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## **Council Notes**

Organizational Meeting October 18th, 2016

- 1. Council Boards and Committees. Council approved the new list of Council and staff representatives on various boards and committees. The 2016 list is attached.
- 2. Assessment Review Board. Councillor Boyce, Councillor Bevan and Councillor Wilkinson have been appointed to the Assessment Review Board, with their appointments to begin immediately, ending at the Organizational Meeting in October of 2017. Councillor Strang was also appointed as an alternate to the board.
- **3.** Council Meeting Schedule. Council has kept the meeting schedule the same with regular Council meetings held the first and third Tuesdays of each month at 7:30pm and Committee of the Whole meetings held the second and fourth Tuesdays of each month at 10:00am.
- 4. Library Appointment. Council has appointed Joanne Fallbacher to the Edson Public Library Board beginning immediately and ending in October of 2019. It was also pointed out that the board is still in need of three more members.
- 5. Deputy Mayor Rotation Schedule. Council has agreed to continue the current rotation for the Deputy Mayor position, with each Councillor serving for a period of 4 months in alphabetical order.
- 6. Deputy Mayor. Councillor Gomuwka has been appointed as Deputy Mayor following the first regular meeting in November 2016 to the first regular meeting in March 2017.
- 7. Legislative Responsibilities of Council. As outlined in the Municipal Government Act, the Chief Administrative Officer has ensured that Council is advised in writing of its legislative responsibilities under the Act. Council has accepted the details as information.

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