

REGULAR COUNCIL MEETING MINUTES

MONDAY JUNE 22, 2026 @ 6:00 PM

COUNCIL CHAMBERS #400 – 10 ST. BEAVERLODGE, ALBERTA

COUNCIL Mayor Gary Rycroft Deputy Mayor Judy Kokotilo-Bekkerus
Councillor Trevor Bartsch Councillor Hugh Graw
Councillor Jen Wolan Councillor Tyke Longmore
Councillor Richard Lappenbush

STAFF Jeff Johnston, CAO Tina Letendre, Deputy CAO
Nichole Young, Legislative Services

1.0 **CALL TO ORDER:** Mayor Gary Rycroft called the meeting to order. **6:00 PM**

2.0 **LAND ACKNOWLEDGMENT:**

As long as the sun shines, grass grows and the rivers flow – we acknowledge the homeland of the many diverse First Nation and Métis people whose ancestors have walked this land. We are grateful to live, learn and work on the traditional territory of Treaty 8 and we make this acknowledgement as an act of reconciliation and gratitude.

3.0 **ADOPTION OF AGENDA:**

#155-2026-06-22 Councillor Richard Lappenbush

CARRIED: That Council adopts the agenda with the addition of the following items;
New Business - 7.5 Chetwynd Donation and 7.6 2026 AUMA Convention September 23-25.

4.0 **ADOPTION OF MINUTES:**

4.1 June 8, 2026 – Regular Council Meeting Minutes

#156-2026-06-22 Councillor Richard Lappenbush

CARRIED: That Council adopts the Minutes of the June 8, 2026 Council meeting.

5.0 **DELEGATIONS:**

5.1 Derek Patten & Ernie Beart – Beaverlodge Elks Club Soap Box Derby

#157-2026-06-22 Councillor Hugh Graw

CARRIED: That Council accepts this presentation for information.



5.2 Maskwa Medical Center Project Update – Chairman of the Board Ken Drysdale, Dan Steinke & Amy Pavlis

#158-2026-06-22 Deputy Mayor Judy Kokotilo-Bekkerus

CARRIED: That Council accepts this presentation for information.

6.0 OLD BUSINESS:

7.0 NEW BUSINESS:

7.1 ATCO Gas Franchise Agreement Bylaw #1042

#159-2026-06-22 Councillor Jen Wolan

CARRIED: That Council gives a 1st reading of the ATCO Gas Franchise Agreement Bylaw #1042.

7.2 Beaverlodge Elks Soap Box Derby Request

#160-2026-06-22 Councillor Hugh Graw

CARRIED: That Council directs Administration to work with the Elks on their request.

7.3 Maskwa Medical Center Request

No further action taken.

7.4 Meeting Request with Honourable Dan Williams – Minister of Municipal Affairs

#161-2026-06-22 Councillor Trevor Bartsch

CARRIED: That Council accepts this for information.

7.5 Chetwynd Donation

#162-2026-06-22 Councillor Hugh Graw

CARRIED: That Council graciously accepts the gift of a chainsaw carving for the Town from the District of Chetwynd.

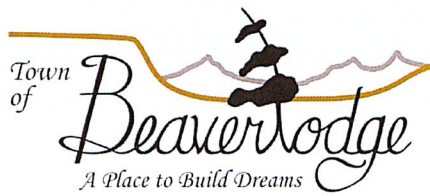
#163-2026-06-22 Councillor Hugh Graw

CARRIED: That Council directs Administration to find a suitable location for the carving.

7.6 2026 AUMA Convention September 23-25, 2026

#164-2026-06-22 Councillor Jen Wolan

CARRIED: That Council accepts this for information.



8.0 CORRESPONDENCE:

8.1 Bylaw Report – May 2026

#165-2026-06-22 Deputy Mayor Judy Kokotilo-Bekkerus

CARRIED: That Council accepts this for information.

9.0 COMMITTEE & STAFF REPORTS:

9.1 Action List

#166-2026-06-22 Councillor Hugh Graw

CARRIED: That Council accepts the Action Item List for information.

9.2 Staff Reports

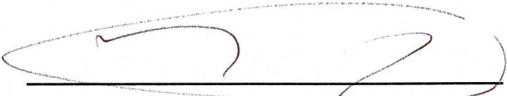
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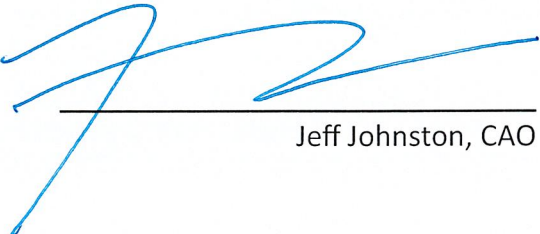
CARRIED: That Council accepts the Staff Reports for information.

10.0 CLOSED SESSION:

11.0 ADJOURNMENT: Mayor Gary Rycroft adjourned the meeting.

6:54 PM



Mayor Gary Rycroft

Jeff Johnston, CAO