

November 18, 2025

New Business

Council Committees, Boards and Appointments

Council for the Town of Vermilion approved the listing of Council Committees, Boards and Appointments. A detailed list of these appointments can be found on the Town of Vermilion's website for your reference.

Council Remuneration Policy

Council for the Town of Vermilion approved the Council Remuneration Policy No. 25-19 as amended. The purpose of this policy is to establish a uniform and transparent practice for the remuneration of Members of Council. The rates of remuneration did not increase – they remained the same as the previous term.

2026 Operating and Capital Budget

Council for the Town of Vermilion approved the 2026 budget with a total operating revenue of \$7,890,309; with operating expenditures of \$14,438,418 plus requisitions of \$1,982,751 resulting in a municipal taxation levy requirement of \$8,530,860, and the 2026 capital budget which has total capital revenues of \$4,303,000 to support total costs of \$4,303,000. Council for the Town of Vermilion accepted the operating plans for the 2027-2029 and the five-year capital plan in principle.

2025 Grant Funding Project Approval

Council for the Town of Vermilion approved the governance consulting, asset retirement obligation assessment, airport assessment, and software implementation and support totaling \$82,588 to be funded through unused Local Government Fiscal Framework (LGFF) operating grant funding.

Council for the Town of Vermilion approved the purchase of a light duty truck, roll off bin, line painter, hot pressure washer, toolcat sweeper, columbarium and score clock in the amount of \$185,500 to be funded through unused Municipal Sustainability Initiative (MSI) capital grant funding from prior years.

Repeal of Debenture Bylaw No. 6-2022

Council for the Town of Vermilion made a motion to repeal Debenture Bylaw No. 6-2022. Previous Administration secured grant funding totaling \$691,882 for the project under the Municipal Sustainability Initiative (MSI), and then proceeded to pay the remainder of the Town's portion of the project costs through general taxation revenues. Because the project was funded by general taxation revenues, Administration did not take out the debenture authorized by Council to fund the project and as such, it is no longer necessary and required rescindment.

Joint Assessment Review Board Bylaw No. 8-2025

Council for the Town of Vermilion gave first, second, and third readings to the Joint Assessment Review Board Bylaw No. 8-2025, being a bylaw to establish a joint assessment review board with regional partners.

Per Capita Request for the Health Care Providers Attraction and Retention Committee

Council for the Town of Vermilion received the per Capita request from the Health Care Providers Attraction and Retention Committee as information. Council will revisit the request from the Committee after such time that the Town's newly appointed Council representative has had a chance to attend the Committee's meetings and provide additional information as to the intended use of the member municipalities' contributions moving forward.

These Highlights of Council are an informative summary only, as official minutes of the meeting will be approved at the next regular meeting of council.