

Reports from March 12, 2025, Regular Council Meeting

Utilities

Foreman Desrosiers reported that the back up generator at the Water Treatment Plant requires and upgraded natural gas meter at a cost of \$13,508.51. The meter will require a concrete pad be installed at an additional cost.

He also reported that the biological filtration pilot project was removed from the water treatment plant on Monday, March 10th and that the engineer is happy with the results. He anticipates the report shortly. VP Mechanical installed replacement parts at the water treatment plant yesterday and they are running well so far.

Fire Department and First Responders

None.

Streets and Town Property

Foreman Desrosiers reported that he is working to control flooding in Town and may need to rent a steamer to clear out some culverts. He plans to test out a flood control technique at the Town Shop that involves drilling holes in the ground and filling with rock. He may need to hire two tandem trucks to move snow for one day.

Acting Administrator Montgomerie reported that the office will submit an application this month to the SGI Traffic Safety Fund for a grant to purchase speed control measures for Railway Avenue.

Finance

None.

Waste Disposal

Councillor Wolfe reported that he spoke with Wheatland Tractor regarding collection of used oil, and they are unable to collect oil jugs. He is still working on finding a suitable solution for used oil collection in the Town.

Rink, Cemetery, Sportsgrounds

None.

Recreation Committee

Mayor Stobbe reported that the SaskLottery grant cheques have been distributed and the committee has started to receive applications for the upcoming intake.

Town Personnel

Councillor Nehring reported that the committee held Gord Fraser's annual employee review, and they recommend he receives a wage increase.

Acting Administrator Montgomerie reported that employee Darren Kraft remains on disability leave following surgery. It is currently not known when he will return to work.

Policing

Sgt. Derek Sawatzky provided RCMP statistics and information at the start of the meeting.

Building Permits

Ryan Latta submitted an application to develop a basement at 705 Cory Street.