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Summerland Review

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The regular meeting of municipal council was held on Jan. 10 in council chambers. The mayor and all councillors were present.

Resolutions

Screening officer policy drafted

Council adopted a policy to establish the conditions needed for a screening officer to cancel an bylaw notice under the Bylaw Notice Dispute Adjudication System. The deputy corporate officer and the corporate officer were appointed as screening officers for the municipality.

Green policy approved

Council approved the Green Operations Policy and the Corporate Anti-Idling Policy.

Rain barrel program supported

Council will acknowledge and support a funding application from the municipality to the Okanagan Basin Water Board to offer rainwater harvesting information and a subsidy for rain barrels to encourage water conservation.

Deadline extended

Council has extended the deadline request from Okanagan College for the use of municipal lands for an institute of wine, food, hospitality and tourism management. The new deadline is March 31, 2012.

Bylaws

Road closure bylaw read

Council gave first three readings to a bylaw authorizing the road closure and removal of highway dedication for the dog pound site on Victoria Road South.

Officer bylaw amended

The amendment of the officer bylaw to include the approving officer was adopted.

Sewer expansion funds approved

Council gave final reading to a bylaw to spend money from the Capital Works Reserve Fund for the Prairie Valley Road sewer trunk line expansion.

Expenditure adopted

Council gave final reading to a bylaw authorizing Development Cost Charge reserve fund expenditures for Peach Orchard Road improvements.

Funds allowed for drainage work

Council gave final reading to a bylaw allowing Development Cost Charge reserve funds to be spent on drainage improvements to Prairie Valley Road and Rosedale Avenue.

Fees and charges amended

Council gave first three readings to a bylaw amending the fees and charges for various municipal services