



***Minutes of the Special Meeting of the Council
of the Municipality of Bifrost-Riverton***

In the Province of Manitoba, held on Sunday, May 1, 2022
Commencing at 1:30 PM at the Council Chambers at 329 River Rd. Arborg, MB

PRESENT

Reeve: Brian N. Johnson
Councillors: Ken Stadnek and Gordon Klym
Admin: CAO Jordan Willner, ACAO Tanis Johnson,
Public Works Manager Jason Comeau

Teleconference:

Councillors: Chad Johnson, David King

ABSENT:

Councillors: Frode Andersen, Colin Bjarnason,

1. Call to Order

Reeve Johnson called the special meeting to order at 1:30 p.m.

2. State of Local Emergency

Resolution 097-2022

Moved by Councillor Stadnek

Seconded by Councillor Klym

Whereas the Municipality of Bifrost-Riverton is encountering flooding and washed-out roads that requires prompt action to prevent harm or damage to the safety, health or welfare of persons located within the boundaries of the Municipality of Bifrost-Riverton, and to prevent damage to property within those boundaries;

Therefore be it resolved that pursuant to Section 11 (1) of the Emergency Measures Act, Chapter E80 of the Continuing Consolidation of the Statutes of Manitoba, the Council for the Municipality of Bifrost-Riverton declares a state of local emergency exists from this 1st day of May, 2022. Powers used are to:

- Cause emergency plans to be implemented
- Control, permit or prohibit travel to or from any area or on any road, street or highway;
- Utilize any real or personal property considered necessary to prevent, combat or alleviate the effects of any emergency or disaster;
- Authorize or require any qualified person to render aid of such type as that person may be qualified to provide
- Authorize the procurement and distribution of essential resources and the provision of essential services
- Provide for the restoration of essential facilities, the distribution of essential supplies and the maintenance and co-ordination of emergency medical, social and other essential services;
- Expend such sums as are necessary to pay expenses caused by the emergency or disaster.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF of the Council of the Municipality of Bifrost-Riverton has by resolution carried, declared this state of local emergency this 1st day of May, 2022.

CARRIED

3. Disaster Financial Assistance
Resolution 098-2022
Moved by Councillor Klym
Seconded by Councillor Stadnek

WHEREAS the Colorado low events of April 13-16, April 22-24 and April 29-May 1 has caused widespread damage to private and municipal property and infrastructure within the Municipality of Bifrost-Riverton;

AND WHEREAS this event creates a burden exceeding the financial capacity of those impacted;

THEREFORE, Be It Resolved that the Council of the Municipality of Bifrost-Riverton requests the Government of Manitoba declare the event eligible for disaster financial assistance for the public and private sectors to provide compensation for expenditures related to pre-emptive and restoration of damages.

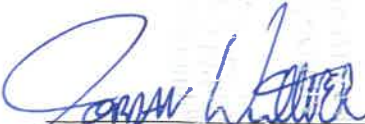
CARRIED

4. Adjournment

The Special Meeting of Council is hereby adjourned at 1:35 pm.



Brian N. Johnson, Reeve



Jordan Willner, C.A.O.