



**Arviat Hamlet Council**

**Regular Meeting # 12-2020**

**Monday, April 20, 2020 at 6:00pm, Hamlet Chambers**

**Present:**

**Mayor Joe Savikataaq Jr.**

**Councillor Elizabeth U Issakiark**

**Councillor Peter Alareak**

**Councillor Gordy Kidlapik**

**Councillor Nataasha Komakjuak**

**Councillor Amanda Main**

**Absent:**

**Councillor Juanita King-Kuksuk**

**Councillor Nathan Caskey**

**Staff:**

**SAO Steve England**

**Council Clerk, Jane Pameolik**

**1. Call To Order**

- Mayor Joe Savikataaq Jr. called the meeting to order at 6:03 pm

**2. Opening Prayer**

- Led by Councillor Alareak

**3. Review and Approval of Agenda**

**April 20, 2020**

**Motion # 53/20**

**Moved by:** Councillor Kidlapik

**Seconded by:** Councillor Main

Be It Resolved that the Agenda for Monday, April 20, 2020 Regular Council meeting be approved.

-Carried-

**4. Delegates**

**5. Review & Approval of minutes**

**March 17, 2020 Regular Meeting Minutes**

**Motion # 54/20**

**Moved by:** Councillor Komakjuak

**Seconded by:** Councillor Issakiark

Be It Resolved that the Minutes for March 17, 2020 Regular Meeting be approved.

-Carried-

**March 23, 2020 Special Meeting Minutes**

**Motion # 55/20**

**Moved by:** Councillor Issakiark

**Seconded by:** Councillor Kidlapik

Be It Resolved that the Minutes for March 23, 2020 Special Meeting be approved.

-Carried-

**6. Declarations of Conflict of Interest**

**7. Operational Matters and Reports**

- **SAO Steve England – SAO Report;**
  - COVID-19 update
  - Food Hampers will be delivered this week
  - Kids Kits will be delivered early next week
  - Second cleaning kit with bingo cards will be delivered next week
  - Fishing derby and snow racing meeting today

- Working with all essential business and GN departments on a daily and weekly basis. Many businesses and organizations have also helped with donations for the radio show. Community spirit has been amazing
- Extremely proud of the Hamlet staff. Not on single complaint from the pressures and stresses we are all working under to serve Arviarmiut

## **8. Mayor's Comments Councillor Members Topics & Concerns**

### **Councillor Main:**

- Asked if the Hamlet employees are getting paid properly during this pandemic
- She says that she missed everyone as she hasn't been attending
- Keeping the roads open up the road is a very good idea
- The fishing derbies and races going on is also a great idea
- Loves the idea of giving food hampers to those in need

### **Councillor Kidlapik:**

- Asked how strict the social distancing is going to be during the races and derbies

### **Councillor Issakiark:**

- Says that she has been getting messages to inform her as a councillor that taxi drivers in town are driving too fast. She is asking for the SAO to get in touch with the owners for them to slow down and follow the rules
- Also says thanks to the Mayor, SAO and the employees who have been working hard to serve Arviarmiut

### **Councillor Komakjuak:**

- Says thank you to Steve for all he has done
- Welcome Doreen as a councillor and Joe as the Mayor
- Says that is it a great idea to host radio shows, everyone loves it
- Also says thank you to the people who are bagging all the food hamper supplies

### **Councillor Hannak:**

- Thank you for including bingo cards in the cleaning kits, but 10 cards were too many. Less bingo cards in the next cleaning kits would be great

### **Mayor Savikataaq:**

- Says hopefully we get through this pandemic sooner than later

## **9. Business arising from previous minutes**

- Discussion on private home owners water rates and lease rates

## **10. Correspondence, Information & Petition**

- Letter from the Alliance Church

## **11. New Business**

- Election of Deputy Mayor
- COVID-19
- Arviaqpaluk update

### **Motion # 56/20**

**Moved by:** Councillor Hannak

**Seconded by:** Councillor Main

Be It Resolved that the Hamlet Council approves to open the nomination process

-Carried-

### **Motion # 57/20**

**Moved by:** Councillor Main

**Seconded by:** Councillor Komakjuak

Be It Resolved that the Hamlet Council approves to nominate Peter Alareak as Deputy Mayor, and Peter declined

-Carried-

### **Motion # 58/20**

**Moved by:** Councillor Alareak

**Seconded by:** Councillor Main

Be It Resolved that the Hamlet Council approves to nominate Gordy Kidlapik as Deputy Mayor, Gordy accepted with no further nominations from the floor

### **Motion # 59/20**

**Moved by:** Councillor Komakjuak

**Seconded by:** Councillor Main

Be It Resolved that the Hamlet Council approves to close the nomination process

-Carried-

### **Motion # 60/20**

**Moved by:** Councillor Kidlapik

**Seconded by:** Councillor Main

Be It Resolved that the Hamlet Council approves to take care of the Arviaqpaluk

-Carried-

## **12. Committee Reports**

## **13. By-Law**

- By-Law 102 review

**14. Adjournment**

**Motion # 61/20**

**Moved by:** Councillor Komakjuak

**Seconded by:** Councillor Issakiark

Be It Resolved that the Hamlet Council approves to adjourn the Regular Meeting of Monday, April 20, 2020.

-Carried-

Mayor Joe Savikataaq Jr.



SAO Steve England

