

REGULAR MEETING OF COUNCIL - HELD OCTOBER 28, 2025

Regular Meeting of the Council of the County of Barrhead No. 11 held October 28, 2025, was called to order by Reeve Munck at 12:27 p.m.

PRESENT

Reeve Erik Munck
Deputy Reeve Walter Preugschas
Councillor Ray Crisler
Councillor Bill Chapman
Councillor Lorrie Jespersen
Councillor Chais Ellwein
Councillor Tyson Bergsma

STAFF

Debbie Oyarzun, County Manager	Ken Hove, Director of Infrastructure
Pam Dodds, Executive Assistant	Travis Wierenga, Public Works Manager
Shae Guy, Community Peace Officer	Tamara Molzahn, Director of Corporate Services

ATTENDEES

Town and Country Newspaper – Barry Kerton

APPROVAL OF AGENDA

2025-343 Moved by Councillor Bergsma that the agenda be approved as presented.

Carried Unanimously.

MINUTES OF REGULAR MEETING HELD OCTOBER 7, 2025

2025-344 Moved by Deputy Reeve Preugschas that the minutes of the Regular Meeting of Council held October 7, 2025, be approved as circulated.

Carried Unanimously.

OFFER TO PURCHASE – PT. SW 15-58-2-W5 (10 ACRES)

2025-345 Moved by Councillor Bergsma that Council accepts the offer of \$121,000 plus gst provided by Sunnyside Realty on behalf of their client for the sale of the 10-acre parcel within Pt. SW 15-58-2-W5 and directs the CAO to proceed with the sale in accordance with the MGA and Policy AD-008 Tax Recovery Process.

Carried Unanimously.

COUNTY MANAGER REPORT

Debbie Oyarzun, County Manager, reviewed the 2025 Resolution Tracking List and provided the following updates to Council:

- Requiring update of signing authorities for County of Barrhead
- Rescheduling October 30, 2025 Committee of the Whole meeting

2025-346 Moved by Councillor Jespersen that Council reschedules the October 30 Committee of the Whole meeting to November 7.

Carried Unanimously.

2025-347 Moved by Councillor Bergsma that the County Manager’s report be received for information.

Carried Unanimously.

Shae Guy joined the meeting at 1:14 p.m.

Ken Hove and Travis Wierenga joined the meeting at 1:23 p.m.

ORIGINAL SIGNED – E. MUNCK

Reeve

ORIGINAL SIGNED – D. OYARZUN

County Manager

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ENFORCEMENT SERVICES REPORT

Shae Guy, Community Peace Officer (CPO), reviewed the Enforcement Services 2025 Summer Report and answered questions from Council.

- 2025-348 Moved by Councillor Ellwein that Council accepts the CPO Enforcement Services 2025 Summer Report for information.

Carried Unanimously.

Shae Guy departed the meeting at 1:56 p.m.

Tamara Molzahn joined the meeting at 2:09 p.m.

Councillor Chapman left the meeting at 2:36 p.m.

Deputy Reeve Preugschas left the meeting at 2:38 p.m. and rejoined at 2:39 p.m.

PUBLIC WORKS REPORT

Ken Hove, Director of Infrastructure, and Travis Wierenga, Public Works Manager, reviewed the written report for Public Works & Utilities and answered questions from Council.

- 2025-349 Moved by Councillor Crisler that the report from Public Works be received for information.

Carried 6-0.

Ken Hove and Travis Wierenga departed the meeting at 2:17 p.m.

Councillor Chapman rejoined the meeting at 2:41 p.m.

PROPERTY TAXES – REQUEST TO CANCEL PENALTIES - ROLL # 150047008

- 2025-350 Moved by Councillor Bergsma that Council deny the request for cancellation of penalties in the amount of \$448.01 in whole on tax roll 150047008.

Carried Unanimously.

Tamara Molzahn departed the meeting at 2:49 p.m.

COUNCILLOR REPORTS

Councillor Preugschas reported on his attendance at the ASB meeting, Barrhead Attraction & Retention committee event, and volunteer activities associated with Northwest of 16 Regional Tourism Association and the Barrhead & District Historical Society (Museum).

Reeve Munck, Councillor Crisler, Councillor Chapman, Councillor Jespersen, Councillor Ellwein, and Councillor Bergsma had nothing to report as newly elected officials.

INFORMATION ITEMS

- 2025-351 Moved by Councillor Jespersen that Council accepts the following items for information:

- RMA Welcome - New Councillor Letter Signed – dated October 21, 2025
- Misty Ridge Meeting Minutes – August 20, 2025

Carried Unanimously.

ADJOURNMENT

- 2025-352 Moved by Councillor Bergsma that the meeting adjourns at 3:00 p.m.

Carried Unanimously.

ORIGINAL SIGNED – E. MUNCK

Reeve

ORIGINAL SIGNED – D. OYARZUN

County Manager