



**MEETING MINUTES - Draft
VILLAGE OF RYCROFT
REGULAR COUNCIL MEETING
February 17, 2026
VILLAGE OF RYCROFT COUNCIL CHAMBERS**

PRESENT:

Roxann Dreger	Deputy Mayor
Tamara Babcock	Councillor
Elane Blandin	Councillor
Brian Markovich	Councillor
Kevin Keller	Chief Administrative Officer
James Verquin	Mayor (Absent with notice)

1. CALL TO ORDER

Deputy Mayor Dreger called the Regular Council meeting to order at 6:32 pm.

2. ADOPTION OF AGENDA

2026-02-17-029 **MOVED** by **Councillor Markovich** that Council adopt the Regular Council meeting agenda for February 4, 2026. **CARRIED**

3. ADOPTION OF PREVIOUS MEETING MINUTES

3.1 Minutes from the February 4, 2026 Regular Council Meeting

2026-02-17-030 **MOVED** by **Councillor Babcock** that Council approve the February 4, 2026 Council meeting minutes as presented. **CARRIED**

4. PUBLIC HEARINGS

Councillor Blandin arrived at 8:49pm.

5. DELEGATIONS

2026-02-17-031 **MOVED** by **Councillor Markovich** that Council accept the presentations from Community members and RCMP as information. **CARRIED**

6. CAO REPORT

6.1 CAO Report, Action Item List, and Calendar

2026-02-17-032 **MOVED** by **Councillor Babcock** that Council accept the CAO Report, Council Grants report and Council Calendar as presented. **CARRIED**

7. **COUNCILLOR REPORTS**

- Councillor Babcock -FCSS Feb 10th
-Emerging Trends in Muni Law Feb 12
- Councillor Markovich
- Councillor Blandin -Library Board Feb 12th
- Deputy Mayor Dreger -Emerging Trends in Muni Law Feb 12

2026-02-17-033 **MOVED** by **Councillor Babcock** that Council accept the Council member verbal reports for information . **CARRIED**

8. **PREVIOUS BUSINESS**

9. **NEW BUSINESS**

9.1 **Central Peace FCSS**

2026-02-17-034 **MOVED** by **Deputy Mayor Dreger** that Council direct Administration to advise the Town of Spirit River that Village of Rycroft will accept the amended Central Peace FCSS Agreement with the Town of Spirit River as the Municipal Authority in principle upon the amended version, referencing Birch Hills County, once it is made available. **CARRIED**

10. **CORRESPONDENCE ITEMS**

2026-02-17-035 **MOVED** by **Councillor Markovich** that Council accept agenda items 10.1, 10.2, 10.4 for information. **CARRIED**

2026-02-17-036 **MOVED** by **Deputy Mayor Dreger** that Council defer the Central Peace Food Bank funding request until November 2026 round of Grant approvals. **CARRIED**

11. **ADJOURNMENT**

Deputy Mayor Dreger adjourned the meeting at 8:21 p.m.

Roxann Dreger
Deputy Mayor

Kevin Keller
Chief Administrative Officer