



TO: Mayor and Council

FROM: Anna Lazar – Acting Clerk

DATE: May 19, 2021

RE: **Official approval to Legion for hanging Remembrance Day banners**

ISSUE:

Providing the Wadena Royal Canadian Legion with an official Council resolution for approval of hanging the Remembrance Day banners.

BACKGROUND:

Bonnie Wallin attended the April 26, 2021 Committee of the Whole meeting to present an idea from the Legion to hang up Remembrance Day banners. Administration failed to bring back the report to the May 3, 2021 Regular Council meeting for an official resolution allowing the Legion to do so.

ALTERNATIVES:

Council has already said yes to this, but we need an official resolution.

FINANCIAL IMPLICATIONS:

There are no financial implications at this time. The Legion has a donation that would cover the cost of installation and removal.

ANALYSIS:

The Wadena Royal Canadian Legion Branch # 62 in conjunction with the Farmers and Friends Fundraising group are wanting to install Veteran Recognition Banners in the Town of Wadena. The purpose of the previous request was to meet with Council to discuss the use of the light posts along Highway 35 and Highway 5 within the limits of the Town of Wadena.

ADMINISTRATIVE RECOMMENDATION(S):

“THAT Council allow the Wadena Royal Canadian Legion Branch #62 to hang their Remembrance Day banners within the Town of Wadena. FUTHERMORE, that administration and operations be authorized to work with the Legion to continue for this to happen for years to come.”

ATTACHMENT(S):

Wadena Legion letter – from previous meeting.
