



**Regular Council Meeting
April 20th, 2026, at 7:00 pm
Council Chambers - 100 Jura Street**

Present: Mayor Johnston-Mackay, Councillors: Buckingham, Cooper, Englot, Ouellette, Robinson, Wardle and CAO L. Foster

Regrets: Councillor Robinson

Call to Order: The Meeting was Called to Order at 7:00 pm

Agenda:
2026-094 **Robinson/Englot:** THAT the Agenda be accepted as amended, adding items:
16. SUMA Remuneration Payments
17. May Council Meeting
Carried Unanimously

Conflict of Interest: None

Delegations: None

Minutes:
2026-095 **Cooper/Englot:** THAT the Minutes of the Regular Meeting of Council held on March 9th, 2026, be approved.
Carried

Fire Dept/Staff Reports:
2026-096 **Englot/Wardle:** THAT the verbal and/or written Fire Dept and Staff Reports be received as information.
Carried

Financials:
2026-097 **Buckingham/Ouellette:** THAT the Accounts for Approval covering cheques 5865 to 5889 and other payments numbered 202603-05 to 202604-09, in the amount of \$86,765.70 be approved for payment

AND THAT the Statement of Financial Activities and Balance Sheet as of March 31, 2026 be accepted as presented.
Carried

Bank Reconciliations – Tabled

Correspondence:
2026-098 **Englot/Robinson:** THAT the following correspondence be received as information:

Previously Emailed:

- Trans Canada Yellowhead Highway Assoc – Resolutions
- CATPC – Minutes and Reports
- Notice Nature Program – Sponsorship Request
- TruGreenMetal – Community Fundraiser Initiative
- C. Baird – Community History Video Partnership
- Accu-Flo – Find the Missing Water Webinar
- Humboldt District Health Foundation – Invitation
- RCMP – Elected Officials Meeting
- Ministry of Government Relations – Municipal Bylaws and OCPs
- SPSA – Provincial Disaster Assistance Program
- Colonsay Pool Correspondence

- CCBF – Second Installment
- WRL – 2025 Statistics
- Ministry of Government Relations – 2026 Education Property Tax Mill Rate
- Letter from Resident – Recycling and Drainage
- Colonsay Library - Minutes

Carried

Committee Reports:

Unfinished Business:

Wardle/Buckingham: THAT the discussion on the Pool Contract be tabled to the May Council Meeting.

New Business:

2026-099

Robinson/Englot: THAT the request from Viscount Legion #271 to place a war memorial in Harris Park be approved but a location in the park be discussed.

Carried

2026-100

Robinson/Englot: THAT the request for the mobile air quality monitoring station to be placed on the lot beside the Post Office be approved.

Carried

2026-101

Cooper/Englot: THAT \$1,979.20 be transferred from the Golf Course Revitalization Account to the Town of Colonsay's Account to reimburse the Town for the 2025 costs.

Carried

2026-102

Buckingham/Johnston-MacKay: THAT this meeting be moved to a break for 10 minutes

Carried

The meeting resumed at 9:07 pm.

2026-103

Cooper/Buckingham: THAT the CAO be authorized to sign the Agreement to Place a Waste Disposal Bin on Town Property.

Carried

2026-104

Englot/Robinson: THAT the Council's SUMA Expenses and Remuneration be paid prior to the May Council Meeting.

Carried

In Camera:

2026-105

Buckingham/Englot: THAT this meeting be moved in camera at 9:13 pm to discuss:

Human Resources

As per Section 16(1)(b) of The Local Authority Freedom of Information and Protection of Privacy Act

Present: Mayor Johnston-MacKay; Councillors: Buckingham, Cooper, Englot, Robinson, Ouellette, Wardle and CAO L. Foster

Council came out of camera at 10:16 pm

Policies:

2026-106

Robinson/Englot: THAT Policy COL-002, the Violence Prevention Policy, be accepted as presented.

Carried

Bylaws:

2026-107

Englot/Ouellette: THAT Bylaw 2026-02, known as a Bylaw to Restructure the Recreation Board, be read a first time at tonight's meeting.

Carried

2026-108

Buckingham/Englot: THAT Bylaw 2026-02, known as a Bylaw to Restructure the Recreation Board, be read a second time at tonight's meeting.

2026-109 **Ouellette/Wardle:** THAT Bylaw 2026-02, known as a Bylaw to Restructure the Recreation Board, be given three readings at tonight's meeting. **Carried**

Defeated

2026-110 **Robinson/Englot:** THAT Bylaw 2026-03, known as the Urban Hen Pilot Program Bylaw, be read a first time at tonight's meeting. **Carried**

Adjournment:

2026-111 **Robinson/Wardle:** THAT this Regular Meeting of Council be adjourned at 10:59 pm and that the next meeting of Council be a Budget Meeting on May 6th, 2026 at 7:00 pm

AND THAT the next Regular Meeting of Council be held on May 12, 2026 at 4:00 pm.

Carried





Mayor



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