

**RURAL MUNICIPALITY OF ABRAM-VILLAGE  
COUNCIL MEETING MINUTES  
November 20, 2019**

**Present:** Roger Gallant, Ann Arsenault, Roger Arsenault, Colette Gallant,  
Paul Gallant, Yolande Gallant, Phil LeBlanc

**Also Present:** Pierre Arsenault, Administrator

**1. Called to Order**

The Chairperson called the meeting to order at 7:01pm.

**2. Approval of Agenda**

It was moved by Yolande Gallant and seconded by Roger Arsenault that the agenda be accepted as presented. **Motion Carried.**

**3. Approval of Minutes**

It was moved by Roger Arsenault and seconded by Phil LeBlanc that the Minutes of October 23, 2019 and November 14, 2019 be accepted as presented. **Motion Carried.**

**4. Follow-up to Minutes**

**a) Beautification**

Roger Gallant reported that he was advised it would be best to remove the gates at the Park for the winter so as to not damage them from snow being pushed against them.

**b) Sidewalk Crosswalk**

Nothing new to report.

**5. Financial Update**

Nothing extraordinary to report.

**6. New Business / Other**

**a) Sewer Utility Update**

Roger Gallant reported that there should be some improvement work done at a couple of locations on Route 11.

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**b) Club 50 Hall Rental**

Roger Gallant reported that the Club 50 organization were considering to stop holding weekly dances in the hall next year, as they were struggling with good attendance. There was also no new interest in the community for holding dart tournaments, aside from a small number of players from last year who are to start playing on Monday nights again. The only other bookings in the near future are for family events to be held during the Christmas season.

**c) Dynamic Controls AI Automation**

Roger Gallant reported that he received a call from *Dynamic Controls*, a new company in Slemon Park, offering AI Automation services.

**d) Other**

Roger Gallant reported that there was a new house being built that would be connected to the Sewer Utility for next year. It is located outside the incorporated boundaries on Route 11. There are also a couple other possible additions outside the community boundaries to come.

Roger Gallant reported that *Gillis Heating* came to clean the Club 50 heat pumps, and they fixed a motor bearing that was noisy.

Roger Gallant reported that the province put a “No Trespassing” sign on the unsightly property to be demolished. It is on a list of around 70 properties the province is looking to demolish.

Phil LeBlanc reported that there might be a copyright issue to re-do the figures at the *Evangeline School* and *Evangeline Rink* rather than having them re-painted. If a different company was used to create new ones, the designs should therefore be changed.

**7. Correspondence**

**a) Minister of Fisheries & Communities**

A letter dated October 23<sup>rd</sup> was received from the Minister of Fisheries & Communities, Jamie Fox, regarding the new *Municipal Government Act*. He reported he was tasked to finish implementing it, but was open to hearing any concerns and suggestions from municipalities to ensure a smooth transition.

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**b) FPEIM Shoreline Project Sites**

An E-Mail was received on November 12<sup>th</sup> regarding a site visit of PEI shorelines on December 2<sup>nd</sup> to study coastal erosion.

**8. Next Meeting**

Next meeting is to be held Wednesday January 15<sup>th</sup>, 2020 at 7:00pm.

**9. Adjournment**

Meeting adjourned at 7:35pm.

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Roger Gallant, Mayor

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Pierre Arsenault, Administrator

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