



**TOWN OF WHITEWOOD
REGULAR COUNCIL MEETING
July 15, 2025**

A regular meeting of Council was held on July 15, 2025, at 7:00 pm

PRESENT:

Mayor
Councilors

Chris Ashfield
Shawna Stradeski
Jordan Giroux
Cole Jacobs
Troy Brule
Emerson Chug

CAO
WTP
Foreman

Lisa Istace
Jaimie Jordans 7pm-7:05pm
Trent Merkel 7pm-7:08pm

MISSING:

Danielle Jones

Order

Mayor Ashfield called the meeting to order at 7:00 pm

***Agenda
1913/2025***

Brule, Chug – That the amended agenda be accepted as a guide for the meeting

Carried

***Minutes
1914/2025***

Stradeski, Jacobs – That the minutes of June 24, 2025, Council Meeting are approved

Carried

***WTP's
Report
1915/2025***

Chug, Jacobs – That the WTP's Report be accepted as presented by Water Operator – Jaimie Jordan

Carried

***Foreman's
Report
1916/2025***

Giroux, Chug – That the Foreman's Report be accepted as presented by Foreman – Trent Merkel

Carried

***FOM's
Report
1917/2025***

Stradeski, Brule – That the FOM's Report be accepted as presented

Carried

***CAO's
Report
1918/2025***

Brule, Chug – That the CAO's written report be accepted as presented by CAO – Lisa Istace

Carried

<i>Accounts 1919/2025</i>	Stradeski, Chug– That accounts #23435-23468 \$ 91,793.07 Online Banking \$ 61,257.99 Credit Card \$ 2,469.83 Total of \$ 155,520.89 copy is attached and form a part of these minutes	Carried
<i>June 2025 Pre-Author 1920/2025</i>	Stradeski, Chug – Motion to approve June 2025 Preauthorized totaling \$31,873.53.	Carried
<i>Recreation Park 1921/2025</i>	Stradeski, Brule – Motion to approve Springer Construction for the Recreation Park project, totaling \$866,845.19. The work will include groundwork level, topsoil, seed with shale and crusher dust in place for all ball diamonds, track/soccer and outdoor arena as well as the roads and parking	Carried
<i>Battery Charger 1922/2025</i>	Chug, Jacobs – Motion to approve Battery Charger tender for \$50 - Chandler Bachtold.	Carried
<i>Honda Water pump 1923/2025</i>	Brule, Jacobs – Motion to approve 3” Honda Water pump tender for \$10 - Trent Merkel	Carried
<i>Red Bricks 1924/2025</i>	Stradeski, Giroux – Motion to approve Red Bricks tender for \$250 – Kinnen Balan	Carried
<i>3yd Loader Bucket 1925/2025</i>	Brule, Jacobs – Motion to approve 3yd Loader Bucket tender for \$25- Trent Merkel	Carried
<i>Epps Press Washer 1926/2025</i>	Chug, Giroux – Motion to approve Epps Pressure Washer tender for \$20 - Trent Merkel	Carried
<i>52” Massey Mower 1927/2025</i>	Giroux, Brule – Motion to approve 52” Massey Mower tender for \$335 - Trent Merkel	Carried
<i>Grasshopper Broom/Snow 1928/2025</i>	Giroux, Jacobs – Motion to approve 720K Grasshopper with Broom and Snowblower tender for \$400 – Chandler Bachtold	Carried
<i>2” Honda Waterpump 1929/2025</i>	Brule, Jacobs – Motion to approve 2” Honda water pump WB20xT tender for \$10 – Trent Merkel	Carried
<i>Snow Ex Sander 1930/2025</i>	Stradeski, Giroux – Motion to approve Snow Ex Sander tender for \$20 – Trent Merkel	Carried

<i>Schulte Mower</i> 1931/2025	Brule, Chug – Motion to approve 15' Schulte Mower tender for \$1500 - Brigitte & Dallas Laroche	Carried
<i>BobcatBrushcat Mower</i> 1932/2025	Chug, Brule – Motion to approve Bobcat Brushcat Mower tender for \$3760 - GM Durno Farms c/o Willie Durno	Carried
<i>StPost Flower Pots&hangers</i> 1933/2025	Brule, Jacobs – Motion to approve Street post flowerpot hangers with pots tender for \$50 – Trent Merkel	Carried
<i>Elgin Street Sweeper</i> 1934/2025	Stradeski, Chug – Motion to approve Elgin – Pelican Street Sweeper tender for \$500 – Chandler Bachtold	Carried
<i>P3 Power Generator</i> 1935/2025	Brule, Jacobs – Motion to approve P3-Power Generator tender for \$30 - Trent Merkel	Carried
<i>Amend 6-24</i> 1911/2025 1936/2025	Stradeski, Brule – Motion to amend motion from June 24, 2025, # 1911/2025	Carried
<i>Rec Tech Increase</i> 1937/2025	Jacobs, Brule – Motion to approve Recreation Technician wages to \$22/hour, retroactive to June 15-30, 2025 payroll	Carried
<i>Masonic Hall Tender</i> 1938/2025	Giroux, Brule – Motion to approve Masonic Hall Tender; preserving its Heritage status for \$7500 to Eleanor Joan Appleby.	Carried
<i>Special Event Liquor License</i> 1939/2025	Giroux, Chug – Motion to approve Town of Whitewood applying for a special event liquor license for street dance on August 9, 2025	Carried
<i>Street Closure</i> 1940/2025	Brule, Giroux – Motion to close 3 rd Ave between Elsinore and Balfour for street dance, August 9 at 12pm to August 10 at 12pm.	Carried
<i>User Group Event</i> 1941/2025	Giroux, Jacobs – Motion to donate use of the curling floor as donation in kind to Arena User Group hat auction event	Carried
<i>707 N Railway Lot Purchase</i> 1942/2025	Giroux, Brule – Motion to approve 707 North Railway Lot purchase of \$2500 to Sheila Hanna.	Carried
<i>Rec Tech Hire</i> 1943/2025	Brule, Giroux – Motion to hire Recreation Technician - Daniel Phillips starting July 16, 2025, at \$21/hour	Carried

In-Camera Stradeski, Brule - That Council having issues to discuss regarding personnel,
1944/2025 land legal matters and negotiations which are exempted from public discussion
under the *Local Authority Freedom of Information and Protection of Privacy*
Act and the Municipalities Act go in camera at 8:02pm.

Present: Mayor Ashfield, Councillors Giroux, Brule, Jacobs, Stradeski, Chug,
CAO Istace

Carried

Regular Mtg Jacobs, Giroux - That regular meeting resumes the regular meeting at 8:55 pm
1945/2025

Carried

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CAO Istace

Carried

Adjourn Giroux – Moved the meeting to adjourn at 8:56 pm
1946/2025

Carried

“original signed by”

Chief Administrative Officer

Mayor