

**TOWN OF CRESTON**  
**SPECIAL REGULAR COMMITTEE OF THE WHOLE MEETING MINUTES**  
**June 14, 2016**

Minutes of a Special Regular Committee of the Whole Meeting of Council held on Tuesday, June 14, 2016 at 3:00 p.m. in the Town of Creston Council Chambers, 238 - 10th Avenue, North.

**PRESENT:** Mayor Ron Toyota  
Councillors Boehmer, Comer, Elford, Snopek, Unruh, Wilson

**ALSO PRESENT:** Lou Varela, Town Manager  
Steffan Klassen, Director of Finance & Corporate Services  
Michael Moore, Fire Chief  
Jarel Riel, Assistant Fire Chief  
Bev Caldwell, Executive Assistant

**CALL TO ORDER:** Mayor Toyota called the meeting to order at 3:00 p.m.

**ADOPTION OF AGENDA** Moved by Councillor Unruh, seconded by Councillor Snopek  
THAT the agenda for the Committee of the Whole meeting of June 14, 2016, be adopted. CARRIED

**COUNCIL COMMITTEE** **RECOMMENDATION NO. 1:**  
▶ **PERMISSIVE TAX EXEMPTION** THAT Ltr #374 from the Director of Finance and Corporate Services, regarding the Permissive Tax Exemption process, be received; THAT staff is directed to draft a Permissive Tax Exemption Bylaw for the Town of Creston, for the term 2017 to 2019 (three year); AND FURTHER, THAT Councillors Comer and Unruh be appointed to review the permissive tax exemption applications for 2017 – 2019 and bring forward a recommendation to Council regarding the 2017 – 2019 permissive tax exemption applications, with total exemptions not to exceed 1.5% of 2016 taxation based on 2016 assessed values.

**ADJOURN** The Special Regular Committee of the Whole Meeting held June 14, 2016, adjourned at 3:33 p.m.

AS TO THE MINUTES OF THIS COMMITTEE OF THE WHOLE MEETING:

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Mayor Ron Toyota

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Bev Caldwell, Executive Assistant