

The following are the minutes of the **2025 Interlake District Meeting**, which took place on Wednesday, June 11, 2025 at Oakpoint Community Hall, Sutherland, MB. The 2025 Interlake District Meeting was hosted by the RM of St. Laurent.

**9:30 am Meeting called to order**

**Welcome Remarks** Interlake Director Kelly Cook

**O Canada** Ellyanna Christensen

**Greetings** AMM President Kathy Valentino  
Vice-President Brad Saluk  
Vice-President Scott Phillips

**Host Welcome Remarks** Reeve Richard Chartrand, RM of St. Laurent

**MINUTES OF 2024 INTERLAKE DISTRICT MEETING**

***BE IT HEREBY RESOLVED that the minutes of the 2024 Interlake District Meeting be adopted***

- Moved by Reeve Wes Taplin, RM of Rockwood
- Seconded by Councillor Carl Fleury, RM of Woodlands

**CARRIED**

**ELECTION of DISTRICT RESOLUTIONS COMMITTEE CHAIR 2025/2026**

- Councillor Curtis McClintock, RM of Rockwood nominated Reeve Wes Taplin, RM of Rockwood

**MOTION TO CLOSE NOMINATIONS FOR DISTRICT RESOLUTIONS COMMITTEE CHAIR 2025/2026**

- Moved by CAO Devan McCoubrey, RM of Grahamdale
- Seconded by Reeve Virgil Johnson, RM of Coldwell

**CARRIED**

**CONFIRMATION OF DISTRICT RESOLUTIONS COMMITTEE CHAIR 2025/2026**

- Reeve Wes Taplin, RM of Rockwood was acclaimed to serve as Interlake Resolutions Committee Chair

**MUNICIPAL DISCUSSION**

- Discussions with Hon. Glen Simard, Minister of Municipal and Northern Relations and AMM President Kathy Valentino moderated by AMM Vice-President Brad Saluk /Scott Phillips.

**WESTERN FINANCIAL GROUP – AMM GENERAL INSURANCE PROGRAM**

- Discussion with Jordan Lontajo, WFG Employee Benefits Program Manager and AMM Executive Director Denys Volkov.

**CANOE PROCUREMENT GROUP OF CANADA**

- Ainsley Murdock, Client Relations Manager, presented Canoe information, new programs and suppliers, reports, supplier opt-in and member engagement.

## MANITOBA MUNICIPAL and NORTHERN RELATIONS

- ADM Kevin McPike led Code of Conduct - Engagement Session

## SPEECHES from DISTRICT DIRECTOR NOMINEES

- Kelly Cook, Councillor, City of Selkirk
- Angela Emms, Councillor, RM of Rosser
- Delmer Nott, Reeve, RM of St. François Xavier
- Sandra Smith, Mayor, Town of Stonewall

## OTHER BUSINESS

- 2025 Service Awards Presentation
- Call for future Interlake District Meeting Host
  - 2026 – Town of Winnipeg Beach
  - 2027 – RM of Rockwood

## Q&A WITH AMM EXECUTIVE

## RESOLUTION UPDATE PRESENTATION

- AMM Director of Policy and Communications Nick Krawetz provided resolutions update and outlined current advocacy efforts.

## RESOLUTIONS DEBATE and VOTING

*Resolutions moved by Reeve Wes Taplin Cindy, Resolutions Committee Chair.*

NO.	SECONDER	STATUS	CATEGORY
3001-2025	Reeve Garry Wasylowski, RM of Armstrong	CARRIED	1
3002-2025	Mayor Sandra Smith, Town of Stonewall	CARRIED	1
3003-2025	Reeve Garry Wasylowski, RM of Armstrong	CARRIED	1
3004-2025	Councillor Curtis McClintock, RM of Rockwood	CARRIED	1

## ELECTION OF DISTRICT DIRECTORS and RESULT

1<sup>st</sup> ballot

Total Ballots – 75

Total Votes Cast – 134

Total Spoiled Ballots – 0

- Councillor Kelly Cook, City of Selkirk – 18
- Councillor Angela Emms, RM of Rosser – **50**
- Reeve Delmer Nott, RM of St. François-Xavier – **38**
- Mayor Sandra Smith, Town of Stonewall – 28

**Councillor Angela Emms, RM of Rosser and Reeve Delmer Nott, RM of St. François-Xavier were elected to serve as Interlake District Directors.**

## MOTION TO DESTROY BALLOTS

- Moved by Councillor Jean Gendron, Town of Winnipeg Beach
- Seconded by Mayor Peter Dueck, Town of Arborg

**Closing Remarks**

**1:45 pm**

**Meeting Adjourned**