



Rural Municipality of Roland

Meeting Minutes

August 4, 2021 - Special - 03:00 PM

Minutes of the special meeting of the Council of the Rural Municipality of Roland held by communication facility in Roland, Manitoba, at 3:00 p.m., Wednesday, August 4, 2021

PRESENT:

Councillors Jodi Gaultier
Carrie Hennan
Jason McIntosh
John Fox
CAO Kristin Olson

202108sm-01 **1. MEETING CALLED TO ORDER**

Councillor Fox
Councillor McIntosh

RESOLVED THAT Council accept the agenda of the special meeting, as presented.

Carried

202108sm-02 **2. DROUGHT STATE OF EMERGENCY**

Councillor Gaultier
Councillor Hennan

WHEREAS data from the Manitoba Government identifies southern Manitoba being in a D3- Extreme Drought (a 20-50 year event),
AND WHEREAS the Stephenfield Lake and the Red River have had significant reductions in level and flow over the past month,
AND WHEREAS Pembina Valley Water Cooperative has requested the 14 municipal owners to declare a Municipal Drought State of Emergency,
AND WHEREAS a Drought State of Emergency is defined as a regionally coordinated "all in it together" effort to manage the existing water shortage, whereby a signal is given to the Province of Manitoba of the seriousness of the situation, and the requirement for resource and funding support,
AND WHEREAS the PVWC Drought Committee has met and recommends declaring a Drought State of Emergency,

THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED THAT the Rural Municipality of Roland declares at Drought State of Emergency.

Carried

202108sm-03 **3. ADJOURNMENT**

Councillor Hennan
Councillor McIntosh

RESOLVED THAT Council do now adjourn at 3:23pm.

Carried

Michael Pfrimmer, Reeve

Kristin Olson, Chief Administrative Officer