

Minutes of the Special Meeting of the Council of the Rural Municipality of Willowdale No. 153
Held Thursday the 2nd day of April, 2026
In the Municipal Transportation Services Shop #1001 Highway 9, Whitewood, Saskatchewan

Present:

Reeve -	Lane Chesney
Councillor Division 1	Julie Johnson
Councillor Division 2 -	Les Beutler
Councillor Division 3 -	James Stratton
Councillor Division 4 -	Eva Davis
Councillor Division 5 -	Darryn Beutler
Councillor Division 6 -	Rick Lake
Administrator -	Chrissy Bodnarchuk

Call to Order:

A quorum being present, Reeve Lane Chesney called the meeting to order at 9:01 a.m.

Closed Session

85/26 **Lake:** That the meeting enter into closed session at 9:02 a.m. in accordance with Section 120(2)(b) of *The Municipalities Act* and Section 17 of *The Local Freedom of Information and Privacy Act* to discuss long term planning.

Carried.

In attendance: Lane Chesney, Julie Johnson, James Stratton, Eva Davis, Darryn Beutler, Rick Lake and Chrissy Bodnarchuk.

Open Session

86/26 **Chesney:** That the meeting reconvene into regular session at 10:50 a.m.

Carried.

Councillor L. Beutler joined the meeting at 10:50 a.m.

Two Way Radio Upgrades

87/26 **Stratton:** That the Crew be authorized to upgrade and replace radios as presented with a budget of two thousand dollars (\$2000.00) plus applicable taxes.

Carried.

Water Tank Purchase

88/26 **Beutler, L:** That the R.M. of Willowdale No. 153 table discussions on the purchase of a water truck or water trailer until more information on options and usage can be obtained from DK Blade Services at spring road training.

Carried.

Rock Bucket Purchase

89/26 **Stratton:** That the Council for the R.M. of Willowdale No 153 purchase a rock bucket for Unit H-1 with a budget of ten thousand dollars (\$10,000.00) plus applicable taxes.

Defeated.

Text2Car Upgrades

90/26 **Beutler, D:** That the Crew be authorized to upgrade the Text2Car systems on Unit G-1 and G-4 and further that new systems be purchased for Units S-2 and S-3 with a budget of six thousand dollars (\$6,000.00) plus applicable taxes.

Carried.

Fuel Transfer Pump

91/26 **Stratton:** That the Crew be authorized to purchase fuel transfer pump with an budget of one thousand, three hundred dollars (\$1,300.00) plus applicable taxes.

Carried.

Division Six Road 637 Project

92/26 **Lake:** That the Council for the R.M. of Willowdale complete MG30 Reclamation Project for approximately three miles on Road 637 from the valley bridge to Range Road 182.

Carried.

Division Three Range Road 2034 Project

93/26 **Stratton:** That the Council for the R.M. of Willowdale No. 153 hire Prairie Road Solutions to do a preliminary survey to investigate quantities and costs to upgrade and clay cap Range Road 2034 from Township Road 170 to Highway One. **Carried.**

Division Four Road Ditch Project

94/26 **Beutler, D:** That the Administrator obtain a minimum of three quotes for work involved with improving ditches and drainage on Range Road 2024 from Township Road 170 to Township Road 171 and on Range Road 2030 from Township Road 170 to Township Road 171. **Carried.**

Division Two Road Repair Project

95/26 **Beutler, L:** That the Administrator obtain a minimum of three quotes for work involved with improving road top on Township Road 164 from Highway 9 to Range Road 2021. **Carried.**

Equipment Inspections

96/26 **Stratton:** That the Administrator hire a mechanic to inspect and provide listing of any repair work that may be required for Units D-6, L-1 and H-1. **Carried.**

Crew Truck Purchase

97/26 **Beutler, L:** That the Council for the R.M. of Willowdale No. 153 purchase 2022 Dodge Ram 1500 Big Horn Stock Number BB481990 for the purchase price of forty-four thousand, ninety-nine dollars (\$44,099.00) plus applicable taxes. **Carried.**

Work Orders

98/26 **Beutler, D:** That the following work order be approved as presented:

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| 2-1 – Install New Culvert – NNW 19-16-02-W2
Township Road 164 | 2-2 – Replace Culvert – NNE 24-16-02-W2
Township Road 164 |
| 3-1 – Replace Culvert – NNE 24-16-03-W2
Township Road 164 | 5-1 – Replace Culvert & Install Culvert – WSW
32-17-02-W2 Range Road 2025 |
| 6-1 – Install New Culvert – SSE 6-18-01-W2
Township Road 180 | 6-2 – Replace Culverts – WNW 22-18-01-W2
Road 637 |

Carried.

Adjournment

99/26 **Lake:** That this meeting adjourn (12:55 p.m.). **Carried.**

Reeve

Administrator

