

Morris, Manitoba
November 13, 1953

The Council of The Rural Municipality of Morris met in the Court House Building on the above date for the purpose of holding its regular monthly meeting. After the Reeve declared the meeting opened, the Secretary read the minutes of the last meeting, which were adopted as being correct by motion of Recksiedler and Stevenson.
Carried

All members of Council were present at the meeting.

Street Light Neufeld-Saurette: That the Manitoba Power Commission be requested to install
Lowe Farm a street light on the SE corner of Lot 3 on Reimer Street in Lowe Farm.
Carried

Aid Neufeld-Ribordy: That aid to the amount of \$40.00 a month be paid to
W.Klassen William Klassen, Lowe Farm and lien filed against his property.
Carried.

Extra grant Neufeld-Ribordy: That we grant P.M.Friesen an extra \$25.00 for the month
P M Friesen of November.
Carried.

Amend
Act
whereby
Mines &
Mineral
rights
be obtained
by
Tax Sale
purchaser

Saurette-Bunkowsky: Whereas municipalities and local government districts in Manitoba may not assess or tax mines and minerals in land by virtue of Sec 991(d) of the Municipal Act, and

Whereas if land the title to which includes mines and minerals is sold for taxes and is not redeemed, then upon vesting of title for the land to the tax sale purchaser or his assignee, such mines and minerals revert to The Crown by virtue of Sec. 49A of The Real Property Act as enacted by Cap. 52, S.M. 1949; and

Whereas it is felt that, although mines and minerals may not be taxed as aforesaid, land and all mines and minerals included in the title levied on land by a municipality or local government district in the same manner and to the same extent as a mortgage can secure land and all mines and minerals included in the mortgage therefor;

NOW THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED AND IT IS HEREBY RESOLVED, that Her Majesty the Queen be petitioned and entreated to amend by and with the advice and consent of the Legislative Assembly of Manitoba Section 49A of The Real Property and Section 991 (d) of the Municipal Act so that where land is sold by a municipality or local government district for arrears of taxes such sale shall include all mines and minerals in the same extent as they may be included in the title for the land at the time of the sale, and if the land is not redeemed then a person, a municipality or a local government district who or which purchases the land at tax sales or otherwise becomes entitled thereto as an assignee of a tax sale purchases, shall become the owner of the mines and minerals to the same extent and in the same manner as they may have been included in the title for the land at the time of the tax sale.

AND FURTHER that such amendment govern all dealings with such land made between the first day of May 1945 and the date of this amendment and that any titles issued to any applicant for tax title reserving said mines and minerals to the Crown under and by Virtue of these sections as previously written be rectified and altered accordingly.

"Carried"

Ribordy-Bunkowsky: That the accounts as approved by the Finance Committee be passed and the Reeve & Sec.-Treas. be hereby authorized to pay same.
Carried

The meeting adjourned and the next meeting is to be held Friday Dec. 11, at 10 a.m. (Business Court of Revision at 10 a.m. - Tax Sale at 2 p.m. on Dec. 11)

Delegations: Sam Hoffman attended re Tax Sale and drainage problems.

Eric Mitchell, Westeel representative solicited orders for the 1954 season

Drainage Districts budget was discussed and required levy set up.

Mrs. Orise Richard requested rent payment in addition to aid - not granted.

+ *B. W. Klassen*
Reeve

W. Klassen
Sec.-Treas.