



participate in any involvement. Mr. Demers requested a \$250.00 donation to cover some of the costs for hosting the event.

Mayor St Jean thanked Mr. Demers for his presentation and informed him that Council will discuss his request and respond accordingly.

Tracy Roulston – Chief of Legal Fire Department

Mayor St Jean welcomed Chief Roulston and invited him to make his presentation. Chief Roulston spoke on the activities of the Fire Department, stating that they are actively recruiting for more members. They currently have approximately 19 members and would like to have 24. Chief Roulston informed Council that Sturgeon County is in agreement with fire personnel responding to emergency calls within the County for ambulance assist. Should fire personnel respond for ambulance assist, their level of service shall not extend beyond the standard first aid scope of practice.

Chief Roulston turned the floor over to Jamie Primmer, President of Legal Ambulance Services. Mr. Primmer reported that as of April 1<sup>st</sup>, the province has taken over the direct and indirect delivery of the Ambulance Service across Alberta and is now part of Alberta Health Services. The Legal Ambulance Service and the Town of Legal have signed a 2 year contract with the Alberta Health Services. Legal is the only community within Sturgeon County that has not divested.

The Legal Ambulance Services currently has 16 members with 2 members working on their EMT certification, which will bring them up to 5 EMT certified members once completed. He also explained the 3 different levels of Ambulance service.

Mayor St Jean thanked Chief Roulston and Jamie Primmer for their presentation.

John Smyth – Rezoning Lot

John Smyth was not in attendance.

**UNFINISHED BUSINESS**

Committee Appointment – Regional Economic Development

Councillor Hughes was appointed as the representative for the Regional Economic Development Committee with Deputy Mayor Baril as the alternate.

5020 – 50 Ave

Councillor Bennett had concerns with the house on 5020 -50 Ave and would like an update as to what its current status is with Capital Health and how the Town will proceed with this condemned property. The CAO will follow up at the next meeting of Council with his findings.

Gazebo

Mayor St Jean would like to see the gazebo project started as soon as possible. The Operations Superintendent informed Council that material prices are set to decrease.

**7921**

Resolution #7921

Moved by: Councillor Bennett

**RESOLVED** that the Operations Superintendent proceed with purchasing the materials for the gazebo not exceeding \$20,000.00.

**CARRIED UNANIMOUSLY**

## **REPORTS**

### **CHIEF ADMINISTRATIVE OFFICER'S REPORT**

Written report submitted and forms part of these minutes.

#### Meet & Greet

The CAO extended an invitation to Council, staff and their families to attend a Meet & Greet on May 1st at the Community Centre. Councillor Hughes was asked to cater the function.

**7922**

Resolution #7922

Moved by: Deputy Mayor Baril

**RESOLVED** that a Meet and Greet for Council, Staff and their immediate families be planned within the budget of \$20.00 per adult and \$10.00 per child.

**CARRIED UNANIMOUSLY**

#### Upcoming Water and Road Projects

The Town, through its engineers, has applied for grants for these projects as well as informed Alberta Transportation. The Operations Superintendent made a presentation to Council as to what streets the projects will be focused on along with an outline of the grant funds and town funds being used.

#### Sturgeon County Bylaw

The CAO went over the report with Council received by Sturgeon County Bylaw.

#### Budget Address

The CAO will be attending the Budget Address at the Provincial Legislature on April 7<sup>th</sup>, 2009.

#### Tangible Capital Asset Reporting

PricewaterhouseCooper is currently working on the journal entries of the Tangible Capital Assets.

#### Crime Alert

The CAO met with a representative for the alarm system in Town office. He will report back to Council once the quote is received.

#### Council Committee Meeting

**7923**

Resolution #7923

Moved by: Mayor St Jean

**RESOLVED** that a Council Committee meeting be scheduled for April 14<sup>th</sup> at 7:00 PM in Council Chambers.

**CARRIED UNANIMOUSLY**

## **OPERATIONS SUPERINTENDENT'S REPORT**

#### Flowers

The Operations Superintendent ordered the flowers for main street. He is also looking into a self watering system that should ease the maintenance of the flowers for the staff.

Rain Barrels

The rain barrels are in and the Operations Superintendent will be working with the CAO to implement a system to have them paid for and picked up by the residents who ordered them.

**COUNCILLOR REPORTS**

**Mayor St Jean**

Capital Region Board

Mayor St Jean reported that the CRB Report has been given to Minister Ray Danyluk for approval.

Mayor St Jean was approached by the Chair of the CRB, Mayor Mandel, to stand as representation for small communities on the Land Use Committee.

**7924**

Resolution #7924

Moved by: Councillor Hughes

**RESOLVED** that Mayor St Jean be accepted by Council as a representative on the Land Use Committee of the CRB, with Deputy Mayor Baril as the alternate.

**CARRIED UNANIMOUSLY**

The CRB is currently looking into Municipal Solid Waste as a topic for discussion.

Fete Committee

The Fete Committee is still in need of a treasurer. The committee has expressed concerns regarding the completion of the gazebo. Mayor St Jean also commented that it is not the 45<sup>th</sup> anniversary of the Fete as was indicated by some of the residents. 2009 would be its 47<sup>th</sup> year since its inception in 1962. It was assumed that special plans will be made for the 50<sup>th</sup> Anniversary in 2012.

**Deputy Mayor Baril**

No report.

**Councillor Bennett**

No report.

**Councillor Hughes**

No report.

**Councillor Ouellette**

Sturgeon Foundation

Councillor Ouellette reported that the new North Ridge Lodge has received an overwhelming response to resident applications. Suites will be awarded to people who meet the set out criteria.

Councillor Ouellette attended the ASCHA Convention on March 31<sup>st</sup> at the Shaw Conference Centre.

**7925**

Resolution #7925

Moved by: Deputy Mayor Baril

**RESOLVED** that the reports be accepted.

**CARRIED UNANIMOUSLY**

**CORRESPONDENCE**

Seniors Week

Received as information.

GSACRD – New Release

Received as information.

Sturgeon County – Business Beat

Received as information.

AUMA - Invitation

Received as information.

Legal Community Services - Invitation

Council has accepted the invitation and will attend.

Alberta Municipal Affairs - Census

Received as information.

FCM - Conference

Received as information.

CAP - Invitation

Received as information.

Ken Kowalski – Invitation

Received as information.

**7926**

Resolution #7926

Moved by: Councillor Bennett

**RESOLVED** that the correspondence be accepted.

**CARRIED UNANIMOUSLY**

**NEW BUSINESS**

Bylaw 01-98 – Sidewalk Notice

A sample of the current door notice that the Town of Redwater has implanted was discussed by Council.

**7927**

Resolution #7927

Moved by: Deputy Mayor Baril

**RESOLVED** that the Town implement the tag system to allow Bylaw Officers to use them for notices for residents who are not in accordance with Town of Legal Bylaws. The tags are to be purchased in the amount not exceeding \$200.00.

**CARRIED UNANIMOUSLY**

