

**SPECIAL MEETING OF THE COUNCIL OF THE VILLAGE OF NEVILLE  
HELD IN THE VILLAGE OFFICE ON MARCH 27, 2024**

**PRESENT:** Mayor Nora McLearn, Councilor Mary Ferris, Councilor Jenny Cote, Village Clerk Cindy Berry, Administrator Sandra Krushelniski, and Administrative Assistant Wyatt Courtney

**CALL TO ORDER:** Mayor Nora McLearn called the Special Meeting of Council to order at 7:46 p.m.

**71/24** *Addition to Agenda*

Cote: That Council approves adding SUMA Governance and Audit report.

**CARRIED UNANIMOUSLY**

**72/24** *2023 Audit*

McLearn: That Council approves the 2023 Audit as presented.

**CARRIED**

*SUMA Governance*

Council discussed voting intentions for SUMA proposed Governance changes and gave direction to the voting delegate.

**73/24** *Mill Rate*

Cote: That the mill rate for 2024 will be increased to 10 mills.

**CARRIED**

**74/24** *Mill Rate Factor*

Ferris: That the Mill Rate Factor for Agricultural land remains at 1.2 for 2024.

**CARRIED**

**75/24** *Bylaw 4-2024*

McLearn: That Bylaw No. 4-2024, being a Bylaw to Establish Mill Rate Factors, be introduced and read a first time.

**CARRIED**

**76/24** *Bylaw 4-2024*

Ferris: That Bylaw No. 4-2024, being a Bylaw to Establish Mill Rate Factors, be read a second time.

**CARRIED**

**77/24** *Bylaw 4-2024*

Cote: That Bylaw No. 4-2024 be given third reading at this meeting.

**CARRIED UNANIMOUSLY**

**78/24** *Bylaw 4-2024*

Ferris: That Bylaw No. 4-2024, being a Bylaw to Establish Mill Rate Factors, be read a third time and adopted.

**CARRIED**

**79/24** *Base Tax*

McLearn: That the base tax for 2023 will be as follows:

1. Residential Property Class  
Land Fronting Un-Improved Right-of-Way - \$50.00  
Land Fronting Improved Right-of-Way - \$400.00  
Improvements - \$600.00
  
2. Commercial and Elevator Property Class  
Land Fronting Un-Improved Right-of-Way - \$50.00  
Land Fronting Improved Right-of-Way - \$400.00  
Improvements - \$600.00
  
3. Agricultural Property Class  
Land - \$200.00

**CARRIED**

**80/24** *Bylaw 5-2024*

Cote: That Bylaw No. 5-2024, being a Bylaw to Provide for a Base Tax, be introduced and read a first time.

**CARRIED**

**81/24** *Bylaw 5-2024*

Ferris: That Bylaw No. 5-2024, being a Bylaw to Provide for a Base Tax, be read a second time.

**CARRIED**

**82/24** *Bylaw 5-2024*

Cote: That Bylaw No. 5-2024 be given third reading at this meeting.

**CARRIED UNANIMOUSLY**

**83/24** *Bylaw 5-2024*

Ferris: That Bylaw No. 5-2024, being a Bylaw to Provide for a Base Tax, be read a third time and adopted.

**CARRIED**

**84/24** *2024 Budget*

Cote: That the 2024 budget be approved.

**CARRIED**

ADJOURNMENT: Mayor McLearn declared the meeting adjourned at 8:28 pm.

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Mayor

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Clerk