

# Town of Lamont January 28, 2025 Regular Meeting of Council

PRESENT:

Jody Foulds

Mayor

Perry Koroluk

**Deputy Mayor** 

Dave Taylor Linda Sieker Councillor

Al Harvey

Councillor

Colleen Holowaychuk

Councillor

Tyler Edworthy

Councillor

Dawn Nielsen

CAO/Director, Operations & Infrastructure

Robert Mu

Deputy Chief Administrative Officer Finance Officer

Jaclyn Ponto-Lloyd

**Recording Secretary** 

### **CALL TO ORDER AND RELATED BUSINESS:**

Call to Order: Mayor Foulds: called the meeting to order at 7:00 p.m.

**Adoption of Agenda** 

MOTION: 20/25 Councillor Sieker: That the Council Agenda be accepted as presented.

**CARRIED** 

**Declaration of Pecuniary Interest:** None.

# **ADOPTION OF MINUTES:**

a) Meeting Minutes –January 14, 2025

MOTION: 21/25 <u>Councillor Holowaychuk:</u> That the Minutes of the January 14, 2025 Council Meeting be accepted as presented.

### CARRIED

### **DELEGATIONS:**

Lamont County Emergency Services – Regional Fire Chief Bo Moore

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MOTION: 22/25 Councillor Taylor: That Regional Fire Chief Bo Moore be accepted as a delegation.

### **CARRIED**

#### **CORRESPONDENCE:**

- EIPS Alberta Rural Education Symposium
- Nominations for Alberta's Highest Honour
- AAPG Draft Program Schedule

**MOTION: 23/25** <u>Councillor Harvey:</u> That Council participate in the EIPS Alberta Rural Education Symposium with two members with expenses paid as per policy.

### **CARRIED**

**MOTION: 24/25** <u>Councillor Holowaychuk:</u> That Council accept the correspondence as information.

### CARRIED

#### **NEW BUSINESS:**

# Fort Saskatchewan & District Chamber Trade Show

**MOTION: 25/25** <u>Councillor Taylor:</u> That Council accept the Fort Saskatchewan & District Chamber Trade Show update as information.

#### **CARRIED**

# Appointment of Returning Officer & Substitute Returning Officer

MOTION: 26/25 <u>Councillor Holowaychuk:</u> That Council appoint Betty Malica, to act as Returning Officer and Dawn Nielsen to act as Substitute Returning Officer for the 2025 Municipal Election.

# **CARRIED**

### Bylaw 02/25, Elections

MOTION: 27/25 Councillor Harvey: That Council give first reading to Bylaw 02/25, Elections.

#### CARRIED

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MOTION: 28/25 Councillor Koroluk: That Council give second reading to Bylaw 02/25, Elections.

#### CARRIED

MOTION: 29/25 <u>Councillor Taylor:</u> That Council give unanimous consent to proceed to third reading of Bylaw 02/25, Elections.

### **UNANIMOUSLY CARRIED**

MOTION: 30/25 Councillor Sieker: That Council give third reading to Bylaw 02/25, Elections.

### **CARRIED**

# Intermunicipal Collaboration Framework and Intermunicipal Development Plan Extension

MOTION: 31/25 <u>Councillor Holowaychuk:</u> That Council direct administration to exercise the Intermunicipal Collaboration Framework Amendment agreement.

### CARRIED

# **2025 Affordable Housing**

MOTION: 32/25 Councillor Taylor: That Council under Section 362(2) of the Municipal Government Act (MGA) direct Administration to make properties identified under Section 1(a) of the Alberta Housing Act "affordable housing accommodation" subject to municipal taxation and include in the authorized rates of taxation to be levied and presented to Council as part of the 2025 Taxation Bylaw.

## CARRIED

### 2025 Capital Works Program

MOTION: 33/25 Councillor Harvey: That Council approve the 2025 Capital Works Funding Request of \$36,600.00 as presented.

### **CARRIED**

# **Governance & Priorities 2025 3-Year Operational Priorities**

MOTION: 34/25 <u>Councillor Sieker:</u> That Council call a Governance & Priorities Committee Meeting on March 13, 2025, and if required March 18, 2025, at 6:30 p.m. to discuss the 2025 and 3-Year 2026 through 2028 operational priorities and budget impacts.

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# **CAO/Council Covenant**

**MOTION: 35/25** <u>Councillor Taylor:</u> That Council accept the CAO/Council Covenant update as information.

### **CARRIED**

# **REPORTS:**

# **Council Reports:**

Mayor Foulds Nothing to report.

Councillor Taylor Written report attached.

Councillor Harvey Nothing to report.

Councillor Koroluk Nothing to report.

Councillor Sieker Written report attached. Attended the RhPAP Meeting on

January 28.

Councillor Holowaychuk Written report attached.

# **Staff Reports:**

CAO Written report attached.

Director, Operations & Infrastructure Written report attached.

Written report attached.

Written report attached.

**Finance Officer** Written report attached. **Bylaw Enforcement** Written report attached.

MOTION: 36/25 Councillor Koroluk: That Council accept the reports as presented.

CARRIED



### **NOTICES OF MOTION:**

### **Camera Coverage**

MOTION: 37/25 <u>Councillor Harvey</u>: That Council direct Administration to bring the Camera Coverage Notice of Motion back to the February 11, 2025 Council Meeting.

### CARRIED

### **CLOSED SESSION:**

- Personnel
  - FOIP Section 17 Disclosure Harmful to Personal Privacy

MOTION: 38/25 <u>Councillor Sieker</u>: That Council convene in closed session pursuant to Section 197 of the *Municipal Government Act* to meet in private to discuss matters protected from disclosure by Section 17 of the *Freedom of Information and Protection of Privacy Act* at 7:50 p.m.

### **CARRIED**

**MOTION: 39/25** <u>Councillor Taylor:</u> That Council revert to regular Council meeting session at 7:56 p.m.

### **CARRIED**

### MOTIONS ARISING FROM CLOSED SESSION:

MOTION: 40/25 <u>Councillor Koroluk:</u> That Council accept Dave Taylor's resignation from the Town of Lamont Council.

#### **CARRIED**

**ADJOURNMENT:** Mayor Foulds adjourned the meeting at 7:59 p.m.

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Chief Administrative Officer