

**FIVE HUNDRED AND EIGHT
M.D. OF BONNYVILLE NO. 87
AGRICULTURAL SERVICE BOARD MEETING**

Minutes of
November 29,
2024

Minutes of the Municipal District of Bonnyville No. 87 Agricultural Service Board meeting held on November 29, 2024

Present:

Present at the meeting were:

Josh Crick
Mike Krywiak
Luc Tellier
Blake Pikowicz
Mark Davediuk
Alyssa Krawchuk
Matt Janz
Janice Boden
Sandy Slevinsky

Councillor/Chairman
Councillor
Farmer Member
Farmer Member
Farmer Member
Executive Director, LARA
Agricultural Fieldman
Assistant Agricultural Fieldman
Recording Secretary

Call to Order

Councillor Josh Crick called the meeting to order at 8:57 a.m.

Agenda

Moved by Mark Davediuk that the agenda be adopted as presented.

CARRIED

Delegation

Dr. Greg Benoit, Bonnyville Veterinary Clinic

Moved by Councillor Mike Krywiak that the ASB Board accept Dr. Greg Benoit's presentation regarding veterinary services as information.

CARRIED

Minutes

Moved by Blake Pikowicz that the minutes of the M.D. of Bonnyville No. 87 Agricultural Service Board Meeting held on October 17, 2024, be adopted as presented.

CARRIED

AgKnow

Moved by Blake Pikowicz to direct Administration to send a letter support.

CARRIED

Bonnyville
Tuesday Farmers'
Market

Moved by Mark Davediuk to support the Tuesday Farmers' Market community table with a sponsorship of \$600.00 for the 2024 year and to direct Administration to send a letter to the Tuesday Farmer's Market to provide the ASB Board with a list of the not-for-profit organizations that use the community table, and to direct Administration to purchase a table banner promoting the sponsorship of the MD of Bonnyville Agriculture Service Board to be used at the market every Tuesday.

Assistant
Agricultural
Fieldman Report

Janice Boden, Assistant Agricultural Fieldman, reported on the following:

1. Pest Programs
2. Bonnyville Seed Plant
3. Upcoming Seminars/Training
4. Avian Flu
5. Rat on Rats

LARA Report

Alyssa Krawchuk, Executive Director of LARA, reported on the following:

1. Research and Demonstration Program
2. Extension Events
3. Environmental Farm Plans and Funding Opportunities

Bill C-293
Pandemic
Prevention and
Preparedness Act

Moved by Blake Pikowicz to direct Administration to send a letter in support of Bill C-293 Pandemic Prevention and Preparedness Act addressing the concerns with regards to the animal industry and to review Bill C-293 to ensure fairness and equity for all industries, particularly agriculture.

CARRIED

Feasibility Study
for a Regional
Meat Processing
Facility and Bill
C-293

Moved by Luc Tellier to accept the report that was brought forward Committee of the Whole regarding the Feasibility Study for a Regional Meat Processing Facility and Bill C-293 as information.

CARRIED

Moved by Blake Pikowicz that this meeting be adjourned.

Time of Adjournment 11:19 a.m.

