

# COUNCIL HIGHLIGHTS



## Monday, July 22, 2024

### PROCLAMATIONS

Meghan Chisholm and Alyssa Bennett of the City of Swift Current Aquatic Services attended to proclaim July 21 to July 27, 2024 as “National Drowning Prevention Week”.

### DELEGATIONS

Staff Sergeant Evan Gordon of the Swift Current City RCMP attended to discuss RCMP issues.

### PUBLIC HEARINGS

A Public Hearing was held in connection with Council’s intention to consider a change of an existing discretionary use, being the proposed expansion of the Swift Current Child Care Centre located at 285 & 287 13th Avenue NE in accordance with Zoning Bylaw No. 24 – 2024. No presentations were made.

A Public Hearing was held in connection with Council’s intention to consider a discretionary use application, being the proposed development of a boarding house/student residence located at 45 Sidney Street E in accordance with Zoning Bylaw No. 24 – 2014. Five letters were read verbatim, one presentation was made.

### ITEMS FOR ACTION

#### CORPORATE SERVICES

City Council approved General Revenue Fund disbursements in the amount of \$4,176,505.78 for the period of June 12 to June 26, 2024.

City Council approved General Revenue Fund disbursements in the amount of \$6,265,907.48 for the period of June 27 to July 9, 2024.

#### ADMINISTRATION

City Council entered into a new Operating Agreement between the City of Swift Current and the Society for the Prevention of Cruelty to Animals Swift Current.

City Council approved the Memorandum of Agreement to transfer land legally described as Block 1, Plan 79SC05303 Ext. 0 to the Society for the Prevention of Cruelty to Animals Swift Current.

### INFRASTRUCTURE AND OPERATIONS

City Council approved the reallocation in the sum of \$166,000 of capital budget funds from the 2022 Storm Main carry-over project to the 6th Avenue NE and Bray Street outfall rehabilitation project.

City Council awarded the 6th Avenue NE and Bray Street Outfall rehabilitation project to Knudsen Excavating Ltd. of Swift Current, SK in the amount of \$164,891.59 (PST included, and GST excluded).

City Council approved the purchase of Downtown Traffic Structures from Valmont West Coast Engineering of Delta, BC in the amount of \$101,621.14 (PST included, GST excluded).

### COMMUNITY SERVICES

City Council approved the reallocation in the sum of \$20,000 from the Aquatic Centre Shower project to the Building Condition Assessments of the Aquatic Centre.

City Council reallocated \$10,000 from the Chinook Parkway Capital Maintenance fencing project to the 5th Avenue NW storage roofing project.

### OFFICE OF THE CITY CLERK

City Council approved a Commercial Tax Exemption Policy as cited in Bylaw No. 12 – 2024; along with the Residential New Build Tax Incentive Policy as cited in Bylaw No. 13 – 2024.

### NEW BUSINESS

City Council received and filed the following:

- Southwest Municipal Government Committee Agenda – June 25, 2024;
- Community Policing Report – June 25, 2024; and
- Southwest Transportation Planning Council Inc. Agenda – June 25, 2024.

### ITEMS REQUESTED EN CAMERA

The Executive Director of Strategic Operations requested to go “En Camera” for the Yearly meeting with External Auditors to be held on August 14th, 2024 at 10:30 a.m.

The General Manager of Community Services requested an “En Camera” meeting regarding Safe Places to be held immediately following the Council meeting.

The next regular City Council Meeting will take place Monday, August 19, 2024

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