

# TOWN OF DRUMHELLER COMMITTEE OF THE WHOLE MEETING

## **MINUTES**

TIME & DATE: 4:30 PM - Monday, March 10, 2025

LOCATION: Council Chambers, 224 Centre Street, via Teams platform and

Live Stream on Drumheller Valley YouTube Channel.

### IN ATTENDANCE:

Mayor Heather Colberg
Deputy Mayor Patrick Kolafa
Councillor Stephanie Price
Councillor Tony Lacher
Councillor Crystal Sereda (regrets)
Councillor Tom Zariski
Councillor Lisa Hansen-Zacharuk (regrets – on leave)

Chief Administrative Officer: Darryl Drohomerski
Assistant Chief Administrative Officer: Esther Quiambao
Dir. of Corporate & Community Services: Victoria Chan
Dir. of Infrastructure: Jared Brounstein (regrets)
Dir. of Emergency & Protective Services: Greg Peters
Communications Officer: Erica Crocker
Reality Bytes IT: David Vidal (regrets)
Recording Secretary: Angela Keibel

## 1. CALL TO ORDER

Mayor Colberg called the meeting to order at 4:30 p.m.

## OPENING COMMENTS

Councillor Lacher thanked everyone who attended the Public Information Open House last Wednesday. There were approximately 350 attendees, which is the Town's highest-attended open house to date. He congratulated everyone on a successful event and thanked the Town's for organizing the event.

Councillor Price announced the Badlands Community Facility (BCF) is partnering with Amber Dawn Wellness to host a weekend of fitness, wellness and relaxation. The Empower and Peace Retreat, is April 25-27 and is limited to 50 participants. Contact the BCF to register.

Councillor Kolafa informed the public that Alberta Transportation (AT) is making changes to Highway 838 at St. Anthony's School. The speed limit between 8:00 am and 5:00 pm on school days will be 30 km/hr within the school zone. The speed limit will remain 70 km/hr outside the school zone. AT has let the Town know that ample signage will be installed in the area. Questions about this change can be forwarded to AT by calling 403-823-1788.

Councillor Zariski thanked Lynn Fabrick and the organizers for the Truth and Reconciliation Blanket Exercise March 9, 2025. It was attended by 35-40 people and highlighted a visual representation of Indigenous history in Alberta.

## 3. ADDITIONS TO THE AGENDA

## 4. <u>ADOPTION OF AGENDA</u>

## 4.1 Agenda for the March 10, 2025, Committee of the Whole Meeting

M2025.80 Moved by Councillor Lacher, Councillor Kolafa
That Council adopt the agenda for the March 10, 2025, Committee of the Whole Meeting, as presented.

CARRIED UNANIMOUSLY.

## 5. MEETING MINUTES

5.1 Minutes for the February 10, 2025, Committee of the Whole Meeting

Agenda Attachment: Committee of the Whole Meeting – February 10, 2025 – Draft Minutes

M2025.81 Moved by Councilor Zariski, Councillor Price
That Council approve the minutes for the February 10, 2025, Committee of the Whole Meeting, as presented.

CARRIED UNANIMOUSLY.

## 6. COUNCIL BOARDS AND COMMITTEES

YouTube Timestamp: 5:05

#### 6.1 Drumheller & District Senior's Foundation

Agenda Attachments: January 23, 2025, Organizational Meeting - Minutes January 23, 2025, Regular Meeting - Minutes.

M2025.82 Moved by Councilor Zariski, Councillor Kolafa

That Council accept as information the Drumheller & District Senior's Foundation January 23, 2025, Organizational Meeting and January 23, 2025, Regular Meeting minutes, as presented.

CARRIED UNANIMOUSLY.

## 6.2 Municipal Planning Commission

Agenda attachments: October 3, 2024 – Minutes; December 18, 2024 – Minutes; January 9, 2025 – Minutes, January 23, 2025 – Minutes, February 6, 2025 – Minutes.

M2025.83 Moved by Councillor Lacher, Councillor Price

That Council accept as information the Municipal Planning Commission meeting minutes of October 3, 2024, December 18, 2024, January 9, 2025, January 23, 2025, and February 6, 2025, as presented.

CARRIED UNANIMOUSLY.

# 6.3 Family & Community Support Services (FCSS) Committee

Agenda attachment: January 21, 2025 – Minutes.

M2025.84 Moved by Councillor Price, Councillor Kolafa

That Council accept as information the Family & Community Support Services (FCSS) Committee meeting minutes of January 21, 2025, as presented.

CARRIED UNANIMOUSLY.

# 7. <u>DELEGATIONS</u>

YouTube Timestamp: 6:42

## 7.1 RCMP Q3 Report

Agenda attachments: Priority Setting Letter – Drumheller Elected Officials; Drumheller RCMP Q3 2024-2025 Municipal Report.

M2025.85 Moved by Councillor Lacher, Councilor Zariski

That Council accept as information the RCMP Q3 2024-2025 Municipal Report, as presented.

CARRIED UNANIMOUSLY.

## **PUBLIC HEARING**

## REPORTS FROM ADMINISTRATION

OFFICE OF THE CHIEF ADMINISTRATIVE OFFICER

CORPORATE AND COMMUNITY SERVICES DEPARTMENT

EMERGENCY AND PROTECTIVE SERVICES DEPARTMENT

INFRASTRUCTURE SERVICES

## 8. CLOSED SESSION

YouTube Timestamp: 21:38

# 8.1 Local Public Body Confidences and Advice from Officials

FOIP 23 - Local public body confidences.

FOIP 24 - Advice from officials.

M2025.86 Moved by Councillor Price, Councillor Kolafa

That Council close the meeting to the public to discuss Local Public Body Confidences and Advice from Officials as per FOIP 23 – Local public body confidences and FOIP 24 – Advice from officials.

CARRIED UNANIMOUSLY.

Council closed the meeting to the public at 4:50 p.m.

M2025.87 Moved by Councillor Lacher, Councillor Kolafa

That Council open the meeting to the public.

CARRIED UNANIMOUSLY.

Council opened the meeting to the public at 6:07 p.m.

## 9. ADJOURNMENT

M2025.88 Moved by Councillor Price, Councilor Zariski

That Council adjourn the meeting.

CARRIED UNANIMOUSLY.

Council adjourned the meeting at 6:08 p.m.

**MAYOR** 

CHIEF ADMINISTRATIVE OFFICER