

Village Hours:
Mon-Wed & Fri.
9-12 & 1-4
Thurs
9-12 & 1-5

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Village Council Meeting January 7, 2014

Mayor Brunas called the meeting to order at 7:30 pm with the following councilors present: Ken Weisgarber, Don Ditson and Ralph Stobbe. There were no tax payers present.

- Minutes of the regular meeting on December 3rd, payment of accounts and bank rec were approved.
- The Village has engaged the services of Dudley & Co. for the audit of the financial statements for the fiscal years ending December 31, 2013 and 2014.
- Council remuneration for 2014 will remain the same as in 2013.
- Council acknowledged the List of Lands in Arrears for 2014.
- Properties that are less than ½ of the previous year's levy will be excluded from the tax enforcement list that will be submitted to council at the next regular council meeting.
- The Administrator's time-in-lieu was approved to be carried over into 2014.
- The Administrator's request for 4 days of holidays was approved. The office will be closed February 20-25.
- The Village is extending the Agreement for Impoundment with the Regina Humane Society for the year 2014.
- The Village is going to finalize the details for the church renovations. Council is going to contact some general contractors for cost estimates.
- The Administrator is going to look into the possibility of cost and job sharing a Special Constable with neighboring municipalities/authorities or if this is even a possibility. Special Constables are appointed by the Minister of Justice and are empowered to enforce the regulation of the Village, the Traffic Safety Act, the Saskatchewan Alcohol and Gaming Regulations Act as well as sections of the Criminal Code of Canada. Municipalities/Authorities pay 100% of the costs associated with it.
- Please remember that you are not allowed to shovel/blow snow onto Village roads and ditches. After a snow fall make sure all carts, vehicles, etc. are off the road so that the grader and tractors can do a proper clearing job.
- The Mayor and Administrator will be attending the SUMA conference in Regina Feb 2-5.
- The next recycling pick-up is Tuesday, February 4, 2014.
- Loraas would like to remind the residents of the do's and don'ts for cart use:
 - Do's:**
 - Your cart must be curbside by 7:00a.m on collection day.
 - Bag all trash and place inside the cart; bagged or un-bagged trash left beside the cart will NOT be collected.
 - Keep the lid closed.

Don'ts:

- Overfill the cart, (keep lid closed).
- Pack trash to tightly
- Paint or write on cart
- Remove cart from your residence

Items Not Allowed in or Near Carts:

- Hazardous waste including: paint, solvents etc.
- Sod, dirt or concrete
- Ashes or any description
- Construction or demolition materials including: boards, roofing materials, carpet etc.
- Automotive parts, oil filters, oil etc.
- Tree clippings over 2' in length
- Liquids of any kind
- Animals or animal parts

Next regular council meeting will be February 4, 2014 at the
Grand Coulee United Church.

Wanted:

I am looking for someone who could come twice a day on Monday, Tuesday, Thursday, and Saturday. I have 2 older dogs and one younger dog. A responsible student would be fine, who could maybe come at lunch, and after school. They just need to be here, eat lunch maybe, watch TV, and let the dogs out. Or a retired person. My oldest dog is not good with small children, everyone else is fine. These are my babies, so I am willing to pay someone well who is good to them. For more information please contact Teri Conn @ teri.conn@sasktel.net or leave a message at....306-347-4444.