

The Rural Municipality of Morris

January 13, 1967

A minutes silence was observed by council in respect for the late Eric F. Willis. The Council of The Rural Municipality of Morris held its regular monthly meeting on the above date with all members present. The minutes of Dec. 30th meeting and of January 6th Special Meeting were adopted by motion of H. Earl and W.F. Recksiedler.

B. Klassen-E. Saurette: That we appoint William F. Recksiedler as our member to the Board of Directors of "The Morris Manor". Carried

G. Goossen-W. Recksiedler: That we appoint Louis Duvenaud, Sperling, as our member to the Governing Board of the Carman Hospital District for the term 1967 to 1969 inclusive. Carried

B. Klassen-E. Saurette: That we appoint C.W. Anderson, Morris, as our member to the Lower Red River Valley Water Commission for the years 1967 & 1968, and that we remit the 1967 dues of \$185.15. Carried

M. Ribordy-W. Recksiedler: That we tender for the following equipment:

1. One Industrial type Tractor, 40 to 50 horsepower range, with standard or alternate type transmission; and 3 point hitch.
2. One Backhoe which can be mounted on a John Deere 500 tractor.
3. One 3 ton V8 Truck, 4 speed transmission, cab & chassis - 8:25 tires; block heater - (1959 Ford 500 Truck as trade-in).

tenders to be in hands of the Secretary by February 9th. Lowest or any tender not necessarily accepted. Carried

G. Goossen-M. Ribordy: That the following Grants be made to:-

1. Salvation Army	\$100.00	7. Muscular Dystrophy	\$ 25.00
2. Canadian Red Cross	\$100.00	8. Man. Travel & Convention	\$ 25.00
3. Children's Aid Society	\$100.00	9. Can. Arthritis Assoc.	\$ 25.00
4. St. Johns Ambulance	\$ 50.00	10. Hudson Bay Rte Assoc.	\$ 25.00
5. Man. Heart Foundation	\$ 50.00	11. Branch Lines Assoc.	\$400.00
6. Int. Peace Gardens	\$ 25.00		

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B. Klassen-E. Saurette: That the following rental rates be set for our municipal equipment when engaged in private work:

Unit #1: D7 Cat & 70 scraper	\$13.61 an hour
Unit #2: D7 Cat & 60 scraper	9.35 " "
" " & dozer	9.45 " "
Unit #4: D7 Cat & 435 scraper	14.45 " "
" " & dozer	13.25 " "
Unit #5: #12 Cat Patrol:	
construction	8.70 " "
maintenance	7.55 " "
snowplowing	<del>10.25</del> " "
Unit #6: #12 Cat Patrol:	<del>12.80</del>
construction	10.00 " "
Maintenance	7.55 " "
Snowplowing	<del>10.25</del> 13.80 " "
Gallion Patrols (303) .....	7.05 " "
John Deere & Front End Loader	5.70 " "
American Dragline (3/4 yd).....	10.90 " "

W.F. Recksiedler-E. Saurette: That the following employees be hired for 1967 at the wages stated:

Unit #1- P.H. Klassen	\$1.85 hr	John Deere Tractor	\$1.75 hr
Unit #2- A.H. Harder	1.85 "	(Jacob H. Kehler)	
Unit #4- W.J. Friesen	1.85 "	Gallion Patrols:-	
Unit #5- Edward Funk	1.85 "	Erdman Heinrichs	1.85 "
Unit #6- Henry Hildabrand	1.85 "	J.F. Warkentin	1.85 "
		Bridge Foreman: W. Penner	1.85 "

G. Goossen-H. Earl: That the accounts as approved by the Finance Committee for \$7,282.31 be passed for payment. Carried

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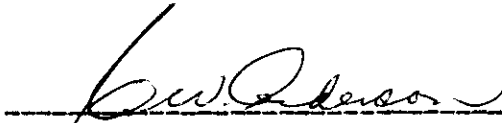
Ted Dupley of the Regional Development Branch, Dept. of Industry and Commerce attended the meeting and explained the purposes of this branch. The activities of the Pembina Development Corporation were reviewed with the thought in mind of having the R.M. of Morris become members of this corporation. The dues required would be 20¢ per capita. No action by council was taken at this time.

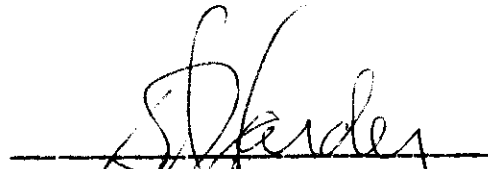
Representatives from the Water Control & Conservation Branch met with council to discuss drainage projects that would most likely be undertaken in 1967. Attending were: D. Brown, D. Sexton, P. Campbell and Henry Wiebe.

The matter of appointing an enumerator or enumerators came under discussion - a more complete and correct electors list was planned.

The Highways Department informed council that it was not prepared to install lighting on bridges on PTH #23 and PR 205. This matter was to be followed up with further requests to the government.

The Meeting adjourned.

  
Reeve

  
Secretary-Treasurer