MINUTES
ORGANIZATIONAL MEETING

6:00 PM - Wednesday, October 21, 2026

Council Chambers, 1 Parklane Drive, Strathmore AB

COUNCIL PRESENT: Mayor Pat Fule (virtual), Councillor Claude Brown, Councillor Jim Chisholm, Councillor Matt Hyde, Councillor Melissa Langmaid, Deputy Mayor Richard Wegener, and Councillor Brent Wiley

STAFF PRESENT: Kevin Scoble (Chief Administrative Officer), Jamie Dugdale (Director of Infrastructure, Operations, and Development Services), Mark Pretzlaff (Director of Community and Protective Services), Kara Rusk (Director of Strategic, Administrative, and Financial Services)

1. CALL TO ORDER

Deputy Mayor Wegener called the October 21, 2026 Organizational Meeting to order at 9:02 p.m.

2. CONFIRMATION OF AGENDA

Resolution No. 251.10.26

Moved by Councillor Langmaid

THAT Council adopt the October 21, 2026 Organizational Meeting Agenda as amended:

ADDITION:

Closed Meeting section 6.0, *Board and Committee Appointments (Councillor) – Disclosure harmful to personal privacy – ATIA S. 20(1),* to be added prior to item 5.4.

FOR: Mayor Fule, Councillor Brown, Councillor Chisholm, Councillor Hyde, Councillor Langmaid, Deputy Mayor Wegener and Councillor Wiley

AGAINST: None.

CARRIED

3. PUBLIC COMMENTS

None.

4. CONSENT AGENDA

Resolution No. 252.10.26

Moved by Councillor Wiley

THAT Council adopt the recommendations of the following agenda report by an omnibus motion:

5.2 Deputy Mayor Rotation Schedule 2025-2029

FOR: Mayor Fule, Councillor Brown, Councillor Chisholm, Councillor Hyde, Councillor Langmaid, Deputy Mayor Wegener and Councillor Wiley

AGAINST: None.

CARRIED

5. BUSINESS

5.1. Town of Strathmore's Meeting Schedule 2026-2027

Resolution No. 253.10.26

Moved by Councillor Wiley

THAT Council adopt the 2026-2027 Council Meeting Schedule presented in Attachment I, amended to move the November 19, 2026 Budget Meeting to November 17, 2026.

FOR: Mayor Fule, Councillor Brown, Councillor Chisholm, Councillor Hyde, Councillor Langmaid, Deputy Mayor Wegener and Councillor Wiley

AGAINST: None.

CARRIED

5.2. Deputy Mayor Rotation Schedule 2025-2029

The following motion was adopted by the consent agenda:

THAT Council confirm the Deputy Mayor Rotation Schedule as follows:

Councillor Wiley: October 29, 2025 - June 30, 2026 (completed)

Councillor Wegener: July 1, 2026 - February 28, 2027 (in progress)

Councillor Langmaid: March 1, 2027 - October 31, 2027

Councillor Brown: November 1, 2027 - June 30, 2028

Councillor Hyde: July 1, 2028 - February 28, 2029

Councillor Chisholm: March 1, 2029 – October 19, 2029

5.3. Council Seating Arrangement 2025-2029

Resolution No. 254.10.26

Moved by Councillor Wiley

THAT Council adopt the 2025-2029 Council Seating Arrangement through a randomized draw.

FOR: Mayor Fule, Councillor Brown, Councillor Chisholm, and Councillor Wiley

AGAINST: Councillor Hyde, Councillor Langmaid and Deputy Mayor Wegener

CARRIED

6. CLOSED MEETING

Resolution No. 255.10.26

Moved by Councillor Wiley

THAT Council move In Camera to discuss items related to section 20(1) of the *Access to Information Act* at 9:15 p.m.

FOR: Mayor Fule, Councillor Brown, Councillor Chisholm, Councillor Hyde, Councillor Langmaid, Deputy Mayor Wegener and Councillor Wiley

AGAINST: None.

CARRIED

6.1. Board and Committee Appointments (Councillor) – Disclosure harmful to personal privacy – ATIA S. 20(1)

Resolution No. 256.10.26

Moved by Councillor Brown

THAT Council move out of Camera at 9:44 p.m.

FOR: Mayor Fule, Councillor Brown, Councillor Chisholm, Councillor Hyde, Councillor Langmaid, Deputy Mayor Wegener and Councillor Wiley

AGAINST: None.

CARRIED

7. BUSINESS

7.1 Board and Committee Appointments (Councillor)

Resolution No. 257.10.26

Moved by Councillor Langmaid

THAT Council make the following Councillor appointments to external boards and committees:

- Councillor Brown to the Community Futures Wild Rose Board for a term of one (1) year ending October 31, 2027.
- Councillor Hyde to the Community Futures Wild Rose Board as an alternate for a term of one (1) year ending October 31, 2027.
- Councillor Langmaid to the Marigold Library Board for a term of one (1) year ending October 31, 2027.
- Councillor Wiley to the Municipal Library Board for a term of one (1) year ending October 31, 2027.
- Councillor Wegener to the Wheatland and District Emergency Medical Services Association for a term of one (1) year ending December 31, 2026.

- Councillor Brown to the Wheatland and District Emergency Medical Services Association for a term of one (1) year ending December 31, 2026.

FOR: Mayor Fule, Councillor Brown, Councillor Chisholm, Councillor Hyde, Councillor Langmaid, Deputy Mayor Wegener and Councillor Wiley

AGAINST: None.

CARRIED

Resolution No. 258.10.26

Moved by Councillor Langmaid

THAT Council make the following Councillor appointments to external boards and committees:

- Councillor Wegener to the Wheatland Housing Management Body Board for a term of one (1) year ending October 31, 2027.
- Councillor Chisholm to the Wheatland Housing Management Body Board for a term of one (1) year ending October 31, 2027.

FOR: Mayor Fule, Councillor Langmaid, and Deputy Mayor Wegener

AGAINST: Councillor Brown, Councillor Chisholm, Councillor Hyde, and Councillor Wiley

DEFEATED

Resolution No. 259.10.26

Moved by Councillor Wiley

THAT Council make the following Councillor appointments to external boards and committees:

- Councillor Chisholm to the Wheatland Housing Management Body Board for a term of one (1) year ending October 31, 2027.
- Councillor Hyde to the Wheatland Housing Management Body Board for a term of one (1) year ending October 31, 2027.

FOR: Councillor Brown, Councillor Chisholm, Councillor Hyde, and Councillor Wiley

AGAINST: Mayor Fule, Councillor Langmaid, and Deputy Mayor Wegener

CARRIED

Resolution No. 260.10.26

Moved by Councillor Langmaid

THAT Council make the following Councillor appointments to internal boards and committees:

- Councillor Brown to the Regional Emergency Management Committee for a term of one (1) year ending October 31, 2027.
- Councillor Chisholm to the Regional Emergency Management Committee as an alternate for a term of one (1) year ending October 31, 2027.
- Councillor Hyde to the FCSS Advisory Board for a term of one (1) year ending October 31, 2027.
- Councillor Langmaid to the Municipal Policing Committee for a term of one (1) year ending October 31, 2027.

FOR: Mayor Fule, Councillor Brown, Councillor Chisholm, Councillor Hyde, Councillor Langmaid, Deputy Mayor Wegener and Councillor Wiley

AGAINST: None.

CARRIED

Resolution No. 261.10.26

Moved by Councillor Langmaid

THAT Council appoint the following Councillors to the Intermunicipal Collaboration Committee:

- Mayor Fule for a term of one (1) year ending October 31, 2027.
- Councillor Langmaid for a term of one (1) year ending October 31, 2027.
- Councillor Hyde for a term of one (1) year ending October 31, 2027.
- Councillor Chisholm for a term of one (1) year ending October 31, 2027.

FOR: Mayor Fule, Councillor Brown, Councillor Chisholm, Councillor Hyde, Councillor Langmaid, Deputy Mayor Wegener and Councillor Wiley

AGAINST: None.

CARRIED

Resolution No. 262.10.26

Moved by Councillor Wiley

THAT Council extend the October 21, 2026 Organizational Meeting to 11:00 p.m.

FOR: Mayor Fule, Councillor Brown, Councillor Chisholm, Councillor Hyde, Councillor Langmaid, Deputy Mayor Wegener and Councillor Wiley

AGAINST: None.

CARRIED

8. CLOSED MEETING

Resolution No. 263.10.26

Moved by Councillor Wiley

THAT Council move In Camera to discuss items related to section 20(1) of the *Access to Information Act* at 9:57 p.m.

FOR: Mayor Fule, Councillor Brown, Councillor Chisholm, Councillor Hyde, Councillor Langmaid, Deputy Mayor Wegener and Councillor Wiley

AGAINST: None.

CARRIED

8.1. Board and Committee Appointments (External Candidates) – Disclosure harmful to personal privacy – ATIA S. 20(1)

Resolution No. 264.10.26

Moved by Councillor Langmaid

THAT Council move out of Camera at 10:30 p.m.

FOR: Mayor Fule, Councillor Brown, Councillor Chisholm, Councillor Hyde, Councillor Langmaid, Deputy Mayor Wegener and Councillor Wiley

AGAINST: None.

CARRIED

Resolution No. 265.10.26

Moved by Councillor Wiley

THAT Council make the following appointments to the Town's boards and committees:

- Christopher Bell to the Subdivision Development and Appeal Board for a term of one (1) year ending October 31, 2027.
- Ethan Chow to the Subdivision Development and Appeal Board for a term of one (1) year ending October 31, 2027.
- Doug Anderson to the Subdivision Development and Appeal Board for a term of one (1) year ending October 31, 2027.
- Pierce Swalwell to the Subdivision Development and Appeal Board for a term of one (1) year ending October 31, 2027.
- Peter Lipp to the Subdivision Development and Appeal Board for a term of one (1) year ending October 31, 2027.
- Dirk DeGagne to the Assessment Review Board for a term of three (3) years ending October 31, 2029.
- Virginia Howard to the Community Improvement Program Committee for a term of two (2) years ending October 31, 2028.
- Johnathan Strathdee to the Community Improvement Program Committee for a term of two (2) years ending October 31, 2028.

- Dirk DeGagne to the Family and Community Support Services Advisory Board for a term of three (3) years ending October 31, 2029.
- Alex Ajireloja to the Family and Community Support Services Advisory Board for a term of three (3) years ending October 31, 2029.
- Carly Patrick to the Municipal Library Board for a term of three (3) years ending October 31, 2029.
- Lindsay Walker to the Municipal Library Board for a term of three (3) years ending October 31, 2029.
- Sydney Champigny to the Municipal Library Board for a term of three (3) years ending October 31, 2029.

AND THAT Council direct Administration to advertise current Board and Committee vacancies and bring applications to a future Council meeting for consideration.

FOR: Mayor Fule, Councillor Brown, Councillor Chisholm, Councillor Hyde, Councillor Langmaid, Deputy Mayor Wegener and Councillor Wiley

AGAINST: None.

CARRIED

9. ADJOURNMENT

Deputy Mayor Wegener adjourned the October 21, 2026 Organizational Meeting at 10:36 p.m.

Mayor

Director of Strategic, Administrative, and Financial Services