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**MINUTES OF A SPECIAL MEETING OF THE COUNCIL OF  
THE RURAL MUNICIPALITY OF HILLSDALE NO. 440,**

held in the Municipal Office at 39 L.E. Gibbons Centre Street  
in Neilburg, Saskatchewan on  
Thursday, April 2, 2026 at 9:00 a.m. MST.

**Call to Order**

Reeve Trevor McCrea called the meeting to order at 9:00 a.m.

**Members Present**

Reeve: Trevor McCrea  
Division 1 Councillor: Dalyn Woloshyn  
Division 2 Councillor: Tannis Chibri  
Division 3 Councillor: Bernadette Poppleton  
Division 4 Councillor: Darren Tyler  
Division 5 Councillor: Floyd Whitney  
Division 6 Councillor: Chip Chibri  
Chief Administrative Officer: Kathleen McGladdery  
Public Works Coordinator: Karrie Blackbeard  
Foreman: Darnell Zweifel

Dave Wintonyk from WSP Engineering attended the meeting at 9:00 a.m.

**Agenda**

66/2026 CHIP CHIBRI

That the following be added to the April 2, 2026 Special Meeting Agenda:

- Strychnine

Motion Carried.

**Baldwinton Grid Road Tender**

67/2026 BERNADETTE POPPLETON

That the Council of the Rural Municipality of Hillsdale No. 440 accept the tender from Corey Construction to construct 0.8 km of clay construction referred to as Baldwinton Grid Construction, Contract No. ST254401, located East of 21-44-23 W3M at a cost of \$430,090.00 plus taxes.

Motion Carried.

Dave Wintonyk from WSP Engineering left the meeting at 9:38 a.m.

**Offensive Wildland Certification Approval**

68/2026 DARREN TYLER

That the Council of the Rural Municipality of Hillsdale No. 440 authorizes the Cut Knife Fire Department to perform offensive wildland services in the Rural Municipality of Hillsdale No. 440.

Motion Carried.

**In Camera**

69/2026 TREVOR MCCREA

That the meeting proceeds in camera at 9:48 a.m. as per Section 16(1) of the *Local Authority Freedom of Information and Protection of Privacy Act* to discuss tax enforcement.

Motion Carried.

Members present Reeve Trevor McCrea, Councillor(s) Dalyn Woloshyn, Tannis Chibri, Bernadette Poppleton, Floyd Whitney, Chip Chibri, CAO Kathleen McGladdery, PWC Karrie Blackbeard and Foreman Darnell Zweifel.

  
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**Meeting Reconvenes**

70/2026 TANNIS CHIBRI

That Council came out of camera at 10:20 a.m.

Motion Carried.

**Acknowledgment of March 6, 2026 Letter**

71/2026 BERNADETTE POPPLETON

That the Council of the Rural Municipality of Hillsdale No. 440 acknowledges the letter received on March 6, 2026, for settlement of tax arrears on NW 17-44-25 W3M from Alex Herle and the March 16, 2026, reply letter declining the offer under advisement of Legal Counsel.

Motion Carried.

**Strychnine**

72/2026 TREVOR MCCREA

That the Council of the Rural Municipality of Hillsdale No.440 instructs administration to send a letter regarding councils concerns of the exclusion of the Rural Municipality of Hillsdale No. 440 from the Emergency Authorization for Liquid Strychnine Use to our local MLA, MP, Minister of Agriculture, Minister of Health, Minister of Environment and SARM.

Motion Carried.

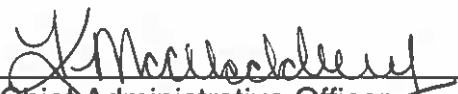
**Adjourn**

73/2026 TANNIS CHIBRI

That this meeting adjourns at 11:04 a.m.

Motion Carried.

  
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Reeve

  
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Chief Administrative Officer

**SPECIAL MEETING AGENDA**  
**Thursday, April 2, 2026**

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**CALL TO ORDER**

**MEMBERS PRESENT**

**APPROVAL OF AGENDA**

**DECLARATION OF INTEREST**

**OTHER BUSINESS**

- 1) Baldwinton Grid Tender Opening 9:05 a.m.
- 2) Cut Knife Fire Board- Offensive Wildland Certification Approval
- 3) Tax Enforcement

**IN CAMERA**

**DELEGATIONS**

- 1.

**ADJOURNMENT**