

Minutes of the Regular Council Meeting of the council of the R.M. of Arm River, No. 252 held in Council Chambers at the R.M. Office in Davidson, SK on Tuesday, October 14, 2025 commencing at 8:36 a.m.

Present: Reeve: Wayne Obrigewitsch
Councillors: Allan McNabb, Blaine Smith, David Gregor, Kris Williams, Brian Vibert and Brian Schmidt
Administrator: Michelle Riecken

224/25 Call to Order: Wayne Obrigewitsch: That as a quorum is present the meeting is called to order. **CARRIED UNANIMOUSLY**

225/25 Agenda: Allan McNabb: That the agenda be adopted as amended:
Under 8. Pub Works Add:
5) Roads & outside personnel **CARRIED UNANIMOUSLY**

No Conflict of Interest declared at this time regarding agenda items

226/25 Minutes: Allan McNabb: That the minutes of the Regular Council Meeting held on September 16, 2025 be accepted as presented. **CARRIED UNANIMOUSLY**

227/25 Corr: David Gregor: That correspondence be accepted as presented and be filed:
L. Abrahamson – 2025 Weed Inspection Report
Dr. S. Warren – Thank you Letter
SARM Rural Dart – Oct. 7/25
Stats Canada – Community Newsletter **CARRIED UNANIMOUSLY**

228/25 Financials: Brian Schmidt: That Accounts Paid, Statement of Financial Activities, and Employee Payroll Summary for the month of September 2025 be hereby approved as presented and are attached to and form a part of these minutes. **CARRIED UNANIMOUSLY**

229/25 Bank Recs: David Gregor: That council approves the September 2025 Bank Reconciliation as presented. **CARRIED UNANIMOUSLY**

Councillor William presented the report on the RIRG Meridian project.

230/25 Report: Brian Vibert: That council accept the report on the RIRG Meridian project as presented. **CARRIED UNANIMOUSLY**

231/25 A/P: David Gregor: That the Accounts Payable to the October Meeting be approved for payment as presented and is attached to and form part of these minutes. **CARRIED UNANIMOUSLY**

Layne Abrahamson attended the meeting at 9:44 a.m. and discussed the 2025 weed report

Layne Abrahamson left the meeting at 9:59 a.m.

232/25 Budget Ext: Kris Williams: That council authorize Administration to purchase the GL Budget Extension program from Munisoft. **CARRIED UNANIMOUSLY**

233/25 Report: Wayne Obrigewitsch: That Taylor Muirhead will provide his report at a later date. **CARRIED UNANIMOUSLY**

Councillor Williams left the meeting at 10:14 a.m. and returned at 10:16 a.m.

Councillor Vibert left the meeting at 10:20 a.m. and returned at 10:23 a.m.

234/25 Notice: Kris Williams: That council authorize Administration to send a notice to all ratepayers regarding farming practices in the ROW and how it is negatively affecting road conditions within the municipality. **CARRIED UNANIMOUSLY**

235/25 Seasonal: Blaine Smith: That council establish a layoff date for seasonal employees as Friday, October 17, 2025 at 5:00 p.m. **CARRIED UNANIMOUSLY**

236/25 Mowing: **Kris Williams:** That council authorize Reeve Obrigewitsch to reach out to the previously contracted mower to do fall mowing with a start date as soon as possible.
CARRIED UNANIMOUSLY

Councillor Gregor left the meeting at 10:59 a.m. and returned at 11:03 a.m.
Councillor Schmidt left the meeting at 11:08 a.m. and returned at 11:13 a.m.

Councillor Smith presented the Fire Board Meeting Report

237/25 Report: **Brian Schmidt:** That council accepts the Fire Board report as presented.
CARRIED UNANIMOUSLY

Councillor McNabb left the meeting at 11:25 a.m. and returned at 11:27 a.m.

238/25 Sea Can: **Kris Williams:** That Council authorizes Administration to purchase a used Sea Can from The Container Guy with window/man door already installed.
CARRIED UNANIMOUSLY

239/25 Mid-Term Conv.: **David Gregor:** That council approves Reeve Obrigewitsch and Councillor Schmidt attending the SARM Mid-term convention with the Reeve designated as the voting delegate.
CARRIED UNANIMOUSLY

240/25 RIRG: **David Gregor:** That council authorizes Councillor McNabb to further investigate available clay for the Girvin Grid RIRG project. Further, that Councillor McNabb be project supervisor.
CARRIED UNANIMOUSLY

241/25 Arrears: **Blaine Smith:** That Council authorizes those properties with less than one half of the previous year's levy be omitted from the List of Arrears.
CARRIED UNANIMOUSLY

242/25 **Allan McNabb:** That Council accepts the List of Land in Arrears as presented by the Administrator.
CARRIED UNANIMOUSLY

243/25 Resume: **Blaine Smith:** That Council authorizes Administration to make contact and get more information from the candidate.
CARRIED UNANIMOUSLY

244/25 Letter: **Blaine Smith:** That Council authorizes Administration to send a letter to the Ratepayers regarding the complaint with the permits required for PT SW 11-27-29 W2. Further that the letter includes the process, timeline and involvement of PBI as the building inspectors on all permit applications.
CARRIED UNANIMOUSLY

245/25 Tenders: **Kris Williams:** That Council declines all three (3) tenders received for the Sale of the JD tractor or the swing arm and will retender same in the Spring of 2026.
CARRIED UNANIMOUSLY

223/25 Adjourn: **Kris Williams:** That the meeting be adjourned at 12:15 p.m. and the next regular meeting of council be Wednesday, November 12, 2025 at 8:30am in the RM Office in Davidson, SK.
CARRIED UNANIMOUSLY

Reeve

Administrator