

**Town of Drumheller**  
**SPECIAL COUNCIL MEETING MINUTES**  
**August 19, 2010 at 8:00 AM**  
**Council Chamber, Town Hall**  
703-2nd Ave. West, Drumheller, Alberta



**PRESENT:**

MAYOR:	Bryce Nimmo
COUNCIL:	Andrew Berdahl
	Karen Bertamini
	Blaine McDonald
	Don Guidolin
	Sharel Shoff
	Terry Yemen

DIRECTOR OF CORPORATE SERVICES:	Michael Roy
DIRECTOR OF COMMUNITY SERVICES:	Paul Salvatore
RECORDING SECRETARY:	Linda Handy
<b>ABSENT:</b>	
CHIEF ADMINISTRATIVE OFFICER/ENGINEER:	Ray Romanetz
DIRECTOR OF INFRASTRUCTURE SERVICE:	Allan Kendrick

**1.0 CALL TO ORDER**

Mayor Nimmo called the meeting to order at 8:02 AM.

**1.1 Bylaw 18.10, Nomination Deposit Bylaw**

**MO2010.131** Bertamini Shoff for third reading of Bylaw 18.10.

Discussion on Motion:

Mayor Bryce Nimmo clarified that the Town has not collected the nomination fee in past years. Councillor K. Bertamini disagreed stating that she recalls having to pay a fee in past years. Councillor D. Guidolin stated that this was not the case. Councillor S. Shoff asked for the purpose of the bylaw. M. Roy explained that under the Local Authorities

Elections Act, Section 29 allows for the setting of a nomination deposit fee, as is the practice with the majority of municipalities. Councillors Bertamini, McDonald, Berdahl and Guidolin agreed that the timing was inappropriate with it being close to an election. Councillor Yemen stated that the rationale for the bylaw to eliminate those candidates who might not be serious is unwarranted. Councillor A. Berdahl agreed, stating that the previous election had a good caliber of candidates.

Vote on Motion:

In Favour - Bertamini, Nimmo

Opposed - Yemen, McDonald, Shoff, Berdahl, Guidolin

Defeated.

## **2.0 IN-CAMERA MATTERS**

## **3.0 ADJOURNMENT**

There being no further business, the Mayor declared the meeting adjourned at 8:20 AM.

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MAYOR

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CHIEF ADMINISTRATIVE OFFICER