



**Village Office Hours**  
**Tuesday & Wednesday 8:30 AM - 4:00 PM**

Payments can be made in person at the Village office, online, per e-transfer, per cheque per mail, or use the 24 hour drop box at the Village Office.

128 Main St. Box 60      Heisler, AB T0B 2A0  
 Phone (780) 889-3774      Fax (780) 889-2280

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\*If you are wanting to post an ad in the newsletter please make sure you are submitting the ad **BEFORE** the newsletter deadline\*

**March Newsletter**

Newsletter Deadline

**February 22, 2024**

Reach every  
 resident of our fine  
 village and beyond by  
 advertising in the  
 Heisler Newsletter!  
 It's FREE!

## Dog Tag Fees Are Now Overdue

Dog owners are required to pay yearly for their dog tags. The purpose of dog tags are so if your beloved dog gets out and is lost the village can properly identify the dog and who the owners are so they can be returned safely. If your pet is found without an identification tag it will be brought to the Sedgewick Vet Clinic and the owner will be subject to a fine as Dog Control Bylaw #468-12

**Dog tag fees are due by January 31st, 2024**

Payment can be made by cash, cheque or  
 E-transfer to [administration@villageofheisler.ca](mailto:administration@villageofheisler.ca)

Regular Dog Fee: \$15.00 per dog  
 +  
 Late Fee: \$15.00 per dog



**FEBRUARY**  
*february*

**2024**



**These are some of the HIGHLIGHTS from the January 25, 2024**

**Regular Council Meeting**

- Moved by Mayor Martz that Village of Heisler Council discusses and approves the December 20, 2023 proposed Flagstaff Regional Emergency Services Society (FRESS) 2024 - 2026 Operating Budget with a total 2024 requisition amount of \$1,040,000.00 for all municipalities as presented.
- Moved by Councilor Rohe that Heisler Council makes a motion to accept the CCBF-2597 Grant approval for Stormwater Drainage for Manning Ave between Main Street and Sifton Street in the amount of \$46,000 as information
- Moved by Deputy Mayor Stewart that Heisler Council makes a motion to accept the 2024 Employer Premium Rate increased from \$1.92 to \$2.33 (5% discount already included) as information.
- Moved by Mayor Martz that Council makes a motion that Deputy Mayor Stewart will register for the 'Engagement on Improving Police Governance in Alberta' online session in February 2024.

**The next regular council meeting: February 22nd, 2024 at 7:00 p.m.**

**Citizens are encouraged to attend.**

If you have a concern that you would like addressed by council and wish to make a presentation, please contact the Village Office at least one week prior to the meeting to fill out a delegation form.

**Our Website:** [www.villageofheisler.ca](http://www.villageofheisler.ca)

Approved December 2024 Minutes

VILLAGE OF HEISLER REGULAR COUNCIL MEETING MINUTES HELD IN THE COUNCIL CHAMBERS AT THE HEISLER VILLAGE OFFICE  
 December 19, 2023 @ 7:00P.M. PRESENT: Mayor Brandon Martz, Deputy Mayor Mike Stewart, Councilor Beverly Rohe & Chief Administrative Officer Heidi Rohe  
**GUEST/RESIDENT:** 1 Guest  
**CALL TO ORDER:** Mayor Martz called the meeting to order at 7:05 p.m.  
**ADOPTION OF AGENDA**  
 Motion 23-12-274: Moved by Deputy Mayor Stewart to adopt the agenda including additions as presented.  
 Addition: 12.6 Multi-Year Capital Plan, 12.17 HCCA and AG Society Power+, 12.18 Flagstaff County NRED Support Letter **CARRIED**  
**MINUTES:**  
 Motion 23-12-275: Moved by Councilor Rohe to adopt the November 23, 2023 regular council meeting minutes as presented. **CARRIED**  
 Motion 23-12-276: Moved by Councilor Rohe to adopt the November 28, 2023 special council meeting minutes as presented. **CARRIED**  
**PUBLIC HEARING: NONE**  
 Bylaw 547-23 Water, Sewer and Waste  
 Motion 23-12-277: Moved by Councilor Rohe that Heisler Council gives first reading to Bylaw #547-23 Water, Sewer and Waste. **CARRIED**  
 Motion 23-12-278: Moved by Mayor Martz that Heisler Council gives second reading to Bylaw #547-23 Water, Sewer and Waste. **CARRIED**  
 Motion 23-12-279: Moved by Deputy Mayor Stewart that Heisler Council gives unanimous consent to proceed to third and final reading of Bylaw #547-23 Water, Sewer and Waste. **CARRIED UNANIMOUSLY**  
 Motion 23-12-280: Moved by Mayor Martz that Heisler Council gives third and final reading to Bylaw #547-23 Water, Sewer and Waste. **CARRIED**  
**Policies: NONE**  
**Old BUSINESS:**  
 Resident Issue with Harassment, Racist Comments at Council Meeting and Impersonating as Village Staff  
 Motion 23-12-281: Moved by Mayor Martz that Council discusses the matter and passes a resolution to rescind motion 23-11-251 from November 23, 2023 regular council meeting. **CARRIED**  
 Motion 23-12-282: Moved by Councilor Rohe that Council makes a motion to advise CAO to get in contact with AB OHS regarding resident bullying and harassing village staff and council. **CARRIED**  
**New BUSINESS: NONE**

**Councilor Reports**

Motion 23-12-283: Moved by Deputy Mayor Stewart that Heisler Council accepts as presented Councilor Rohe FRHG and FCSS verbal report and PW Foreman report. **CARRIED**

**CAO Report and Action List**

Motion 23-12-284: Moved by Deputy Mayor Stewart that Heisler Council accepts the November 2023 written CAO Report and the action list from the November 23, 2023 regular council meeting. **CARRIED**

**FINANCIALS**

Motion 23-12-285: Moved by Deputy Mayor Stewart that Council accepts the November 2023 item #12.1 Financial Statements, item 12.1.1, item #12.2 Cheque Listing, item #12.3 and item #12.4 and MUSH Savings Account and item# 12.5 Master Card as presented. **CARRIED**

**Unbudgeted Expense – Town of Daysland Water/Sewer Coverage**

Motion 23-12-286: Moved by Councilor Rohe that Heisler Council makes a motion to pay the Town of Daysland for the water and sewer coverage invoice for November 2023 in the amount of \$507.00 from general reserves. **CARRIED**

**Update MSI Grant Allocation and Availability**

Motion 23-12-287: Moved by Deputy Mayor Stewart that Heisler Village Council accepts CAO's financial Municipal Sustainability Program update as information. **CARRIED**

**CAO - Meeting & Travel Expenses**

Motion 23-12-288: Moved by Mayor Martz that Heisler Council instructs the CAO to pay CAO travel expenses for February 2 to December 7, 2023 the amount of \$202.40. **CARRIED**

**Councilor - Meeting & Travel Expenses**

Motion 23-12-289: Moved by Mayor Martz that Heisler Council instructs the CAO to pay Councilor Beverly Rohe meeting & travel expenses for August 24 to December 19, 2023 in the amount of \$684.00. **CARRIED**

**Mayor Martz - Meeting & Travel Expenses**

Motion 23-12-290: Moved by Deputy Mayor Stewart that Heisler Council instructs the CAO to pay Mayor Martz meeting & travel expenses for July 20-December 20, 2023 in the amount of \$1,412.90. **CARRIED**

**Deputy Mayor - Meeting & Travel Expenses**

Motion 23-12-291: Moved by Mayor Martz that Heisler Council instructs the CAO to pay Deputy Mayor Mike Stewart meeting & travel expenses for August 24 – December 19, 2023 in the amount of \$400.00. **CARRIED**

**2022 CCBF Allocation Payment**

Motion 23-12-292: Moved by Councilor Rohe that Council makes a motion to accept the November 23, 2023 CCBF Grant allocation payment for 2022 in the amount of \$50,000 as information. **CARRIED**

**FRHG 2024 Lodge Requisition**

Motion 23-12-293: Moved by Deputy Mayor Stewart that Heisler Village Council approves the 2024 Lodge requisition of \$1,435 for senior's housing from Flagstaff Regional Housing Group, as presented. **CARRIED**

**Unbudgeted Expense – Chlorine**

Motion 23-12-294: Moved by Councilor Rohe that Heisler Council makes a motion to pay the unbudgeted chlorine expenses in the amount of \$739.26 from general reserves. **CARRIED**

**2024 Capital Budget**

Motion 23-12-295: Moved by Mayor Martz that Council passes a resolution to adopt the 2024 Village of Heisler Capital Budget as presented and Select Engineering Consultants' recommendations from December 16, 2023 as information. **CARRIED**

**Multi-Year Capital Plan 2024-2028**

Motion 23-12-296: Moved by Deputy Mayor Stewart that Heisler Village Council passes a resolution to adopt a Multi-Year-Capital Plan 2024-2028 as presented. **CARRIED**

**HCCA and AG Society Power+**

Motion 23-12-297: Moved by Mayor Martz that Council makes a motion to approve that the Agricultural Society and the Heisler Community Centre rejoin/remain under the Village of Heisler umbrella for the Power+ agreement. **CARRIED**

**Flagstaff County – NRED Support Letter**

Motion 23-12-298: Moved by Councilor Rohe that Council makes a motion to approve a letter of support for Flagstaff County grant application for the Northern and Regional Economic Development Program to further develop the Flagstaff Business Support Hub. **CARRIED**

**CORRESPONDENCE:**

Motion 23-12-299: Moved by Councilor Rohe that Heisler Council accepts the Correspondence items number:

**13.1** Parkland Regional Library – Email 2024 Budget Approval, **13.2** Parkland Regional Library – November 16, 2023 PRLS Board Talk, **13.3** Parkland Regional Library – November 16, 2023 PRLS Meeting Minutes, **13.4** Flagstaff's Informed Response Sharing Team – Letter 26th Dinner and Auction, **13.5** Town of Killam – Letter FFCS 2024 Budget, **13.6** Village of Alliance – Letter 2024 FFCS Budget, **13.7** Town of Daysland – Letter 2024 FFCS Budget, **13.8** Flagstaff Regional Emergency Services Society – Letter Appeal Process for Fire Invoices, **13.9** Flagstaff County – Letter FRESS 2024 Budget **13.10** Town of Daysland – Letter 2024 FRSWM Budget, **13.11** Town of Sedgewick – Letter 2024 FRSWM Budget, **13.12** Town of Killam – Letter 2024 FRSWM Budget, **13.13** Flagstaff County – Letter 2024 FRSWM Budget, **13.14** Flagstaff Waste – November 27, 2023 Organizational Meeting Minutes, **13.15** Flagstaff Waste – November 27, 2023 Meeting Minutes, **13.16** FFCS – December 5, 2023 Interagency Minutes, **13.17** Flagstaff Regional Housing Group – October 3, 2023 Meeting Minutes

**CARRIED****CONFIDENTIAL:**

Motion 23-12-300: Moved by Mayor Martz to move into closed session to discuss issues related to Freedom of Information and Protection of Privacy Act Section 19 and 18 at 8:08 p.m. **CARRIED**

Motion 23-12-301 Moved by Mayor Martz to move out of closed session and return to regular meeting at 8:09 p.m. **CARRIED**

**Confidential Items 14.1, 14.1.1**

Motion 23-12-302: Moved by Deputy Mayor Stewart that Council accepts the confidential items 14.1, 14.1.1 as information. **CARRIED**

Date for next Regular Council Meeting: January 25, 2024 @ 7:00 p.m.

ADJOURNMENT: As all items on the agenda were discussed, Mayor Martz adjourned the meeting at 8:32 p.m.



## THE PLAY THAT GOES WRONG



**SHAKE OFF WINTER - SUNDAY MATINEE**

### Let's get together

We're hosting a new event, and we'd love to see you there. Join us for Shake Off Winter Train Excursion - Sunday Matinee, March 17, 2024 at 12:00 PM to Curtain Call Theatre's production of The Play that Goes Wrong.

Register soon because space is limited.  
We hope you're able to join us!

**Sunday, March 17, 2024 12:00 p.m.**

Shake Off Winter Train Excursion - Sunday Matinee

Visit the Battle River Train Excursions website to

purchase tickets

## HEISLER FAMILY DAY

Monday, February 19, 2024

11 am to 3 pm



**HEISLER RECREATION CENTRE**

Come and join in the fun!

**FREE BOWLING, ARCHERY, FACE  
PAINTING, BALLOON ANIMALS,  
AND GAMES**

**CONCESSION AVAILABLE**

**Sponsored by the Heisler Agricultural Society**



We would like to Welcome back  
Cal Macahonic as the new  
Public Works Foreman! We are  
happy to have you here.



**Welcome**  
*Glad you're here!*

The Village would also like to  
Welcome Patrick Clark as the  
new Public Works Assistant.



Thank you to Jeff from  
Atco for helping install  
and remove the Villages  
Christmas lights this year

## JOIN THE FRESS VOLUNTEER FIRE DEPARTMENT!

If you are 18 years of age, and would like to be a Volunteer firefighter

Please call: Fire Chief **Shawn Badry**—780-679-7015 -or  
Deputy Fire Chief **Matt Badry** 780-781-1934 or Deputy Fire Chief **Dennis Meyer** 780-385-1231

The FRESS Fire Department is always recruiting  
for more Volunteer Firefighters.

Everyone is welcome to come to a meeting and  
see what they are all about!  
For meeting times and dates contact Shawn, Matt, or Dennis  
at the above numbers.

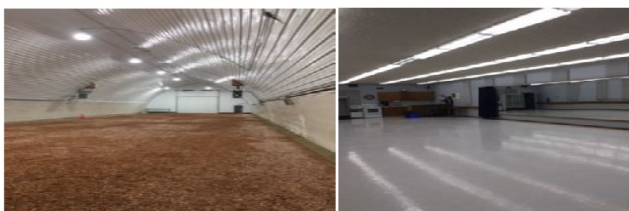


### Contacts for Emergencies & Non-Emergencies

ANY Emergency	911
Heisler Fire Department	911
Killam RCMP (non-emergency)	(780) 385-3502
Ankerton Gas (24 hours a day)	(780) 373-3773
ATCO Electric (Residential Outages)	1-800-668-5506



## HEISLER AG SOCIETY SPACE FOR RENT



CONTACT MARGARET: 780-889-2190 or REC CENTRE 780-889-2262

Two great spaces available to rent in the Heisler Rec Center.

Heated, Fans, Shale Floor, Power, Picnic Tables.

Bring your outdoor party inside!

Walking, Ball, Soccer, Archery, Family Reunions, Auctions

**Come, join the  
Heisler Community  
Association.  
Become a board member.  
You can help make a  
difference in our community.  
Now is the time.**

Contact a member for more information: Mickey Heisler,  
Wanda Hihn, Lorn Schulte, Janice Badry, Brian Sunderman,  
James Zimmer, Lorie Zimmer, Kevin Zimmer or Martha  
Zimmer.



For Hairstyling with Leann  
Call 780-678-6696

For Hairstyling with Patty call  
780-608-5104



For Massage or Lashes with Hailey  
call 780-781-0415

For Massage with Shelby  
Call 780-781-0756

**Heisler Winter Bowling League**  
**2023-2024**

**Ladies:** Tuesdays –starts - **Oct. 10**

**Seniors:** Friday –starts - **Oct. 13**  
Contact: Margaret: 780-889-2190

**Mixed:** Monday & Wednesday (evening) Starts - **Oct. 30**  
Contact: Al: 780-385-6213

Bowling (reg. & neon), renting backroom or other rooms for parties or meetings. Phone Margaret 780-889-2190 or 780-889-2262

**The Village would like to send a HUGE Thank You out to Sheldon Steil and Joe Martz, for volunteering to run the grader this season! We appreciate all the help.**



**Thomas Rohe**

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Heisler, AB  
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aluweldingandabove@gmail.com

**Our Services**

- Aluminum Welding
- Stainless Steel Welding
- Mild Steel Welding
- Mobile Service
- Handyman Service and above

**Heisler Seniors Friendship Club**

Coffee every morning 7am to 9am

Social Afternoon 1st and 3rd Friday of the month starting at 1pm

Movie nights 2nd Wednesday evening at 7pm

Potluck supper and meeting 4th Thursday of the month at 5pm

We would like to invite you to come and join us. Also, join us as we enjoy fellowship and Coffee after the service and prayer meetings.

We look forward to seeing you there!

**Killam Baptist Church**  
**4802-50 Street**  
**Killam, AB**

Sunday School  
Sunday's starting at 9:45am

Worship Service  
Sunday's starting at 10:55am

Prayer Meeting  
Thursday's at 9am

**Forestburg Community**  
**Baptist Church**  
**4802-47 Avenue**  
**Forestburg, AB**

Worship Service  
Sunday's starting at 9am

Prayer Meeting  
Thursday's at 1:30pm

**For more information connect with us at (780) 385-3607**  
**Or email at kbc01@live.ca**

## Providence Place Daysland, AB

At Providence Place, we promote independence, socialization, and an active lifestyle amongst our residents, while providing a safe, caring, compassionate environment. We value each individual's contributions to our community, and our highly trained, caring and compassionate care partners are dedicated to providing each individual with a high level of personalized care and support.

We follow the Eden Model of Seniors Care, and provide our residents with the opportunity to maintain an active, independent lifestyle, while taking away the burden of home maintenance and yard work. Live independently, with the freedom to whatever you wish!

We have 1 & 2 Bedroom Independent Suites Available—Rental or life lease. With Heath Care Aides in the building 24hrs/day. We offer 3 fresh, home cooked meals a day that we prepare on site in our own kitchen. Providence place provides both independent supportive living (ISL) and Designated Supportive living (DSL) options for our residents. The applications process is determined by which style of living best fits your needs

Visitors are encouraged and welcome and no longer need to wear a mask in our community.

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**SATURDAY APRIL 13<sup>TH</sup>, 2024**

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**St. Martin's Parish Heisler**

Join us in worship every  
Thursday at 9am and  
Saturday evening's at 7pm

All are welcome!



## **Your Library Newsletter**



Open every Wednesday 9 - 5    Closed 12 - 1  
FEBRUARY, 2024



**HOW TO REACH US:** at [heislerlibrary@prl.ab.ca](mailto:heislerlibrary@prl.ab.ca) or visit our website at [www.heislerlibrary.prl.ab.ca](http://www.heislerlibrary.prl.ab.ca). Phone 780-889-3925.

**There will be more new books placed on our shelves throughout 2024. Come in on Wednesday and check out a stack of books with your FREE library membership. Sign up if you don't already have a membership.**



It's called **reading**.  
It's how people install new software into their brains.

The Heisler Library is governed by trustees appointed by your village council. The library staff are Dixie and Liza. Board members are: Delijah Antaloczy, Danielle Wolbeck, Gwen Wild, Andy Stephen, Carmen Stephen, Whitney Badry and Beverly Rohe (our village representative). Library meetings are held 4 times per year and open to the public. If you see these volunteers thank them for all they do for the library.



GO **books** Valentine's Day books for kids and teens

