The minutes of the regular meeting of Dawson Township Council held on Wednesday November 4th, 2026 at 7 pm in the Municipal Office.

PRESENT Mayor D Hartnell. Councillors: B Langner, C Larocque & B Sands. Clerk-Treasurer: P W Giles. Road Supt R Asselin. Visitors: C Krahn & R Sinninghe

MINUTES **#26-80** SANDS & LAROCQUE & CARRIED that the minutes of the Court of Revision of the Rempel Municipal Drainage Works Improvement 2026 and the regular meeting of Council held on October 7th, 2026, be approved as printed.

ACCOUNTS #**26-81** LANGNER & KEMPF & CARRIED that the accounts in the amount of $127,117.11 and representing the disbursements for the month of October be approved for payment**.**

BY-LAW 502 **#26-82** LANGNER & KEMPF & CARRIED that By-law No 502, being the Spohn Municipal Drain Extension, 2026 Cost Amending By-law, be enacted.

BY-LAW 503 **#26-83** LANGER & SANDS & CARRIED that By-law No 503, being the Branch 5 Assessment Amending By-law, be enacted.

BY-LAW 504 **#26-84** SANDS & LAROCQUE & CARRIED that By-law 504, being the Drain C Engebretsen Drain Abandonment By-law, be enacted.

OTHER The Rd Supt. reported on the repairs to the plow truck, drain brushing, beaver dam removal, installation of winter plow equipment, and quote received of crushing gravel in the Blue Pit. Council will consider for next year. Winter sand is being stock piled. The Clerk-Treasurer reported on: the next fire board meeting, the balance of taxes outstanding, municipal election results, landfill study is expected by the end of November, receipt of OMPF funding of $116,400, NORDS grant of $161036.26, the filing of library operating & pay equity report, 2027 OPP increasing from $101,128 to $112,252, and work is being done on the Community Risk Assessment. Council is awaiting contractor price for wayside park improvements for 2027. An enquiry is to be made to the recycling contractor to clarify if recycling bins can be provided to residents to help collect recyclables. Upcoming emergency measures training and exercise to be held on December 10th in Rainy River. The ratepayers on Drain C of the Engebretsen Drain had requested to abandon the drain, See By-law 503. Mayor Hartnell reported on upcoming NOMA meeting and recent RRDMA executive meeting. Councillor Langner gave an update on DRRSB matters. Mayor Hartnell thanked the existing Councillors on their dedicated community service and wished them the best in the future.

ADJOURN **#26-85** LANGNER & KEMPF & CARRIED that the meeting be adjourned at 8:03 p.m.

_____ Mayor _____Clerk