SPECIAL COUNCIL MEETING MINUTES
HELD THURSDAY OCTOBER 15, 2026 AT 6:00 PM
COUNCIL CHAMBERS, 400-10 ST, BEAVERLODGE

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 - absent
		Nichole Young, Legislative Services - absent

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

2.0 **LAND ACKNOWLEDGEMENT:**

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**

#008-2026-10-15 Councillor Jen Wolan
CARRIED: That the agenda be adopted as presented.

4.0 **DELEGATION:**

5.0 **OLD BUSINESS:**

6.0 **NEW BUSINESS:**

9.0 CLOSED SESSION:

#009-2026-10-15 Deputy Mayor Judy Kokotilo-Bekkerus **6:01 PM**
CARRIED: That Council moves into Closed Session for item 9.1 Personnel – Confidential Evaluations – CAO (*Access to Information act Part 1 Division 2 Section 22*)

#010-2026-10-15 Councillor Trevor Bartsch **7:03 PM**
CARRIED: That Council moves out of Closed Session.

#011-2026-10-15 Councillor Tyke Longmore
CARRIED: That Council directs Administration to proceed as discussed.

10.0 ADJOURNMENT Mayor Gary Rycroft adjourned the Special Council Meeting. **7:13 PM**

Mayor Gary Rycroft

Deputy Mayor Judy Kokotilo-Bekkerus