



## TOWN OF HINTON

Minutes of the Standing Committee Meeting  
Held March 12, 2019  
Committee Room

**Present:**

Mayor Marcel Michaels, Councillors Trevor Haas, Ryan Maguhn, Dewly Nelson, Albert Ostashek, JoAnn Race

**Absent:** Councillor Tyler Waugh

**Administration in Attendance:**

Martin Taylor, Chief Administrative Officer, Hans van Klaveren, Diana Daley-Beckford, Interim Director of Community Services, Lorraine Walker, Planner, Jace Rush, Interim Director of Infrastructure Services, Ewa Arsenault, Maintenance Services Supervisor, Emily Olsen, Communications & Strategic Advisor, Todd Martens, Protective Services Manager, Terri Williams, Legislative Services Coordinator, Wendy Anderson, Executive Assistant

Also Present: Shane Budish & Randy Heaps, ISL Engineering & Land Services Ltd.

**Refer to the Standing Committee Meeting Agenda package for [March 12, 2019](#) for detailed background information.**

### ORDER

Deputy Mayor JoAnn Race called the Standing Committee meeting to order. The time was 4:00 p.m.

### ADOPTION OF AGENDA

**NELSON - That the Standing Committee Meeting Agenda of March 12, 2019 be accepted as presented.**

**Carried Unanimously**

### CITIZENS "MINUTE WITH COUNCIL"

Beth MacCullum spoke to Council regarding the wetlands around the Maxwell Lake which are designated as Class A. Ms. MacCullum spoke to the various species found in the area.

Brittney Taylor spoke to Council regarding rentals costs in Hinton. The three most expensive places in Alberta are: Ft. McMurray, Calgary and Edmonton with Hinton placing close to second in the province. Ms. Taylor feels it is too expensive to live in Hinton and feels that Airbnb rentals are cutting into potential rental availability. Ms. Taylor feels more needs to be done to protect low and middle income residents and asked if a feasibility study is being done for low income housing.

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## **ACTION AND DISCUSSION ITEMS**

### 1. Bench Advertising

**NELSON - That Council direct Administration to advertise for a Request for Proposals and bring back a report to Council for decision to replace the private bench advertising contractor and enter into a new agreement.**

**Consensus Achieved 4-2  
For: Michaels, Maguhn, Ostashek, Nelson  
Against: Haas, Race**

Ewa Arsenault left the meeting at 4:46 p.m.

### 2. Parks, Open Spaces and Trails Master Plan

**MICHAELS - That Council direct Administration to bring back POST to a future Standing Committee meeting with a scaled back version including options pertaining to Sections 5.1 and 5.2.**

**Consensus Achieved**

## **ADDITIONAL INFORMATION**

1. Urgent Matters from Council
2. Chief Administrative Officer Status Report
3. Executive Assistant Logistics Information

## **IN CAMERA**

**MICHAELS - That the Standing Committee Meeting of Council move In Camera.**

**Carried Unanimously**

The time was 5:43 p.m. S. Budish, R. Heaps, D. Daley-Beckford, L. Walker, E. Olsen, T. Martins and W. Anderson left the meeting.

T. Williams left the meeting at 6:55 p.m.

**MICHAELS - That the Standing Committee Meeting of Council move out of In Camera. The time was 7:43 p.m.**

**Carried Unanimously**

**MAGUHN – That Council direct the CAO to obtain conceptual plans for the Hinton Aquatic Centre.**

**Consensus Achieved**

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**ADJOURNMENT**

**HAAS - That the Standing Committee meeting adjourn.**

**Carried Unanimously**

The time was 7:47 p.m.

  
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Deputy Mayor

  
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Chief Administrative Officer

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