

MINUTES OF THE RURAL MUNICIPALITY OF ABERDEEN NO. 373 SPECIAL JOINT
MEETING OF COUNCIL HELD ON THE 9th DAY OF MAY, 2025 IN THE RURAL MUNICIPAL
OFFICE, 101 INDUSTRIAL DRIVE IN ABERDEEN, SASKATCHEWAN

Call to Order The meeting was called to order at 7:15 pm by Reeve Martin Bettker.

Present were: Reeve Bettker, C.A.O. Bridgette Shwytky and the following RM members of council:

Division No. 1 – Graham White

Division No. 3 – Kevin Kirk

Division No. 5 – Paul Martens

Division No. 2 – Mark Schaffel

Division No. 4 – Absent

Division No. 6 – Absent

Mayor Ryan White, C.A.O. Barbie Stachniak, and the following Town members of council:

Lori Sopatyk, Joel Dokken, Andrew Hamoline, Justin Regier

Regrets: Brian Vandenberg, and Bjorn Vors

Conflict of Interest: None Declared

159/25 Agenda

G. White: BE IT RESOLVED that the agenda for the May 9th, 2025 Special Joint Meeting of Council be accepted as presented.

Carried

160/25 Library Budget

Kirk: BE IT RESOLVED that the the Rural Municipality of Aberdeen No. 373 and the Town of Aberdeen Councils approve the budget request as submitted by the Aberdeen Library for \$30,000.00 to be split 50/50.

Carried

161/25 Aberdeen Fire Budget

Schaffel: BE IT RESOLVED that the Council of the Rural Municipality of the Aberdeen No. 373 and the Town of Aberdeen approve the 2025 budget request from the Aberdeen Fire and Rescue for \$68,250.00 to be split 50/50.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that the Council of the Rural Municipality of Aberdeen No. 373 and the Town of Aberdeen approve the reserve requests from the Aberdeen Fire Department as follows:

- Pumper Truck/Engine: \$ 21,250.00 /each municipality/annually until 2029

Carried

162/25 Aberdeen First Responders Budget

Regier: BE IT RESOLVED that the Council of the Rural Municipality of the Aberdeen No. 373 and the Town of Aberdeen approve the 2025 budget request from the Aberdeen First Responders for \$26,228.00 to be split 50/50.

Carried

163/25 Seniors Morning Coffee

R. White: BE IT RESOLVED that the Council of the Rural Municipality of Aberdeen No. 373 and the Town of Aberdeen approve the projected expenditures for the Morning Coffee at the Aberdeen Seniors Centre to be split 50/50;

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that the RM of Aberdeen No 373 and the Town of Aberdeen pay \$3,500.00 to the Seniors Club as a rental fee for using the seniors center, to be split 50/50.

Carried

Handwritten signatures: MB, RS, BW, MB

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164/25 Seniors Coffee Prices

Martens: BE IT RESOLVED that the price for coffee and breakfast items be increased from \$2.00 to \$3.00.

Carried

165/25 Parks and Rec

G. White: BE IT RESOLVED that the Councils of the Rural Municipality of Aberdeen No. 373 and the Town of Aberdeen approve budgeting \$18,000.00 for the Aberdeen Parks and Recreation Association to be split 50/50.

Carried

166/25 Aberdeen Hall Budget

Regier: BE IT RESOLVED that the the Rural Municipality of Aberdeen No. 373 and the Town of Aberdeen Councils approve the operating expenses for the Aberdeen Community Hall and that the projected loss of \$28,000 be split 50/50.

Carried

167/25 Aberdeen Hall Flooring

Dokken: BE IT RESOLVED that the the Rural Municipality of Aberdeen No. 373 and the Town of Aberdeen Councils each place \$10,000.00 into a reserve for the Asbestos removal and floor replacement for the Aberdeen Community Hall.

Carried

168/25 Generac Fence

G. White: BE IT RESOLVED that the Rural Municipality of Aberdeen No. 373 and the Town of Aberdeen Councils approve the cost of \$4,000.00 for the installation of a chain link fence around the Generac at the Aberdeen Community Hall and that the costs will be split 50/50.

Carried

169/25 Generac Fence

Kirk: BE IT RESOLVED that that the Councils of the Rural Municipality of Aberdeen No. 373 and the Town of Aberdeen exempt the following groups from paying rental fees for the use of the Aberdeen Community Hall:

Aberdeen Parks and Rec Board, Aberdeen Fire Department, Aberdeen First Responders,
and the Aberdeen Hall Committee.

Carried

170/25 Adjournment

Regier: BE IT RESOLVED that the meeting now be adjourned at 9:07 p.m.

Carried

Reeve

Mayor

C.A.O.- RM

C.A.O.- Town

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