



**Municipality of Cambridge Bay Regular Council Meeting RCM#21-01 Monday,  
January 4<sup>th</sup>, 2021 @ 5:30pm Minutes**

<b>Present</b>	<b>Staff</b>
Mayor Pamela Gross	Mosharef Hossain-Director of Finance
Deputy Mayor Angulalik Pedersen	Marla Limousin - CAO
Councillor Derek Elias	Wiz Mohammed – Director
Councillor Shah Alam	
Councillor Barrie Ferguson	
Councillor Savanna Moore	
Councillor Wilfred Wilcox	
<b>Excused</b>	
Councillor Sandi Gillis	
Councillor Jenna Kamingoak	

**PLEASE NOTE: ZOOM Meeting**

**1. Call to Order**

Mayor Gross welcomed the members of Council and called the meeting to order at 5:33pm.

**2. Opening Prayer**

Councillor Derek Elias said the opening prayer.

**3. Adoption of Agenda**

a. RCM#21-01

**Motion**

**To adopt the Agenda for RCM#21-01 on January 4<sup>th</sup>,  
2021.**

**Moved by:** Councillor Elias

**Seconded by:** Councillor Moore

**CARRIED#21-01-001**



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**4. Declaration of Interest**

None declared

**5. Delegation**

No delegations

**6. Approval of Minutes**

a. RCM#018- Tabled

**7. New Business**

a. 2021/2022 Budget Items

The Budget process has started and Administration is seeking Council's ideas for this year's budget.

Council discussed the activities for the Budget that they would like to see in fiscal year 2020/2021.

- i.* Upgrades to the private boat launch areas
- ii.* Investigate the requirements for a snow fence to protect the areas developed west of the community.
- iii.* Contact Nunavut Airports and advise that the Airport Road is in grave disrepair and needs to be brought up to acceptable standard. With climate change we are experiencing more heavy wet snows and a lot more rain which is rapidly deteriorating the road. There needs to be proper surfacing of the road as it is down to the subbase in many areas.  
Discussion took place on speed limits on this road and that we would not take this road over until the upgrade was done and O&M is provided on an annual basis.  
The lands have been transferred in the area, but Council has not accepted the airport road.
- iv.* Continue with the projects that have started such as the Community Beautification and the clean ups around town in target areas such as the north road to water lake, cabin areas, and work on the dump site.
- v.* Start to work on getting the old bridge that was replaced with the new bridge to access the old town.



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- vi. Build more recreational spaces such as soccer, basketball and more play equipment, an outdoor skating area that could be turfed in the summer, an outdoor track for running and a softball field with an area for Inuit games.

- b. **Committee Meeting Schedule**

The concept of reducing the number of Committee meetings per month was raised as many Councillors that are on two committees and have two Council meetings per month are meeting 4 times a month. Some Committees do not need to meet as frequently as others.

Item tabled to next meeting.

- c. **Vaccines**

Information Item- The Vaccine clinics will be held at the Community Hall on the 14, 15, 16<sup>th</sup>. Another Clinic will be required in four weeks to administer the second shot.

- d. **Internet Access for Councillors**

As we are meeting on Zoom from Councillor's residences, some form of connection should be provided by the Municipality so that Councillor's do not use their personal internet.

The decision was made that the most economical solution was to purchase 100 gb from Bell for each Councillor. The modem can be hooked up for the meetings and then turned off when not in use for meetings.

## **8. Committee Reports**

- a. **Municipal Works and Planning Committee Report**

Chairman Elias reviewed the items on the report as attached to the Minutes of RCM#020.

## **9. Old Business**

None



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**10. Around the Table**

**a. Deputy Mayor Pedersen**

Nothing to discuss

**b. Councillor Moore**

Nothing to discuss

**c. Councillor Wilcox**

Nothing to discuss

**d. Councillor Ferguson**

At Council meetings I would like to hear more emphasis in our discussions on what is the benefit to the community rather than how much a project cost.

We need to let our CAO and her staff figure out where dollars can come from and the actual cost of the project. It is not our job to get into the details but to look at how we can make our community better. Our Committees are also there to discuss the details of the projects and they do a lot of work there.

**e. Councillor Alam**

Councillor Alam thanks the CAO and the staff for a great job and for bringing issues and information for discussion.

**f. Councillor Elias**

Nothing to discuss



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**g. Mayor Gross**

Thanked all the staff and wanted a special thank you to Municipal crews and the Healthy Living Staff for a great job over Christmas. The service was really great for the water and sewer services and the roads crew did really well.

The community was excited and thankful for all the activities that went on during COVID-19.

The first year of Virtual Christmas was a success.

**h. Wiz Mohammed -Director of Municipal Works and Project Planning**

The Municipal Water and Sewer crews did an outstanding job over the Christmas Break. There was not one incident. A special thanks to Lou Snooks and Ian Evaglok for an outstanding performance. And thanks to all the crew, Wayne Weese, Randy Isnor, Danny Mala and Frank Bolt who were there when they were needed.

**11. Adjournment**

**Motion**

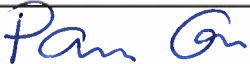

**To Adjourn RCM#019 at 7:15.**

**Moved by:** Councillor Wilcox

**Seconded by:** Deputy Mayor Pederson

**CARRIED#21-01-02**

**Minutes approved by Motion #21-02-05 , February 15th, 2021.**

	
<b>Mayor Pamela Gross</b>	<b>CAO Marla Limousin</b>