

# Regular Council Meeting Notes



December 10, 2019

## **Interim Budget for 2020 (2:35)**

Council approved an interim budget for 2020 based on one-quarter of the city's 2019 operating budget and approved carrying forward funding for 2019 capital projects that were still underway. The interim budget will fund city operations for the first three months of 2020 while council deliberates the budget for the full year.

## **Council Board and Committee Appointments (11:15)**

Council approved a series of appointments to public boards and committees, including the Community Events Committee; the Beaumont Municipal Library Board; the Subdivision and Development Appeal Board; and the Recreation, Parks & Culture Advisory Committee.

Council also discussed the lack of candidates applying for vacancies on the Centre Communautaire Beaumont Community Centre Advisory Committee. Coun. Bill Daneluik suggested he may bring forward a motion at a later date to review the committee.

## **Recreation Cost Share Agreement (17:12)**

Council approved a three-year cost sharing agreement with Leduc County to support recreation facilities in Beaumont. Under the agreement, the Leduc County's share of funding is based on their proportion of the total population of Beaumont and the county.

## **Committee of the Whole Format (28:51)**

Council discussed a motion by Coun. Perry Hendriks to reconsider the format of Committee of the Whole meetings. After noting concerns about the clarity of meeting procedures, council directed administration to report back on the role of Committee of the Whole and its decision-making authority.

## **Centre-Ville Area Redevelopment Plan (57:24)**

Council approved first reading of the Our Centre-Ville Area Redevelopment Plan. The draft plan would guide the redevelopment and revitalization of central Beaumont over the next 25 years, with a distinct character and theme for the different parts of downtown.

Residents will be able to provide feedback on the plan during open houses on Jan. 22 and 23.

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