

THE RURAL MUNICIPALITY OF MORRIS

MORRIS MANITOBA.

FEBRUARY 12, 1965.

The Council of The Rural Municipality of Morris held its regular monthly meeting on the above date, with all members present except Otto Bunkowsky And Ed. Saurette. The minutes of the January 8th Council Meeting were read and adopted by motion of C. J. Neufeld and Wm. Recksiedler.

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G R A N T S
- Maurice Ribordy-Wm. Recksiedler: That the following grants be made to:  
 Salvation Army.....\$100.00    Man. Travel & Convention Assoc....\$25.00  
 Canadian Red Cross Society... 100.00    (Golden Boy)  
 Children's Aid Society..... 100.00    Canadian Arthritis Society..... 25.00  
 St. John Ambulance..... 50.00    Muscular Dystrophy Association.... 25.00  
 International Peace Gardens.. 25.00    Manitoba Heart Foundation..... 50.00  
 Carried.
- Arbitration.    C. J. Neufeld-Wm. Recksiedler: That we appoint Max McDonald of Aubigny as arbitrator re the petition of J. E. Lussier and others praying for the transfer of certain lands from the St. Elizabeth Cons. S.D. 2396 to the Cons. S.D. of St. Jean #2362 and to the Cons. S.D. of St. Pierre #2395.  
 Carried.
- Snow Plow Rate.    Wm. Schellenberg-Maurice Ribordy: That we set a rate of \$10.00 per hour for our Patrols with snow plow.- When plowing for ratepayers of the Municipality.  
 Carried.
- Advertising For Employees-  
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- C. J. Neufeld-Maurice Ribordy: That we advertise for employees to fill the following positions for 1965, at the wages stated:  
 2 - D7 Cat Operators.....@\$1.65 per hour.  
 1 - D6 Cat Operator.....@\$1.65 per hour.  
 2 - #12 Cat. Patrol Operators.....@\$1.65 per hour.  
 2 - Gallion Patrol Operators.....@\$1.55 per hour.  
 1 - Bridge Foreman.....@\$1.65 per hour.  
 1 - Ford Tractor Operator.....@\$1.55 per hour.  
 Carried.
- Street Lighting Contract Re-newed.  
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- C. J. Neufeld-Maurice Ribordy: That By-Law No. 929 being a By-Law for the purpose of re-newing the street lighting contract of the Municipality with the Manitoba Hydro, having been read a first time, be now read a second and third time and passed.  
 Carried.
- Rates of Pay.  
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- Wm. Schellenberg-Wm. Recksiedler: That the following rates of pay be set for 1965:  
 Casual Labor.....\$1.25 per hour.  
 Bridge Crew Labor.....\$1.45 per hour.  
 2 Plow Tractor & Man.....\$3.25 per hour.  
 3 Plow Tractor & Man.....\$3.75 per hour.  
 Carried.
- Diesel Fuel Tender.    Wm. Schellenberg-C. J. Neufeld: That we accept the Diesel Fuel Tender of Lowe Farm Consumers Co-op offering to deliver our Diesel Fuel requirements No. 2 to our equipment in 1965 at 17.9 ¢ per gallon and No. 1 at 15.9¢ per gallon.  
 Carried.
- Land Transfer Tax.  
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- Maurice Ribordy-Wm. Schellenberg: That we endorse the submission of Manitoba Real Estate Association to the Manitoba Legislature regarding land transfer tax provisions of Chapter 10 of the Statutes of Manitoba, 1964, because of the adverse effect of the proposed land transfer tax on real estate.  
 Carried.
- Boyne Valley Hostel Corp.  
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- Maurice Ribordy-Wm. Recksiedler: That we support the scheme of the Boyne Valley Hostel Corp. which proposes the construction of an elderly and infirm persons housing hostel accomodating 45 hostel beds and 25 personal care beds, provided that the ratepayers of Township Six, Rangetwo West indicate their approval of this project at a Money By-Law vote.  
 Carried.
- Accounts.  
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- Maurice Ribordy-Wm. Recksiedler: That the accounts as approved by the Finance Committee for \$8,146.86 be passed for payment.  
 Carried.

THE Meeting Adjourned. The next regular meeting will be held FRIDAY, MARCH 12, 1965 at 10 P.M.

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A meeting for the purpose of discussing the proposed policy and its application to the system of artificial drains in the watersheds of the Morris, Plum and Aux Marais Rivers, was held at 2 P.M. in the Municipal Hall at Morris.

Eleven Municipalities were represented, namely:

R.M. of South Norfolk  
R.M. of Grey  
R.M. of Dufferin  
R.M. of Thompson  
R.M. of Roland  
R.M. of Stanley  
R.M. of Rhineland  
R.M. of Macdonald  
R.M. of Morris  
R.M. of Montcalm  
R.M. of DeSalaberry.

Hon. Minister George Hutton, Minister of Agriculture, assisted by W. R. Newton, Chairman of Drainage Maintenance Board, T. Weber & J. Griffiths, Water Control and Conservation Branch, explained the proposed policy to be followed in the drainage net-work within a watershed.

Classifications of Water ways are defined as follows:

The classification of a waterway must recognize its position in and importance to the overall drainage network within a watershed. This will be accomplished by assigning to each waterway "An Order Number" designating its relative importance. These Orders are defined as follows:

FIRST ORDER WATERWAYS - are drains or watercourses serving a watershed with a drainage area of one square mile.

SECOND ORDER WATERWAYS- are formed at the point of confluence of at least two First Order Waterways and may have tributaries of the First Order.

THIRD ORDER WATERWAYS - are formed at the point of confluence of at least two Second Order waterways and may have tributaries of the Second Order and lower.

FOURTH ORDER WATERWAYS- are formed at the point of confluence of at least two Third Order waterways and may have tributaries of the Third Order and lower.

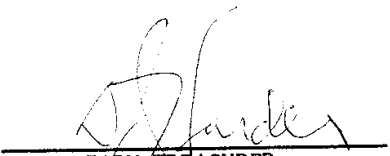
FIFTH ORDER WATERWAYS - are formed at the point of confluence of at least two Fourth Order waterways and may have tributaries of the Fourth Order and lower.

Additional Orders of classification as required may be defined on the same basis as the Fifth Order.

The major rivers of the Province such as the Red and Assiniboine are Sixth Order waterways.

It is proposed that the Province assume the responsibility for the construction, maintenance and operation as Provincial Waterways those artificial drains of the Third Order and higher. The Municipalities would retain responsibility for waterways of the First and Second Orders.

  
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SECRETARY-TREASURER.