

MINUTES Council Meeting

11:00 AM - Thursday, October 20, 2022 Council Chambers

The Council Meeting of Lethbridge County was called to order on Thursday, October 20, 2022, at 11:00 AM, in the Council Chambers, with the following members present:

PRESENT:

Reeve Tory Campbell

Deputy Reeve John Kuerbis
Councillor Lorne Hickey
Councillor Mark Sayers
Councillor Eric Van Essen
Councillor Klaas VanderVeen
Councillor Morris Zeinstra

Chief Administrative Officer, Ann Mitchell Director of Community Services, Larry Randle Director of Public Operations, Jeremy Wickson

Infrastructure Manager, Devon Thiele

Manager of Finance & Administration, Jennifer Place

Executive Assistant, Candice Robison

A. CALL TO ORDER

Reeve Tory Campbell called the meeting to order at 11:01 a.m.

B. ADOPTION OF AGENDA

The following items were added:

G.3.1. - Farming Smarter 10 Year Celebration Invitation

J.1. - Meeting Start Times Discussion

K.1. - Closed Session - ASB Member At Large Application Review - FOIP Section 19 - Confidential Evaluations

272-2022

Councillor

MOVED that the October 20, 2022 Lethbridge County Council

VanderVeen Meeting Agenda be adopted as amended.

CARRIED

C. ADOPTION OF MINUTES

C.1. County Council Meeting Minutes

273-2022

Deputy Reeve MOVED that the October 6, 2022 Lethbridge County Council Meeting

Minutes be adopted as presented.

Kuerbis

CARRIED

D. **SUBDIVISION APPLICATIONS**

E. PUBLIC HEARINGS

G. <u>DEPARTMENT REPORTS</u>

G.1. MUNICIPAL SERVICES

G.1.1. <u>2022-23 Level of Service - Public Works Winter Maintenance Level of Service</u>

274-2022 Dep

Deputy Reeve Kuerbis That Council adopt the new Level of Service (LOS) Policy for Public Works Winter Maintenance, based on the budget approved for 2022

operations and subsequent budget for 2023.

CARRIED

G.1.2. Bylaw 22-018 - Speed Limit Bylaw

275-2022

Councillor Hickey

MOVED that Item G.1.2 be tabled to allow the 11:30 a.m. delegation

to present.

CARRIED

F. <u>DELEGATIONS</u>

F.1. 11:30 a.m. - Mike Warkentin - Lethbridge & District Exhibition

Mike Warkentin, Chief Executive Officer for the Lethbridge & District Exhibition was present to request funding towards project capital for the Agri-food Hub & Trade Centre.

276-2022

Councillor Sayers MOVED to direct administration to bring back a report regarding Lethbridge & District Exhibition's funding request to an upcoming

council meeting.

CARRIED

Reeve Campbell recessed the meeting at 11:56 a.m.

Reeve Campbell reconvened the meeting at 1:00 p.m.

G. <u>DEPARTMENT REPORTS</u>

G.1. MUNICIPAL SERVICES

G.1.2.

Bylaw 22-018 - Speed Limit Bylaw

277-2022

Councillor

MOVED to lift item G.1.2 from the table.

Hickey

CARRIED

278-2022

Councillor

MOVED that Bylaw 22-018 be read a first time.

Van Essen

CARRIED

G.2. CORPORATE SERVICES

G.2.1. <u>Audit Services Contract</u>

279-2022

Deputy Reeve MOVED that Council extends the appointment of KPMG LLP Charted Accountants as the auditors for Lethbridge County to December 31,

Kuerbis

Accountants as the auditors for Lethbridge County to December 31, 2023, and that the extension included the 2023 audit which will take

place in March and April of 2024.

CARRIED

G.2.2. Assessment Overview Project Reallocation

280-2022

Councillor

MOVED to direct administration to bring back a further report on the

Sayers Assessment Overview Project to a future Council meeting.

CARRIED

G.3. ADMINISTRATION

G.3.1. Farming Smarter 10 Year Celebration Invitation

281-2022 Deputy

MOVED that any member of Council wishing to attend the Farming Smarter 10 Year Celebration on November 4 at the Norland Historic

Reeve Kuerbis

Estates be authorized to do so.

CARRIED

G.4. COMMUNITY SERVICES

G.5. INFRASTRUCTURE

H. <u>CORRESPONDENCE</u>

1. Coaldale & District Emergency Service Awards Ceremony Invitation

282-2022

I.

Deputy

MOVED that any member of Council wishing to attend the Coaldale &

Reeve

District Emergency Services Awards Ceremony on November 26 at

Kuerbis

the Gem of the West Museum be authorized to do so.

CARRIED

COUNTY COUNCIL AND COMMITTEE UPDATES

I.1. <u>Lethbridge County Council Attendance Update - September 2022</u>

Council reviewed the highlights from the Lethbridge County Council Attendance Update for September 2022.

Division 1

Councillor Lorne Hickey

September 1	Lethbridge County	Council Meeting
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September 7 FCSS Meeting

September 8 Agricultural Service Board Meeting

September 10 Iron Springs Parade

September 15 Lethbridge County Council Meeting

September 16 Foothills Little Bow Municipal Association

September 16 Employee Recognition Night
September 21 Green Acres Finance Meeting
September 28 Green Acres Board Meeting
September 28 KAIROS Blanket Exercise

Division 2

September 29

Reeve Tory Campbell

Lethbridge County Council Meeting
Exhibition Park, Ownership Engagement Committee Meeting
Agricultural Service Board Meeting
Meeting with ASBG Executive Director, Melody Garner-Skiba
Lethbridge County Council Meeting
Employee Recognition Night
RMA Members Virtual Townhall on LGFF & APPS
Media, Re: Physician Attraction/Retention
Emergency Program Exercise
CAO/Reeve Meeting
Truth and Reconciliation Survivors Flag Raising
Vulcan County Virtual Meeting, Re: EMS Servicing
Federal Electoral Boundary Redistribution Public Hearing
KAIROS Blanket Exercise

Team Lethbridge Mission Planning Meeting

Division 3

Councillor Mark Sayers

September 1	Lethbridge County Council Meeting
September 8	Agricultural Service Board Meeting
September 15	Lethbridge County Council Meeting
September 22	Emergency Program Exercise
September 29	SouthGrow Board Meeting

Division 4

Deputy Reeve John Kuerbis

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Division 5

Councillor Eric Van Essen

September 1	Lethbridge County Council Meeting
September 8	Agricultural Service Board Meeting
September 15	Lethbridge County Council Meeting
September 16	Employee Recognition Night

Division 6

Councillor Klaas VanderVeen

September 1	Lethbridge County Council Meeting
September 8	Boundary Changes Round Table
September 8	Agricultural Service Board Meeting
September 12	Lethbridge Regional Waste Management Meeting
September 13	Lethbridge County/Town of Coalhurst IDP
September 15	Lethbridge County Council Meeting

Division 7

Councillor Morris Zeinstra

September 15 September 16 September 16 September 16 September 22 Lethbridge County Council Meeting Foothills Little Bow Municipal Association Employee Recognition Night September 22 Emergency Program Exercise	September 1 September 8 September 10 September 13	Lethbridge County Council Meeting Agricultural Service Board Meeting Iron Springs Parade Lethbridge County/Town of Coalhurst IDP
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J. <u>NEW BUSINESS</u>

J.1. Meeting Start Times Discussion

283-2022	Councillor	MOVED to adopt a 9:00 a.m. start time for all meetings of Council.	
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K. CLOSED SESSION

K.1. - ASB Member at Large Application Review (FOIP Section 19 - Confidential Evaluations)

284-2022 Councillor Sayers

MOVED that the Lethbridge County Council Meeting move into Closed Session, pursuant to Section 197 of the *Municipal Government Act*, the time being 1:50 p.m. for the discussion on the following:

K.1. - ASB Member at Large Application Review (FOIP Section 19 - Confidential Evaluations)

Present during the Closed Session:
Lethbridge County Council
Senior Management
Administrative Staff
CARRIED

285-2022

Councillor

MOVED that the Lethbridge County Council Meeting move out of the

VanderVeen closed session at 2:18 p.m.

CARRIED

K.1. <u>ASB Member at Large Application Review (FOIP Section 19 - Confidential Evaluations)</u>

286-2022

Councillor Sayers MOVED that Ken Coles, Dan Chapman and Logan Miller be appointed

as the Agricultural Service Board members-at-large.

CARRIED

287-2022

Deputy Reeve MOVED that Wilf Scholten be appointed to the Act Appeals

Reeve Committee. Kuerbis

CARRIED

L. ADJOURN

288-2022

Councillor Zeinstra MOVED that the Lethbridge County Council Meeting adjourn at 2:20

p.m.

CARRIED

Reeve

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