

# **Town of Wadena**

2020 Strategic Plan Results Report (Public)



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#### TOWN OF WADENA STRATEGIC PLAN 2020

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### INTRODUCTION

This document represents the results of the Town of Wadena strategic planning session held on November 18<sup>th</sup>, 2020 at Community Hall in Wadena, Saskatchewan.

The following Council members and staff participated in the session:

- Mayor Sara Sobchyshyn
- © Councillor Jordan Theisen
- © Councillor Marcus Elphinstone
- Councillor Samantha Fehr
- Councillor Travis Fogg
- Councillor Ashley Kolach
- Councillor Alison Squires
- CAO Jennifer Taylor

The session was facilitated by Dean Yaremchuk and Larry Lang, Senior Partners, HMC Management Inc.

#### **TOWN OF WADENA VISION 2024**

"Wadena provides a full range of opportunities and sustainable municipal services that are the foundation for overall community growth."

## **COUNCIL MISSION STATEMENT 2020**

"The purpose of Wadena Town Council is to make evidence-based decisions on the provision of municipal programs and services to meet the needs of our citizens."

#### **COUNCIL VALUES**

The following represents what Council believes to be the pillars of their decision-making processes.

Financial Accountability	Dedicated to being transparent and a good steward of public funds and resources and we will strive to attain value for public funds.
Healthy Lifestyles/Quality of Life	In supporting and promoting the importance of healthy living, we are dedicated to providing healthy recreational and cultural opportunities for the residents and visitors.
Safe Community/Safe Operations	We are dedicated to a safe community and safe operations that provide an environment where people feel safe, secure, and at home.

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Sustainable Growth and Innovation	Guided by planning and policies, we will create economic opportunities to attract people and businesses to develop and grow in a healthy manner and embrace best practices and innovative approaches to continuously improve all of our systems and process.
Transparency, accountability and integrity	We operate in an open, accountable and transparent manner that is open to the public, consistent with legislation, and respectful of the privacy of individuals in an honest, caring and fair manner.
Environmental Responsibility	We will seek a balance between economic growth and environment and will respect for the environment, ensure compliance with environmental rules and seek to minimize environmental impacts of our actions.

# **MILESTONES**

Milestone	Supports Vision/Mission
Water / Sewer Main assessment.	
Consider efficiencies in equipment use - snowblower. Backhoe and internal operations (operators/training).	
Consider Fleet Management System.	
Need 5-year capital budget more realistic and based on more realistic planning.	
Revise the Official Community Plan.	
Develop a Town emergency plan.	
Review/revise mutual aid agreements.	
RFP Hall - Determine Cost of Operations (some historical data required).	
Ensure that Committees are accountable through reporting to Council and following bylaws and Terms of Reference and where no Terms of Reference exist have them developed and approved by Council.	
Stabilize the organization after a year of change and previous years of issues.	