

Morris, Manitoba.
November 9th, 1951.

Minutes.

The Council of the Rural Municipality of Morris met in the Court House in the Town of Morris on the above date, for the purpose of holding the regular monthly meeting. The Reeve declaring the meeting open, the secretary read the minutes of the last regular and special meetings, which were adopted as being correct, by motion of Councillors M.J. Stevenson and Saurette. CARRIED.

All members of the Council attended at the meeting.
Saurette - M.J. Stevenson;

O.A. Pension.
M.A. Ouimet.

That the application of Marie Annie Ouimet for Old Age Pension be recommended to the Old Age Pension Board for acceptance. CARRIED.

\$200.00 grant
to Salvation Army.

A letter from the Salvation Army was read, in which they ask for a grant to carry on their worthy work.
M.J. Stevenson - Davidson;

That the Salvation Army be given a grant for \$200.00. CARRIED.

\$100.00 grant to
Children's Aid
Society.

A letter from the Children's Aid Society was read, in which they ask for a grant to carry on their worthy work.
Neufeld - D. Stevenson;

That the Children's Aid Society be given a grant of \$100.00.

Ribordy - Neufeld;

Dragline rental
-\$9.00 outside
work.

That the rental price per hour while working outside the Municipality be \$9.00 per hour. *for Dragline R.A.S. 11/11/51* CARRIED.

BY-LAW No. 773 was read a first time;

Ribordy - Neufeld;

BY-LAW No. 773
Sperling Street-
Lighting.

That By-Law No. 773, being a By-Law for the purpose of renewing a contract with the Manitoba Power Commission for supplying street lighting in the Village of Sperling, having been read a first time, be now considered as having been read the second and third times and passed, and the Reeve and Secretary-Treasurer be authorized to sign and seal same. CARRIED.

Ribordy - Saurette;

2 more street
lights for
Sperling.

That the Manitoba Power Commission be requested to place two more lights for street lighting purposes in the Village of Sperling. One on the South side of Station Street about half way between Main Street and Section Road and the other on the South side of Charles Street between Lots 7 and 8. CARRIED.

Davidson & L. Stevenson;

Council to attend
convention.

That the Municipality pay all the expenses of the Reeve, Councillors and Secretary-Treasurer, while attending the convention of the Union of Manitoba Municipalities, and the Secretary be requested to have rooms reserved for accommodation. CARRIED.

L. Stevenson - Saurette;

Municipal yard to
be purchased.

That a Committee be appointed after the first of the new year to purchase a yard in the Municipality of Morris, near the Town of Morris. CARRIED.

The purpose of the yard to be purchased is for housing the Municipal Equipment and bridge material. Councillors Davidson, L. Stevenson, M.J. Stevenson and Saurette voted for the above motion and Councillors Neufeld and Ribordy against it.

Bills and Account

Bills and accounts were handed to the Finance Committee, who reported that the Treasurer should be authorized to pay same as per list.

Ribordy - Davidson;

That the accounts amounting to the sum of \$73,379.60, approved by the Finance Committee be passed, and the Reeve and Secretary-Treasurer be hereby authorized to issue cheques for the several amounts. CARRIED.

Correspondence.

A letter from Mr. J.G. Cowan was read, in which he asked that the Municipality either purchase the 3.06 acres of land taken from E. 1/2 of 21-5-2W. for drainage at a price of \$43.00 per acre, or pay a rent of \$10.00 per year for same. It was suggested that we should refer him to the Drainage Maintenance Boards with regard to the matter.

The meeting adjourned, next meeting to be held on Friday, December 14th, commencing at the hour of 10.00 O'Clock in the forenoon.

B. W. Thiers
Reeve.

Jas. Pottinger
Secretary-Treasurer.