

**Minutes of the Regular Meeting of the Council of the Rural Municipality of Cana No. 214**

**Held Tuesday the 19<sup>th</sup> day of May, 2026**

**In the Municipal Office at 110-5<sup>th</sup> Avenue East, Melville, Saskatchewan**

**Present:**

Reeve - Brian Reinson  
Councillor Division 2 - Nelson Yelle  
Councillor Division 3 - Tim Chaban  
Councillor Division 4 - Darcy Gembey  
Councillor Division 5 - Tim Beres  
Councillor Division 6 - Perry Yelle  
Administrator - Kali Apps

**Absent:**

Councillor Division 1 - Scott Edlin

**Call to Order:**

A quorum being present, Reeve Brian Reinson called the meeting to order at 9:00 a .m.

**Minutes:**

**99/26 Beres:** That the minutes of the Regular Meeting of Council held April 14, 2026 be approved as presented.  
**Carried.**

**Financial Reports:**

**100/26 Chaban:** That the Statement of Financial Activities and the bank reconciliation for the month of April 2026 be accepted as presented.  
**Carried.**

**Accounts:**

**101/26 P. Yelle:** That the accounts in the amount of \$67,641.40 as indicated on the list attached hereto and forming part of these minutes be approved for payment.  
**Carried.**

**Correspondence:**

**102/26 Gembey:** That the following correspondence having been read now be filed:

a) Ministry of Government Relations	2026 Education Property Tax Mill Rates
b) Water Security Agency	WSA Program Changes for 2026-27
c) STARS	Donation Thank-You
d) AWSA	Annual General Meeting
e) Christ the Teacher RCDDS #212	2026 Mill Rates
f) S/Sgt. Burton Jones	Yorkton Detachment Monthly Occurrence Summary
g) Parkland Valley District	Annual General Meeting
h) Ministry of Highways	H24135 Project Information Sheet Revision 2

**Carried.**

**Bylaws:**

**Bylaw 2/2026 – APAS Special Tax Bylaw**

**103/26 Gembey:** That Bylaw No. 2/2026 a bylaw to authorize a special tax for the purpose of paying membership in the Agricultural Producers Association of Saskatchewan be read a first time.  
**Carried.**

**104/26 N. Yelle:** That Bylaw No. 2/2026 be read a second time.  
**Carried.**

**105/26 Beres:** That Bylaw No. 2/2026 be given three readings at this meeting.  
**Carried Unanimously.**

**106/26 Chaban:** That Bylaw No. 2/2026 a bylaw to authorize a special tax for the purpose of paying membership in the Agricultural Producers Association of Saskatchewan be read a first time.  
**Carried.**

**New Business:**Municipal Hail Withdrawals

- 107/26 N. Yelle:** That the Council for the R.M. of Cana No. 214 approve the list of applications received from the Saskatchewan Municipal Hail Insurance Association dated April 9, 2026 for withdrawal of lands from Municipal Hail Insurance.

**Carried.**2026 AWSA Well Decommissioning Campaign

- 108/26 Chaban:** That the R.M. of Cana No. 214 will participate in the 2026 well decommissioning campaign administered by the Assiniboine Watershed Stewardship Association (AWSA) in accordance with the following:

- The municipality shall be responsible for paying the contractor invoice (\$2,500.00 plus tax);
- The municipality will invoice the landowner for \$300.00 per well;
- AWSA will be the program contact and shall submit the rebate application, with the municipality as the applicant on behalf of the landowner, to the Ministry of Agriculture's Farm and Ranch Water Infrastructure Program (FRWIP) to obtain the 90% reimbursement; and
- AWSA will provide the municipality with the \$100.00 reimbursement per well.

**Carried.**Request for Dust Control

- 109/26 P. Yelle:** That the request for dust control for the following locations be approved in accordance with Dust Control Policy #300-10:

- Range Road 2062 in front of the Schmaltz residence;
- Range Road 2065 in front of the Dixon residence;
- Otthon Road in front of the Kachur residence;
- Banner Road in front of the Molnar residence;
- Fairland Road in front of the Schick residence;
- Township Road 244 in front of the Crow residence;
- Brewer Road in front of the Neibergall residence; and
- Otthon Road in front of the Hardy residence.

**Carried.**Request for Removal of Trees

- 110/26 Beres:** That the request dated April 1, 2026 to removal trees along the road allowance on the East side of Range Road 2053 along the SE 9-24-5 W2 be approved in accordance with Policy No. 300-14.

**Defeated.**Request for Removal of Trees

- 111/26 P. Yelle:** That the municipality agree to remove trees along Township Road 230 and Range Road 2042 along the N ½ of 35-22-4 W2 as an in-house project to widen the road allowance in accordance with Policy No. 300-14.

**Carried.**Approach Application

- 112/26 Gembey:** That the Approach Application received May 4, 2026 for an approach from the NW 32-23-4 W2 onto Range Road 2045 be approved in accordance with Policy #300-09.

**Carried.**Approach Application

- 113/26 Beres:** That the Approach Application dated May 12, 2026 for an approach from the SW 15-24-5 W2 onto Range Road 2053 be approved in accordance with Policy #300-09.

**Carried.**Road Maintenance Agreement – White Stone Enterprises

- 114/26 Gembey:** That the R.M. of Cana No. 214 enter into the Road Maintenance Agreement with White Stone Enterprises Ltd. Agreement 2026-01.

**Carried.**Range Road 2061

- 115/26 Beres:** That the letter dated April 21, 2026 regarding Range Road 2061 be tabled to allow all members of Council to inspect the road.

**Carried.**Strychnine Stewardship Program

- 116/26 Beres:** That the R.M. of Cana No. 214 gauge the municipality's participation in the Strychnine Stewardship Program based on the number of ratepayers who become certified under the mandatory training.

**Carried.**

Equipment/Maintenance Operator Job Description  
**117/26 P. Yelle:** That the Equipment/Maintenance Operator Job Description be adopted as presented. **Carried.**

Equipment/Maintenance Operator Applications  
**118/26 Beres:** That Administration be authorized to interview the applicants on the Equipment/Maintenance Operator Short List as presented. **Carried.**

Adjournment  
**119/26 N. Yelle:** That this meeting adjourn (10:36 a.m.) **Carried.**

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Reeve

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Administrator

R.M. of Cana No. 214  
 List of Accounts for Approval  
 as of 05/19/2026  
 Batch: 2026-00024 to 2026-00029

Cheques	Date	Vendor Name	Reference	Payment Amount
EFT	30-Apr-26	Kali Apps	April Payroll	\$5,582.19
EFT	30-Apr-26	Blair Rathgeber	April Payroll	\$4,745.32
EFT	30-Apr-26	Jo-Anne Reid	April Payroll	\$2,580.91
EFT	30-Apr-26	Grant Shyngera	April Payroll	\$4,801.57
OL	30-Apr-26	Mastercard	Reimburse	\$3,591.73
OL	30-Apr-26	MEPP	April Payable	\$4,875.54
OL	30-Apr-26	Receiver General	April Payable	\$9,087.20
OL	30-Apr-26	Sask Power/Energy	April Payable	\$958.73
OL	30-Apr-26	SaskTel	April Payable	\$342.56
OL	30-Apr-26	Xplore Inc.	Shop Internet	\$41.63
OL	30-Apr-26	Ministry of Finance	GSSD - April Collections	\$3,191.54
OL	30-Apr-26	SMHI	April Collections	\$920.64
5040	30-Apr-26	Kelly Peace	Lease Payment	\$800.00
5041	19-May-26	AWSA	2026 Membership & Drone Services	\$2,757.80
5042	19-May-26	FW Auto & Tow	Service Truck Repairs	\$2,780.55
5043	19-May-26	Grasslands News Group	Advertising	\$471.46
5044	19-May-26	Wudrich Excavating Ltd.	Snow Clearing Otthon	\$945.00
5045	19-May-26	Perry Yelle	Council Indemnity	\$817.30
5046	19-May-26	Hill Top Recreational Co-op	SPRA Grant	\$5,000.00
EFT	19-May-26	Canadian Tire	Office Supplies	\$18.86
EFT	19-May-26	Newton Landscaping & Hydr	Hydrovac Frozen Culvert	\$1,040.63
EFT	19-May-26	Ottenbreit Sanitation Servic	Otthon Garbage	\$668.85
EFT	19-May-26	RCAP Leasing	Copier Lease	\$144.58
EFT	19-May-26	Brian Reinson	Reeve Indemnity	\$2,038.00
EFT	19-May-26	SARM	Statement	\$3,912.02
EFT	19-May-26	Toshiba Business Solutions	Copier Lease April & May	\$113.51
OL	19-May-26	City of Melville	April Utilities	\$172.02
OL	19-May-26	Prairie Co-op	April Statement	\$5,241.26
<b>Total</b>				<b>\$67,641.40</b>

Certified correct this 19th day of May, 2026

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 Reeve

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 Administrator