

# **Parkland County**

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## **Meeting Agenda**

## Council

Mayor Rod Shaigec
Deputy Mayor Sally Kucher Johnson
Council Member Jason Doucette
Council Member Ben Jespersen
Council Member Corey Kyle
Council Member Kristine Olson
Council Member John McNab

Tuesday, December 9, 2025

9:00 AM

**Council Chambers** 

#### **VISION**

Parkland County: gifted by nature, inspired by innovation, powerfully connected, and home to opportunity.

- 1. CALL TO ORDER (MAYOR)
- . CELEBRATING SUCCESSES
- . INSPIRATIONAL REFLECTION (Doucette)
- 2. ADOPTION OF AGENDA (MAYOR)
- 3. ADOPTION OF MINUTES (MAYOR)
- 3.1 MIN 25-034 Adoption of the Meeting Minutes for meetings of Council held between September 3, 2025 and November 4, 2025

## **Proposed Motion**

That the following Council Meeting Minutes be adopted, as presented:

September 3, 2025 - Special Council Meeting

September 4, 2025 - Special Council Meeting

September 9, 2025 - Council Meeting

October 28, 2025 - Organizational Meeting

November 4, 2025 - Special Council Meeting

**Sponsors:** Shaiged

Attachments: 1. September 3, 2025-Unadopted-Special Council Meeting Minutes

2. September 4, 2025-Unadopted-Special Council Meeting Minutes

3. September 9, 2025-Unadopted-Council Meeting Minutes

4. October 28, 2025-Unadopted-Organizational Meeting Minutes

5. November 4, 2025-Unadopted-Special Council Meeting Minutes

#### 4. DELEGATIONS

**4.1** App 25-082 9:05 a.m. - Public Input (10 minutes)

Sponsors: Shaigec

4.2 App 25-085 9:45 a.m. Appointment - Tri Leisure Centre Energy Reduction Project

## **Proposed Motions**

- 1. That Council receive this update for information.
- 2. That Council approve the addition of grant funds in the amount of \$235,313 to fund the Boiler Replacement at the Tri Leisure Centre.
- 3. That Council approve Parkland County's role as the sponsor municipality for this project.
- 4. That Council approve the use of the Tri Leisure Centre Restricted Reserve up to \$250,000 to fund the percentage of the project not covered by the grant of \$235,300.

Sponsors: Swain

<u>Attachments:</u> 1. Tri Leisure Centre Energy Reduction Project Presentation

**4.3** App 25-086

10:00 a.m. Appointment - Grant Funding for Energy Reduction Projects at County Facilities

#### **Proposed Motions**

- 1. That the grant funding for energy reduction projects at County facilities update be accepted for information, as presented.
- 2. That up to \$152,514 be added to the Agriculture and Environment Services 2026 Budget funded as follows:
  - a. Provincial Community Energy Conservation Program \$114,714
  - b. Provincial Strategic Energy Management for Industry Program \$30,300
  - c. Fortis Save Energy Grant \$7,500

**Sponsors:** Swain

<u>Attachments:</u> 1. Administrative Report - Grant Funding for Energy Reduction Projects at Coun

2. Presentation - Grant Funding for Energy Reduction Projects to County Faciliti

4.4 App 25-087 10:30 a.m. Appointment - Parkland County 2026 Operating and Capital Budget

#### **Proposed Motions**

- 1. That Council approve the 2026 Operating Program Budget containing \$29,459,600 in revenues; \$107,780,800 in expenditures; a municipal tax requirement of \$78,351,200.
- 2. That Council approve the 2026 Operating Project Budget containing \$4,560,000 in revenues; \$5,374,000 in expenditures; a municipal tax requirement of \$814,000.
- 3. That Council approve the 2026 Capital Budget containing \$44,062,200 in revenues; \$48,077,200 in expenditures; a municipal tax requirement of \$4,015,000.
- 4. That Council approve the projects spanning more than one year in duration as per the attached 2026 Multi-Year Project Summary.
- 5. That Council approve the 2026 Statement of Operations.
- 6. That Council approve projects not completed in 2025 year be added to the 2026 budget after the accounting close for the fiscal year.
- 7. That Council direct administration to present the 2026 Tax Rate Bylaw in April 2026.

Sponsors: Dyck

Attachments: 1. 2026 Municipal Budget By Type

2. 2026 Capital Budget by Infrastruction Class

3. 2026 Capital Multi-Year Total List

4. 2026 Statement of Operations

- 5. BUSINESS ARISING
- 6. NEW BUSINESS

## A. <u>Mayor and Council Member Matters</u>

**6.A.1** RFD 25-216 The Evergreens Foundation

#### **Proposed Motion**

That Council direct Administration to cease all activity related to the withdrawal from the Evergreens Foundation.

Sponsors: McNab

## B. Legislative Matters

## 6.B.1 RFD 25-220 2025 Board and Committee Public Member Appointments

#### **Proposed Motion**

That Council approve the appointment of public members to Parkland County Boards and Committees as set out below, for terms commencing January 1, 2026.

Parkland County Library Board Cheryl Budzinski - 3-year term\* Cheryl Dawes - 2-year term

Community Sustainability Committee Hailee Mann - 2-year term

Subdivision and Development Appeal Board Marlene Chambers - 3-year term\* Corinne Lamoureux - 3-year term\* Lesley Foy - 3-year term\*

\* = Incumbent

Sponsors: Dyck

<u>Attachments:</u> 1. Policy C-AD26 Public Committee Members

- 2. Bylaw 2023-09 Parkland County Municipal Library Board
- 3. Bylaw 2016-22 Parkland County Committee Bylaw
- 4. Community Sustainability Terms of Reference Revised June 11, 2024
- 5. Bylaw 2018-26 Subdivision and Development Appeal Board Bylaw
- 6. Bylaw 2022-08 Amending Subdivision and Development Appeal Board Byla
- 7. Bylaw 2023-01- Amending Subdivision and Development Appeal Board Bylav

# **6.B.2** Bylaw 2025-30 - Rescinding Bylaw 2022-08-Amending Subdivision and Development Appeal Board Bylaw 2018-26

#### **Proposed Motions**

- 1. That Bylaw 2025-30 receive first reading.
- 2. That Bylaw 2025-30 receive second reading.
- 3. That Bylaw 2025-30 be presented at this meeting for third reading.
- 4. That Bylaw 2025-30 receive third and final reading.

Sponsors: Dyck

Attachments: 1. Bylaw 2025-30 - Rescinding Bylaw 2022-08 - Amending Subdivision and Dev

- 2. Bylaw 2018-26 Subdivision and Development Appeal Bylaw
- 3. Bylaw 2022-08 Amending Subdivision and Development Appeal Bylaw 2018
- 4. Bylaw 2023-01 Amending Subdivision and Development Appeal Bylaw 2018

## C. Chief Administrative Officer

## D. <u>Chief Operating Officer</u>

## **6.D.1** RFD 25-234 Senior's Property Tax Assistance Options

## **Proposed Motion**

That Council directs administration to proceed with promoting the Seniors Property Tax Deferral Program available through the province.

Sponsors: Dyck

Attachments: 1. Options for Senior's in Parkland County

## E. Operation Services

**6.E.1** RFD 25-223 Funding Request - BF 07409 (RR32, north of Duffield)

#### **Proposed Motion**

That Council approve \$150,000 to complete design work for BF 07409, funded from Long Term Sustainability Restricted Surplus.

Sponsors: Dyck

Attachments: 1. BF 07409 Location

## F. Community & Development Services

6.F.1 RFD 25-222 Capital Funding Request - Fire Water Tanker Replacement Fire District 1

#### **Proposed Motion**

That Council approve \$250,000 in additional funding from the Lifecycle Restricted Surplus Account for the replacement of a fire water tanker truck.

Sponsors: Dyck

#### 7. COMMUNICATIONS

**7.1** COM 25-092 Proclamation - January 2026

#### **Proposed Motion**

That the following proclamation for January 2026 be received for information:

Family Literacy Day

Sponsors: Shaigec

Attachments: 1. January Proclamations

#### 7.2 COM 25-088 Rural Municipalities of Alberta Newsletter Update

#### **Proposed Motion**

That the Rural Municipalities of Alberta newsletter be received for information, as presented.

Sponsors: Shaigec

Attachments: 1. Rural Municipalities of Alberta

## 7.3 COM 25-089 Federation of Canadian Municipalities Update

#### **Proposed Motion**

That the Federation of Canadian Municipalities update be received for information, as presented.

Sponsors: Shaigec

**<u>Attachments:</u>** 1. Federation of Canadian Municipalities

## 7.4 COM 25-090 Mayor's Report

#### **Proposed Motion**

That the Mayor's Report be received for information, as presented.

Sponsors: Shaigec

#### 7.5 COM 25-091 Committee Reports

#### **Proposed Motion**

That the Committee Reports be received for information, as presented.

Sponsors: Shaigec

#### 8. CLOSED SESSION

## 8.1 RFD 25-225 Closed Session

#### **Proposed Motion**

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 Sections 26 and 29 of the Access to Information Act.

Sponsors: Shaigec

## 8.2 PRE 25-108 Economic Growth Regional Update

ATIA Section 26 - Disclosure harmful to intergovernmental relations

ATIA Section 29 - Advice from Officials

Sponsors: Dyck

#### 8.3 RFD 25-226 Regular Session

#### **Proposed Motion**

That Council revert to the regular meeting session.

Sponsors: Shaigec

## 9. BUSINESS ARISING FROM CLOSED SESSION

## 10. CLOSED SESSION

10.1 RFD 25-237 Closed Session

### **Proposed Motion**

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 Sections 20 and 29 of the Access to Information Act.

Sponsors: Shaigec

10.2 PRE 25-126 Whistleblower Policy C-HR30 - Third Party Administrator Appointment

ATIA Section 20 - Disclosure harmful to personal privacy

ATIA Section 29 - Advice from officials

Sponsors: Swain

10.3 RFD 25-238 Regular Session

## **Proposed Motion**

That Council revert to the regular meeting session.

Sponsors: Shaigec

## 11. BUSINESS ARISING FROM CLOSED SESSION

## 12. CLOSE OF MEETING