## Highlights June 14, 2016 Council Meeting

**2016 Property Taxes** – Notices were mailed out on May 16<sup>th</sup>. If you do not receive your notice, contact Carolyn at 645-3301, ext 215 to ensure that we have your correct mailing address on file. **The County Office will be open during the lunch hour from May 24<sup>th</sup> to July 4<sup>th</sup> to accommodate ratepayers during property tax season.** 

Receipts will no longer be issued for payments made through online banking. If you require a receipt for your records, contact the County office and it will be mailed to you. If you are making your tax payment through on-line banking, a separate payment is required for each tax roll number. Please ensure you are paying the correct amount from the tax notice as overpayments on accounts will not be refunded automatically.

**Fundraising Opportunity for Non Profit Organizations** – We are looking for a group to assist with clean up after the rodeo performances. The group will work with another group selected by the Town of St. Paul and will receive a \$1250 honorarium from the St. Paul Ag Society. The group who cleans after the rodeo performances this year will then work the rodeo supper in 2017 and receive *all* the proceeds from the supper (\$2700 to \$3300). If you are interested in this fundraiser or would like more information, contact Phyllis at 780-645-3301, ext. 203.

**Planning and Development** – Council gave second and third reading to Bylaw No. 2016-12 to amend the Land Use Bylaw as it relates to rezoning 10 acres in the N ½ NW 7-58-8-W4 from Agricultural to Country Residential One (CR1). Council also gave second and third readings to Bylaw No. 2015-15 to close 420 metres of road allowance between SE 6-60-11-W4 and NE 31-59-11-W4.

**Spring Cleanup** – The pilot project ran from May 16 – 27 and was very successful. County crews travelled through the Hamlets of Ashmont and Mallaig and Floatingstone and Crestview subdivisions picking up the items that were left out by the road. Council will review this program to determine which areas will be targeted next spring.

## **Funding Support:**

- \$6,720 Riverland Recreational Trail Society
- \$500 each Regional High School and Mallaig School for Provincial Track & Field

For more information contact Sheila Kitz, CAO, County of St. Paul At 780-645-3301, ext 208