

MINUTES OF PUBLIC HEARING

May 1, 2019
BYLAW 2019/06/P

THOSE PRESENT:

Mayor Doerksen
Councillor Dodds
Councillor Gammana
Councillor Peebles
Councillor Wheeler
Winston Rossouw, Chief Administrative Officer
Bernice Taylor, Acting Director of Community Services
Rick Wheatley, Director of Engineering
Tom Thomson, Fire Chief
Kevin McMillan, Director of Finance
Merlin Klassen, Health & Safety Coordinator, Director of Emergency Management
Jennifer Stone, Executive Assistant and Communications

Sabine Landmark, Administrative Assistant
Erin Felker, Manager, Corporate Initiatives
Matt Ellis, Planner
Keith Arndt, Planning and Development Officer
Hari Dusi, Junior Networks & Systems Administrator
Jody Poulin, Community Peace Officer
Mark Smith, MLA Drayton Valley-Devon
S/Sgt. Malcolm Callihoo, RCMP
Cathy Weetman, Western Review
Members of the Public

ABSENT:

Deputy Mayor Ballas
Councillor McGee

ITEM

Bylaw 2019/06/P – to allow the adoption of a new Temporary Shelter Bylaw for the Town of Drayton Valley.

CALL TO ORDER

Mayor Doerksen declared the Public Hearing open at 9:10 a.m.

PURPOSE OF THE PUBLIC HEARING

To receive comments, concerns and questions from the public with regard to the proposed new Temporary Shelter Bylaw. Said Bylaw, if passed, will provide the ability for Peace Officers to effectively deal with issues surrounding the construction of temporary shelters, the human habitation in camping units on private property, and the camping on public lands.

BACKGROUND

The above Bylaw has received First Reading at the April 10, 2019, Regular Meeting of Council, which may be followed by Second and Third today, depending upon the comments received at this Public Hearing. Notification of the Bylaw, requesting comments from the public, and advising them of the Public Hearing, has been done through newspaper advertising and on the Town of Drayton Valley website. To facilitate the Public Hearing process, any comments received (written or verbal) will be presented as a package at the time of the Public Hearing.

CALL FOR COMMENTS FROM THE FLOOR

There were no comments received from the floor.

CALL FOR COMMENTS OR WRITTEN SUBMISSIONS

There were no written submissions received.

ADJOURNMENT

Mayor Doerksen declared the Public Hearing closed at 9:11 a.m.

MAYOR

CHIEF ADMINISTRATIVE OFFICER

APPROVED