Minutes of the Meeting of the Council for the Municipality of Alleyn and Cawood, held this <u>8th day of January 2018</u>, 10 Jondee Road, Danford Lake, Québec.

PRESENT:	Mayor	Carl Mayer	
	Councillors	Susan Tanner	Jason Emery
		Sidney Squitti	John Emery
		Mona Giroux	Becky Early

The Director General, Isabelle Cardinal, two (2) guests were also present.

1. **Opening of Meeting**

Mayor Mayer acknowledges quorum and declares the Meeting is officially opened at 7:30 P.M.

2. Approval of Agenda

001-01-18

PROPOSED BY: Councillor Jason Emery

And, resolved unanimously that the Agenda be approved.

Adopted

3. Approval of the Minutes

Regular meeting held December 4th, 2017

002-01-18

PROPOSED BY: Councillor Squitti

And, resolved unanimously that the December 4th, 2017 minutes be approved with modifications.

Adopted

Special meeting held December 4th, 2017 003-01-18

PROPOSED BY: Councillor Squitti

And, resolved unanimously that the December 19th, 2017 minutes be approved with modifications.

Adopted

Business arising from Minutes

4. QUESTION PERIOD

5. ADMINISTRATION

MRC Report by Mayor

The Preliminary meeting and the Mayors' meeting are all in one day. The Mayors' meeting is now starting at 6:00pm to facilitate ratepayers to attend

The Mayor and Director General had their annual meeting with our Provincial MP André Fortin:

- Internet: There are still projects from the area to be announced in January

- Public land: We explained the issue of the Municipality in regards to Public Land; 50% of our Municipality is Public Land and we are not getting a lot of money from the government to compensate for the lost in tax revenues. We would like to acquire some of that land to sell to have more rate payers.
- Roads: Every year we inform our MP that road maintenance is our biggest expense. We would like more grant money. Also, we explained that Copeland-Evans is a detour road and we would need to investment a lot of money in order for the road to be up to MTQ standards.

Summer Grant

004-01-18

PROPOSED BY: Councillor Jason Emery

And, resolved unanimously that the Municipality authorize the Director General to present an application to the 2018 Summer Student Grant for 2 students.

Adopted

Winter Worker

005-01-18

PROPOSED BY: Councillor Tanner

And, resolved unanimously that the Municipality present an application for a winter worker to help seniors in the community with shoveling and other related tasks.

Adopted

Donation – Beaudoin Family

006-01-18

PROPOSED BY: Councillor Tanner

And, resolved unanimously that the Municipality donates \$500 to the Beaudoin family.

Adopted

6. FINANCE

Accounts paid for the month of December \$77,356.56 007-01-18

PROPOSED BY: Councillor Jason Emery

And, resolved unanimously that the list of accounts paid for the month of December 2017 in the amount of \$77,356.56 be approved.

Adopted

Accounts payable for the month of January \$7,231.62 008-01-18

PROPOSED BY: Councillor John Emery

And, resolved unanimously that the list of accounts payable for the month of January 2018, in the amount of \$7,231.62 be approved as presented.

Adopted

Petty Cash for the month of December \$58.30

009-01-18

PROPOSED BY: Councillor Squitti

And, resolved unanimously that the list of petty cash for December 2017, in the amount of \$58.30 be approved as presented.

Adopted

7. **PUBLIC SECURITY / FIRE / COTTAGE ASSOCIATIONS** *Councillor Jason Emery*

8. RECREATION

Councillor Squitti & Early Carnival is on January 27th, there will be breakfast in the morning, magician show, sleigh ride and dog sleigh.

9. ROADS / VEHICLE MAINTENANCE & MUNICIPAL EQUIPMENT

Councillors Jason Emery & John Emery

- 10. **SENIORS / CHURCHES / HALL COMMITTEE** *Councillor Tanner*
- MT O`BRIEN ASSOCIATION *Councillor Giroux* There is a meeting on Sunday January 14th.

12. INFRASTRUCTURE

- 13. **VOLUNTEER AND COMMUNICATIONS** *Councillor Early*
- 14. ENVIRONMENT Councillor John Emery
- 15. LIBRARY / YOUTH Councillor Tanner
- 16. **ADMINISTRATION / FINANCE** *Councillors Squitti & Giroux*
- 17. **PLANNING ADVISORY COMMITTEE** *Councillor Squitti*
- 18. NEW BUSINESS
- 19. CORRESPONDANCE
- 20. **QUESTION PERIOD**

21. MISCELLANEOUS

The SQ God mother of the Municipality, Anais Fortin-Cozzens, came to introduce herself to the new Council. There was a conversation regarding the speeding on route 301. The Director General will be getting a quote for a speed indicator.

22. ADJOURNMENT 010-01-18

PROPOSED BY: Councillor John Emery And, resolved unanimously that the meeting be adjourned at 8:10p.m.

Adopted

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Carl Mayer, Mayor

Isabelle Cardinal, Director General & Secretary-Treasurer