The Rural Municipality of Lajord No. 128

Regular Meeting Minutes Thursday, November 13, 2025 Municipal Office - Lajord, Saskatchewan

ATTENDANCE PRESENT:

Armond Gervais, Reeve

Jason Brick, Councillor, Division #1 Scott Moyse, Councillor, Division #2 Todd Brunas, Councillor, Division #3 Lacey Selinger, Councillor, Division #4 Steven Leippi, Councillor, Division #5 Kris Boesch, Councillor, Division #6 Mason Resch, Councillor, Division #7

STAFF:

Lynette Herauf, Chief Administrative Officer

ORDER The meeting was called to order by Reeve Armond Gervais at 8:01am.

Councillor Steve Leippi arrived at 8:03am.

The Public Works Department attended the meeting from 8:01am to 8:27am, to

provide a public works update.

PWM REPORT BRUNAS:

321/25 THAT we acknowledge the verbal report presented by the Manager of Public

Works.

Carried

MINUTES SELINGER:

322/25 THAT the minutes of the regular council meeting held October 14, 2025, be

approved as circulated.

Carried

PUBLIC HEARING LEIPPI:

323/25

MINUTES THAT the minutes of the public hearing held October 14, 2025, be approved as

circulated.

Carried

ACCOUNTS FOR MOYSE:

APPROVAL THAT the list of accounts for approval, including cheques numbered 196667 to 324/25

19676 and other payments totaling \$1,943,547.67, be approved for payment.

AND FURTHER THAT payroll for the month of October, as circulated, is hereby

acknowledged.

Carried

FINANCIAL STATEMENT

325/25

BRICK:

THAT the Statement of Financial Activities for the period ending October 31,

2025, be recorded as circulated to Council.

Carried

REPORT - CAO 326/25 **BOESCH:**

THAT we acknowledge the verbal report presented by the Chief Administrative Officer.

Carried

MUNICIPAL REV SHARING DECLARATION 327/25 RESCH:

THAT the Council of the Rural Municipality of Lajord No. 128 confirms the municipality meets the following eligibility requirements to receive the Municipal Revenue Sharing Grant as follows:

- Submission of the 2024 Audited Financial Statement to the Ministry of Government Relations;
- Submission of the 2024, Public Reporting on Municipal Waterworks to the Ministry of Government Relations;
- In Good Standing with respect to the reporting and remittance of Education Property Taxes;
- Adoption of Council Procedures Bylaw;
- Adoption of an Employee Code of Conduct; and
- All members of Council have filled and updated their Public Disclosure Statements, as required.

FURTHER THAT we authorize the CAO to sign the Declaration of Eligibility and submit it to the Ministry of Government Relations.

Carried

OFFICE – CHRISTMAS 328/25 **BRUNAS:**

THAT the RM Office will be closed on December 22 – 26, 2025.

./25 Carried

RM SHOP 329/25

SELINGER:

THAT the Rural Municipality of Lajord No. 128 acknowledges the installation of Tempstar furnace and air conditioning equipment in the new RM shop, which differs from the originally requested Allied or Lennox brand. The RM will not accept any deviation from the original plan unless the following conditions are met:

- The RM receive a three- year (3) maintenance and service plan at no additional cost.
- All installed equipment (HRV, Boilers, Unit Heaters, Circulating Pumps, Exhaust Fans and Intakes are properly serviced, filters changed and samples taken as required.
- Maintenance shall be performed twice annually, including all necessary parts and labor.

Carried

DEPUTY REEVE

330/25

LEIPPI:

THAT Councillor Kris Boesch be appointed as the Deputy Reeve for a one-year term.

Carried

SIGNING AUTHORITY

331/25

MOYSE:

THAT the Reeve Armond Gervais or Deputy Reeve Kris Boesch, and the Chief Administrative Officer Lynette Herauf or the Administrative Assistant Bree Knoll be designated as signing officers for cheques and other negotiable instruments for a one-year term.

Carried

VISA

BRICK:

332/25

THAT we authorize a credit card through TD Canada Trust for employee #12 with a spending limit of \$10,000.

AND FURTHER THAT the credit card for employee #7 be cancelled.

Carried

APPOINTMENT OF

BUILDING OFFICIALS 333/25

BOESCH:

THAT the following as residents of the Province of Saskatchewan, who are employed by Municode Services Ltd., be appointed as a licensed building official by the Council of the Rural Municipality of Lajord No. 128 under the authority of subsections 16(2) and 16(3) of *The Construction Codes Act*.

- Clayton Meier
- Ryan Thiessen
- Shenah Cartier
- Clint Vargo
- Kelsey Rebryna
- Matthew Stepp

Amanda Kaufmann

Carried

RICETON LOT SALE

RESCH:

334/25

THAT the request received to purchase Lots 13-19, Blk 3, BC887 for \$25,000, be accepted.

AND FURTHER THAT Administration be directed to prepare the transfer of title once payment is received for the lots.

Carried

TAX

335/25

BRUNAS:

ENFORCEMENT – KRONAU HALL THAT TAXervice, on behalf of the Rural Municipality of Lajord No. 128, be authorized to proceed under the Tax Enforcement Act to acquire the following described land on or after December 4, 2025.

LOT 8, BLK/PAR 3 – PLAN 59462 EXT 0, 108522985
 LOT 12, BLK/PAR 3 – PLAN 59462 EXT 0, 108522985

Carried

CHEQUE #19571

SELINGER:

336/25

THAT cheque #19571 be cancelled and a payment be re-issued to employee #4

for \$240.

Carried

2025 GRAVEL

LEIPPI:

CRUSH 337/25

THAT approval be given to Administration to issue payment to Langenburg Redi

Mix Ltd. for the 2025 gravel crush at the north pit for \$749,322.76.

Carried

GRAY RECREATION

BRICK:

CENTRE – RM REC

GRANT

THAT under the RM Recreation Grant Program, the Gray Recreation Centre be approved for a grant of 10% toward the shower and ball diamond projects in

2025, for a total amount of \$245.59.

Carried

SUBDIVISION -

MOYSE:

SUBD-004927-2025

339/25

338/25

THAT a \$500 cash-in-lieu be set instead of a 0.10-hectare municipal reserve.

AND FURTHER THAT Administration be directed once payment is received for the municipal reserve cash-in-lieu to issue a payment of \$500 to the Gray Hall.

Carried

HISA BOESCH:

340/25 THAT the transfer of \$800,000 from the high interest savings account to the TD

operating account be hereby ratified.

Carried

RECESS - PUBLIC

RESCH:

HEARING 341/25

THAT the time being 1:30pm we recess the regular meeting for the public

hearing.

Carried

RECONVENE

BOESCH:

LEIPPI:

342/25

THAT the time being 1:31p, we reconvene.

Carried

DEVELOPMENT

APPLICATION 343/25

THAT the development permit application submitted by GT Projects Inc., on behalf of the Eastern Sky Hutterian Brethren Colony, for the establishment of a colony within the Country Residential District located at SE and SW 23-13-18

W2, be approved.

AND FURTHER THAT the Chief Administrative Officer, be directed to draft a development agreement, which is to be reviewed with the municipal planner

and legal counsel.

Carried

KADER INVOICE

MOYSE:

344/25

THAT we reimburse KADER for \$2,286.89 for the annual SCBA flow test for

KADER and Riceton fire departments.

Carried

RDARM

BRICK:

345/25 THAT the Council and Chief Administrative Officer, be authorized to attend the

Regina District Association of Rural Municipalities convention on January 8 and

9, 2026, at the Atlas Hotel in Regina.

Carried

RICETON RURAL

BOESCH:

WELL 346/25 THAT the Manager of Public Works be directed to get quotes for a new water

well to be dug at the Riceton rural water well site.

Carried

SAMA –

RESCH:

CERTIFICATE OF CONFIRMATION

THAT the SAMA certificate of confirmation for 2025, be recognized as to receipt

and filed.

347/25

Carried

HAMLET OF

BRUNAS:

RICETON 348/25

THAT the Hamlet of Riceton Board meeting minutes from October 14, 2025, be

recognized as to receipt and filed.

Carried

SELINGER: HAMLET OF KRONAU MINUTES THAT the Hamlet of Kronau Board meeting minutes from November 5, 2025, be 349/25 recognized as to receipt and filed. Carried APAS MEMBERSHIP LEIPPI: THAT the Council of the Rural Municipality of Lajord No. 128, authorize 350/25 Administration to pay the membership invoice for APAS for \$13,365.55 by January 15, 2026. Carried WEED INSPECTOR MOYSE: REPORT THAT the annual weed inspector report received from the municipal weed inspector for 2025, be recognized as to receipt and filed. 351/25 Carried CORRESPONDENCE LEIPPI: 352/25 THAT we acknowledge the correspondence placed on the table for Council perusal and that the following list of correspondence from the November agenda and miscellaneous correspondence be filed and/or disposed of in the usual manner: APAS – 2025 Accountability Report & Farmers and Food Prices Report APAS – Ag Matters • APAS – Farm Groups Call on Federal Government to Create Export Sales **Reporting Program APAS Meetings in Ottawa** Brandt – Used Equipment Sale – November 13 & 14, 2025 Halton Region – Public Safety Requirements to Protect our Communities **RCMP CTSS District Commander Update** Setting the Standard - Key Updates from Building and Technical Standards Stephen Bonk MP – Contact Information Carried ADJOURNMENT MOYSE: 353/25 THAT the meeting be adjourned at 2:43pm. Carried Originally Signed By Originally Signed By Armond Gervais, Reeve Lynette Herauf, Chief Administrative Officer