2023 Audited Financial Statement to the Ministry of Government Relations;
- ◆ Submission of the 2023 Public Reporting on Municipal Waterworks to the Ministry of Government Relations;
- ◆ In Good Standing with respect to the reporting and remittance of Education Property Taxes;
- ◆ Adoption of a Council Procedures Bylaw;
- ◆ Adoption of an Employee Code of Conduct; and
- ◆ All members of council have filed and annually updated their Public Disclosure Statements, as required; and

That we authorize the Chief Administrative Officer to sign the Declaration of Eligibility and submit it to the Ministry of Government Relations.

Carried.

330-2024 - Appelt
 APAS That we do participate in APAS for 2025 at a cost of \$11,069.05 for a 12 month membership.

Carried.

District
 Board
 Of
 Revision

331-2024 - Appelt
 That pursuant to Subsection 220 (1) of *The Municipalities Act*, the RM OF BLUCHER NO. 343 appoints Western Municipal Consulting Ltd. to manage the Board of Revision process for the term of January 1, 2025, through to December 31, 2025; remuneration as set out in Western Municipal Consulting Ltd. fee schedule, with the following to serve as Members of the Board of Revision: Dave Gurnsey, Dave Thompson, Donna Rae Zadvorny, Gordon Parkinson, Jeff Hutton, Kevin Kleckner, Mike Waschuk, Stew Demmans, Tim Lafreniere, Wayne Adams, Ken Friesen, Femi Ogunrinde, Fife Ogunde, Maureen Jickling, Jamie Tiessen, John Krill, Christopher Blueman, Alan Sawatsky, Mike Meleca, Hany Amin, Kimberly Speers, Nick Coroluick, Farrah Ovans, JayDee Mazier, Jordan Boyes, Kenneth Tan, Tyler Shandro and Rick Leigh. The Chair shall be responsible for naming no fewer than three (3) members for the hearing of any matter. Where the Chair does not include themselves among the appointees, the members appointed for a hearing shall determine the chair of that hearing from among their numbers. And further; Pursuant to Subsection 221 (1) of *The Municipalities Act*, the RM OF BLUCHER NO. 343 Kara Lindal with Western Municipal Consulting Ltd. as Secretary to the Board of Revision for the term of January 1, 2025, through to December 31, 2025; remuneration as set out in Western Municipal Consulting Ltd. fee schedule. If the secretary is unable to perform secretarial functions for reasons which may include scheduling difficulties WMC may appoint a delegate to perform administrative functions and may appoint a recording secretary for the purposes of any hearing. And further;

That the municipality approve the following remuneration for the Board:

- ◆ Annual Retainer Fee - \$250.00 plus GST
- ◆ Specific appeal-related fees – only incurred when an appeal is required.
 - ◆ \$55.00 hourly fee for Secretary
 - ◆ \$90.00 hourly fee for Senior Consultant
 - ◆ \$90.00 hourly fee per board member for the appeal
 - ◆ \$0.60 per kilometer mileage charge for board members and WMC staff to arrive on the day of the appeal
 - ◆ \$0.15 per page printing fee for required documents
 - ◆ Postage – Standard Canada Post Rates
 - ◆ Appeal Location Rental – if a venue booking is required, this fee will be passed on directly in our invoice for that appeal – varies with location.
 - ◆ Electronic Venue Cost - \$20.00 an appeal

Carried.

Development
 Appeals
 Board

332-2024 - Senger
 That pursuant to Subsection 214 (1) of *The Planning and Development Act*, 2007, the RM OF BLUCHER NO. 343 appoints Western Municipal Consulting Ltd. to manage the Development Appeals Board process for the term of January 1, 2025, through to December 31, 2025; remuneration as set out in Western Municipal Consulting Ltd. fee schedule, with the following to serve as Members of the Development Appeals Board: Dave Gurnsey, Dave Thompson, Donna Rae Zadvorny, Gordon Parkinson, Jeff Hutton, Kevin Kleckner, Mike Waschuk, Stew Demmans, Tim Lafreniere, Wayne Adams, Ken Friesen, Femi Ogunrinde, Fife Ogunde, Maureen Jickling, Jamie Tiessen, Stu Hayward, Pam Malach, Barry Clark, John Krill, Christopher Blueman, Alan Sawatsky, Mike Meleca, Hany Amin, Kimberly Speers, Nick Coroluick, Farrah Ovans, JayDee Mazier, Jordan Boyes,

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That pursuant to Subsection 216 (1) of *The Planning and Development Act, 2007*, the RM OF BLUCHER NO. 343 appoints Claudette McGuire with Western Municipal Consulting Ltd. as Secretary to the Development Appeals Board for the term of January 1, 2025, through to December 31, 2025; remuneration as set out in Western Municipal Consulting Ltd. fee schedule. If the secretary is unable to perform secretarial functions for reasons which may include scheduling difficulties WMC may appoint a delegate to perform administrative functions and may appoint a recording secretary for the purposes of any hearing. And further;

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 - ◆ Electronic Venue Cost - \$20.00 an appeal

Carried.

Custom Work Rates

333-2024 - Boehm

That the RM establish custom rates for 2025 as follows:

<u>Equipment</u>	<u>Rate per Hour</u>
Motor Graders	\$160.00
Loaders	\$160.00
Motor Scraper	\$240.00
Snow Blower	\$130.00
Mowers – lanes only	\$120.00
Road Boss Grader	\$120.00
Sheeps Foot and Wobley Packers	\$165.00 per half day or \$330.00 for full day
Track Hoe	\$250.00

Other Municipalities (Allan, Bradwell & Clavet)

<u>Equipment</u>	<u>Rate per Hour</u>
Motor Graders	\$220.00
Loaders	\$220.00
Motor Scraper	\$335.00
Snow Blower	\$180.00
Mowers – lanes only	\$160.00
Road Boss Grader	\$160.00
Sheeps Foot and Wobley Packers	\$235.00 per half day or \$470.00 for full day

Carried.

Committees
of Council

334-2024 - Chysyk

That we appoint the following committee members and make the following appointments for 2025:

Employee Committee – Reeve Blair Cummins, Deputy Reeve Francis Boehm, and Council Representatives Nicole DeCorby and Quintin Senger

Finance Committee – All members of Council

Zoning Committee – All members of Council

Development Appeals Board – Western Municipal Consulting Ltd.

Saskatoon Health Region Community Advisory Network – Amanda Everitt

Fire Protection Committee -Blair Cummins, Francis Boehm, Dale Chysyk

Fire Chiefs

Allan – Martin Kary

Clavet – Mike Beamish

Bradwell – Matthew Dukart

Blucher Aberdeen - Mike Steckhan

Deputy Fire Chiefs

Allan – unknown at this time

Clavet – Tyler Buechert

Bradwell – Quintin Senger

Blucher Aberdeen – Gord Hangs

Fire Rangers

Council – Blair Cummins, Nicole DeCorby, Quintin Senger, Jim Appelt, Dale Chysyk, Travi Goebel, Francis Boehm

Fire Chiefs – Martin Kary, Matthew Dukart, Mike Beamish, Mike Steckhan

Deputy Fire Chiefs – Quintin Senger, Tyler Buechert, Gord Hangs

Employee Safety Committee – Quintin Senger, Pamela Lindberg

Gravel Committee – Travis Goebel, Francis Boehm, Blair Cummins, Jim Appelt

Gravel Source Committee – Blair Cummins, Quintin Senger, Jim Appelt

EMO Executive Committee – Blair Cummins, Nicole DeCorby, Quintin Senger

Road Ban/Weight Committee - Quintin Senger, Dale Chysyk, Travis Goebel

Wheatland Regional Library – Nicole DeCorby

Saskatoon Regional Economic Development Authority – R. Doran Scott

Joint Rat Control Committee – Jim Appelt

Building Official – Wagner Inspection Services (Dale Wagner, Ryan Shephard, Jerry Wintonyk and Ray Hummeny).

Inter Municipal Cooperative Association – Nicole DeCorby, R. Doran Scott

South Sask. River Watershed Saskatoon Planning Committee – Jim Appelt

RCMP Community Consultative Group – Francis Boehm

Sask. 911 – R. Doran Scott

Road Haul Agreement Committee - Quintin Senger, Dale Chysyk & Councillor for the division or divisions where the haul takes place

Purchasing Committee – Francis Boehm, Jim Appelt and Dale Chysyk

Website Committee – Nicole DeCorby, Francis Boehm and Blair Cummins

Infrastructure Development Committee – Blair Cummins, Francis Boehm & R. Doran Scott

Intermunicipal Committee – Jim Appelt, Blair Cummins and R. Doran Scott

Farm & Food Care Saskatchewan – Nicole DeCorby

Carried.

Council Meeting Dates 335-2024 - Goebel
That we set the 2nd Wednesday of each month as our regular meeting date for the year 2025.

Carried.

Deputy Reeve 336-2024 - Chysyk
That Francis Boehm be appointed as Deputy Reeve for this municipality for 2025.

Carried.

Signing Authority 337-2024 - Appelt
That the Reeve, or Deputy Reeve, together with the Chief Administrative Officer be authorized to sign cheques, other negotiable instruments and any agreements on behalf of the RM of Blucher, #343.

Carried.

RM O/S Custom Work 338-2024 - DeCorby
That all outstanding custom work invoices, invoiced prior to November 1, 2024, be added to the appropriate property tax effective December 31, 2024 pursuant to Section 405 of *The Municipalities Act*.

Carried.

SSA Elstow O/S Custom Work 339-2024 - Senger
That all outstanding water and sewer bills that were invoiced up to December 31, 2023 to all SSA Elstow residents be added to the appropriate property tax effective December 31, 2024 pursuant to Section 405 of *The Municipalities Act*.

Carried.

Council Remuneration 340-2024 - Boehm
That for 2025, Council indemnities be set as follows:

Council Meeting	\$275.00 per day
Reeve Supervision of Office	\$275.00 per day
Committee Meeting	\$275.00 per day
Supervision of Public Works	\$275.00 per day

and further, that we pay \$0.75 per kilometer for mileage traveled while conducting municipal business.

Unanimously Carried.

Minutes Fee	341-2024 - Chysyk That for 2025, we charge an annual fee of \$25.00 to receive the monthly meeting minutes.	<u>Carried.</u>
Copy/Fax Charges	342-2024 - Travis That for 2025 we charge a fee of \$0.25 per copy for black and white photocopying, \$1.00 per copy for color photocopying, unless the photocopying is for a non-profit organization, in which case the charge shall be \$0.07 per copy for black and white photocopying and \$0.25 per copy for color photocopying. And further; that we charge \$1.50 per page for fax sending and \$1.50 per page for fax receiving.	<u>Carried.</u>
Ratepayer Meeting	343-2024 - Appelt That we set 6:30 p.m., Monday, April 7, 2025 at the Allan Parkland Hall, Allan, Sask. as the date, time and place for the 2025 RM Ratepayer Supper.	<u>Carried.</u>
Ratepayer Meeting Supper	344-2024 - DeCorby That we do charge \$20.00 per plate per person for the ratepayer supper meal.	<u>Carried.</u>
Bradwell Rental	345-2024 - Senger That we do set the rate of office rental to the Village of Bradwell for the year 2025 at \$ 15,000/year. And further; That this fee be paid in equal monthly installments.	<u>Carried.</u>
Bradwell Admin Services	346-2024 - Boehm That we do charge the Village of Bradwell for administration services for the year 2025 at a rate of \$ 36,000.00. And further; That these fees be paid in equal monthly installments.	<u>Carried.</u>

The meeting was adjourned for lunch at noon (12:00) p.m.

The meeting reconvened at 12:40 p.m.

- SSA Elstow
W/S Arrears
- 347-2024 - Senger
That the Administrator contact the following advising December 31, 2024 – 5:00 p.m. water service discontinuance:
- ◆ Michael Cooper – 114 4th Street
 - ◆ Kilso Enterprises – 200 North Railway Ave.
 - ◆ Steven Nelson – 101 Laird Street
 - ◆ Wes Nelson – 102 Bedford Street
 - ◆ Darren Radcliffe – 204 Laird Street
- Carried.
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- Clavet Fire Dept
SCBA Purchase
- 348-2024 - Chysyk
That we do approve the purchase of 4 SCBA's and related equipment to be allocated to the Clavet Fire Department for an approximate cost of \$60,000.00.
- Carried.
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- Well
Decommissioning
- 349-2024 - DeCorby
That we do apply to the Canadian Agricultural Partnership on behalf of Margaret & Sheila Beck for the purpose of decommissioning the garden well on SW 9-34-1 W3.
- Carried.
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- Well
Decommissioning
- 350-2024 - Goebel
That we do apply to the Canadian Agricultural Partnership on behalf of Margaret & Sheila Beck for the purpose of decommissioning the cattle well on SW 9-34-1 W3.
- Carried.

Bylaw/Pest/Sign/Weed Control Officer Report

- ◆ Bylaw Enforcement
- ◆ Sign Maintenance
- ◆ Weed Control
 - ◆ highway pit
 - ◆ letters not responded to
 - ◆ Dalmation Toad Flax
 - ◆ problem areas
- ◆ Pest Control
- ◆ On holidays – December 16 to 31, 2024
- ◆ 2025 Salary - table

Correspondence

351-2024 - Chysyk
That the following correspondence, having been read, now be filed:

- a) Mitch Dahl – Thank you for snow removal
- b) Farm & Food Care Saskatchewan – 2025 AGM Meeting
- c) CATPC – meeting minutes

Carried.

SARM Participation 352-2024 - Appelt
 That we participate in SARM and agree to contribute to the SARM lobbyist for the year 2025.
Carried.

Volunteer A.D. & D. 353-2024 - Senger
 That we purchase Option A A. D. & D. Coverage from SUMA for the following fire departments:

- ◆ Blucher - Lost River
- ◆ Bradwell
- ◆ Clavet
- ◆ Blucher Aberdeen

Carried.

Population TIP Program 354-2024 - DeCorby
 That this Municipality allocate the following population under the 2026 Sask Lotteries Community Grant;
 and further, that we advise that specific population request together with details substantiating this request, must be received before any population will be allocated in 2026:

Allan Recreation Association	180
Bradwell Recreation Association	120
Clavet Recreation Association	744
Sunset Estates Recreation Association	799
Club Cultural de St. Denis	63
Elstow	100
<hr/> Total	<hr/> 2,006

Carried.

Foreman’s Report

- ◆ Christmas - shop closed – Dec 24, 25 & 26, 2024
- ◆ Road Maintenance
 - ◆ 2024 road grading summary
 - ◆ 2024 road gravelling summary
 - ◆ 2024 equipment fuel summary
 - ◆ 2024 construction summary
- ◆ Employee reviews
 - ◆ 2025 Outside Salaries - table
- ◆ Equipment Maintenance
- ◆ Foreman 2025 Salary - table
- ◆ 2025 Staffing

Councillor's Report

Reeve Cummins

- ◆ New MLDP
- ◆ Dust control and road stabilizer
- ◆ Civic Addressing – may be changed in near future
- ◆ ATS will help install civic address signs

Councillor DeCorby

- ◆ Bob Greschuk culvert
- ◆ Kyle Garman ridging
- ◆ Martin Kary - wing in Div 1
- ◆ Ridging
- ◆ New fire chief in Allan – Martin Kary
- ◆ Permission to ridge along Highway #16

Councillor Senger

- ◆ District Fire Chiefs

Councillor Appelt

- ◆ Snow and ditches
- ◆ Snow ridging
- ◆ Civic addressing
- ◆ Website not updated – Administrator asked for specifics next time
- ◆ Marciniak – meeting re tree removal

Councillor Chysyk

- ◆ Field ridging
- ◆ School bus routes
- ◆ Seasonal roads
- ◆ Snow removal
- ◆ Off ramps at Highway #316 and Highway #16

Councillor Goebel

- ◆ Water well Division 5
- ◆ Dust control
- ◆ Snow removal
- ◆ Apply for grant for well

Councillor Boehm

- ◆ Sask Power easement
- ◆ Trans Gas – where is original line – invite to Jan or Feb 2025 meeting
- ◆ Fire Meeting was good
- ◆ Blucher Aberdeen firehall eavestroughs frozen
- ◆ Patience Lake Mine – culvert request in works

355-2024 - Senger

That we do supply a \$2,000 honorarium every year for the Blucher Lost River Fire District Chief.

District Chief
Honorarium

Carried.

Sale of
Equipment

356-2024 - Cummins
That since this sale will be to another Municipality we do make an exception to the RM Equipment Sale Policy. And further;
That we do sell the 2006 Terex Motor Scrapper, Serial # 58531040 to the Rural Municipality of Rosthern # 403 for a price of \$150,000.00. And further;
That the scrapper is being sold as is and the RM of Blucher supplies no warranty.

Carried.

Division 5
Well

357-2024 - Goebel
That we do apply to the Farm and Ranch Water Infrastructure Program for the construction and installation of a community tankfill at NE 24-36-3 W3.
And further;
That Council authorizes all expenses to date.

Carried.

Adjourn

358-2024 - Appelt
That this meeting of Council be adjourned at 3:55 p.m.

Carried.

Reeve

Chief Administrative Officer