



**Arviat Hamlet Council**

**Regular Meeting # 05-2024**

**Tuesday, February 13, 2024 at 6:00pm, Hamlet Chambers**

**Present:**

**Deputy Mayor Gordy Kidlapik**

**Councillor Nathan Caskey**

**Councillor Jimmy Main**

**Councillor Gleason Uppahuak**

**Councillor Jason Gibbons**

**Councillor David Kuksuk**

**Councillor Darren Price**

**Absent:**

**Mayor Joe Savikataaq Jr.**

**Councillor Alex Ishalook**

**Staff:**

**SAO, John Hussey**

**ASAO, Amber Kadjuk**

**Council Clerk, Savia Okatsiak**

1. **Call To Order**

- Deputy Mayor Gordy Kidlapik called the meeting to order at 6:02 pm

2. **Opening Prayer**

- Led by Councillor Jason Gibbons

3. **Review and Approval of Agenda**

**Motion #23/24**

**Moved by:** Councillor Main

**Seconded by:** Councillor Kuksuk

Be it resolved that the Hamlet Council approves the Agenda for the Tuesday, February 3, 2024, regular Meeting with slight changes on item # 4-2

-Carried-

4. **Delegates**

- RCMP Monthly Report – Zhivka Ivanova
- Council Orientation – CGS deferred to next available schedule

5. **Review & Approval of minutes**

**Motion #24/24**

**Moved by:** Councillor Uppahuak

**Seconded by:** Councillor Price

Be it resolved that the Hamlet Council approves the Minutes for the Tuesday, January 23, 2024, Regular Meeting, January 30, 2024, Special Meeting and January 30, 2024 Special Meeting

-Carried-

## **6. Declarations of Conflict of Interest**

- Councillor Main declared conflict of interest on item # 10-4.

## **7. Operational Matters and Reports**

### **– SAO Report – John Hussey**

- Updated on PPD Tank farm and road project meeting.
- Resignation letter update – Director of finance Michael Cohen
- Northern Features meeting update
- Mayors conference update
- SAR director Daniel attending meeting in WPG.
- Kovik Meeting update
- Public health inspection update

### **– DCD Update – Amber Kadjuk**

- Updated on Arviat fund.
- Hamlet funding approved – food distribution for students update.

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

### Councillor Caskey

- Says when there was a public meeting for the tank farm, they have mentioned that they will do a over the road pipelines, can we suggest the PPD to attend the next meeting and get some expert to answer if they can do underground pipelines.

### Councillor Uppahuak

- Says congratulations Darren becoming council with us as Hamlet councillor.

### Councillor Main

- Says our community need more notaries and commissioner of oaths there are not many here in Arviat

### Councillor Gibbons

- Says congratulations Darren becoming one of the councillors.
- Suggested to calm air to give full meal vouchers during the wait time in Rankin

Councillor Price

- Says there has been calm air cancellation and a lot of people get stuck trying to get home, sometimes the calm air says they're fully booked and see there's like 4-5 people on the plane, do they separate the medical travellers and personal travellers?

Councillor Kuksuk

- Says I have been council with different departments and each council has committee, does Hamlet have like finance committee? We were chosen by the people, and they believed us as leaders we can come up with committees.
- Says we as council have notice that there's small businesses here in Arviat and we must support our local, to come up with anything like reaching out to those small businesses and supporting them would make a difference to our local community.

Deputy Mayor Kidlapik

- Asked if the council are able to have committee for the upcoming tank farm

**9. Business arising from previous minutes**

**10. Correspondence, Information & Petition**

- U13 Arviat wolves funding request – Kristy King
- Sport & Recreation funding application
- ED&T Funding request – Emilia Ahmak
- QMS Funding Request – Dallas Lewis (differed to next meeting)

**Motion #25/24**

**Moved by:** Councillor Main

**Seconded by:** Councillor Caskey

Be it resolved that the Hamlet Council approves the motion of support for Sport & Recreation funding application

-Carried-

**Motion #36/24**

**Moved by:** Councillor Kuksuk

**Seconded by:** Councillor Price

Be it resolved that the Hamlet Council approves the ED&T Funding request Emilia Ahmak

-Carried-

11. New Business

12. Committee Reports

13. By-Law

14. Adjournment

**Motion # 27/24**


**Moved by:** Councillor Main

**Seconded by:** Councillor Gibbons

Be It Resolved that the Hamlet Council approves to adjourn the Regular Meeting of Tuesday, February 13, 2024

-Carried-

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Mayor Joe Savikataaq Jr.



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SAO John Hussey