



**Minutes of the Town of Didsbury Regular Council Meeting held on  
March 10, 2026 in Council Chambers 1606 14 Street  
Commencing at 6:00 p.m**

Council Members Present Mayor Chris Little  
Deputy Mayor Bob Murray  
Councillor Curt Engel  
Councillor Troy Lambert  
Councillor Irwin Mahon  
Councillor Norm Quantz  
Councillor Will Stevens

Administration Present Chief Administrative Officer, Michael Simpson  
Chief Financial Officer, Amanda Riley  
Director of Community Services, Nicole Aasen  
Director of Engineering & Infrastructure, Craig Fox  
Communications Coordinator, Lisa Bastarache  
Legislative Services Coordinator/Recording Officer, Jocelyn Baxter

**1. CALL TO ORDER**

Mayor Little called the March 10, 2026 Regular Council Meeting to order at 6:00 p.m.

**2. ADOPTION OF THE AGENDA**

*Removal of item 12.3 Outstanding Loan*

**Res. 110-26**

MOVED by Councillor Stevens

To adopt the March 10, 2026 Regular Council Meeting agenda as amended.

**Motion Carried**

**3. DELEGATIONS/PRESENTATIONS**

**3.1 Stirling Committee**

*Councillor Quantz declared a conflict of interest under section 172.1(2)(b)(a) of the Municipal Government Act due to having been actively involved and on the Committee which wrote the application; and shall abstain from any discussion of the matter of the Stirling Rock project and shall abstain from voting on any question relating to the matter.*

**Res. 111-26**

MOVED by Councillor Engel

To thank Mr. Leeson for his presentation and accept it as information.

**Motion Carried**

**4. ADOPTION OF MINUTES**

**4.1 February 24, 2026 Regular Council Meeting Minutes**

**Res. 112-26**

MOVED by Councillor Engel

To adopt the February 24, 2026 Regular Council Meeting Minutes as presented.

**Motion Carried**

**5. PUBLIC HEARINGS – no public hearings**

**6. CAO REPORT**

**Res. 113-26**

MOVED by Councillor Stevens

To accept the Chief Administrative Officer Report for March 10, 2026 as information.

**Motion Carried**

**7. BYLAWS & POLICIES**

**7.1 ADMIN 001 - Policy Development Guidelines**

**Res. 114-26**

MOVED by Deputy Mayor Murray

To rescind ADMIN 001 – Policy Development Guidelines.

**Motion Carried**

**7.2 COUN 008-26 - Council Technology Policy**

**Res. 115-26**

MOVED by Councillor Quantz

To rescind COUN 008-22 – Council Technology Policy.

**Motion Carried**

**Res. 116-26**

MOVED by Councillor Quantz

To adopt COUN 008-26 – Council Technology Policy as presented.

**Motion Carried**

**7.3 Public Space Neutrality Bylaw 2026-08**

**Res. 117-26**

MOVED by Councillor Lambert

That Council grant first reading to Public Space Neutrality Bylaw 2026-08.

**Motion Carried**

**Res. 118-26**

MOVED by Councillor Mahon

That Council grant second reading to Public Space Neutrality Bylaw 2026-08.

*Councillor Stevens requested a recorded vote:*

	FOR	OPPOSED
Mayor Little	X	
Deputy Mayor Murray	X	
Councillor Engel		X
Councillor Lambert	X	
Councillor Mahon	X	
Councillor Quantz		X
Councillor Stevens		X

**Motion Carried**

**8. BUSINESS**

**8.1 2026 Campground Operations**

**Res. 119-26**

MOVED by Councillor Quantz

To approve the release of a Request for Proposal to seek submissions for the Rosebud Valley Campground Caretaker Service Contract for the 2026 camping season.

**Motion Carried**

**8.2 2026 Roadworks - Award Recommendation**

**Res. 120-26**

MOVED by Councillor Mahon

To award the 2026 Roadworks Contract to Border Paving Ltd for a total of \$354,014.28.

**Motion Carried**

**9. COUNCIL REPORTS**

**Res. 121-26**

MOVED by Deputy Mayor Murray

To accept the March 10, 2026 Council Reports as information.

**Motion Carried**

**10. CORRESPONDENCE & INFORMATION**

**11. QUESTION PERIOD**

**12. CLOSED MEETING**

**Res. 122-26**

MOVED by Councillor Engel

To go into closed meeting at 7:19 p.m. for the following items:

12.1 Proposal - section 29 of ATIA

12.2 Proposal - section 29 of ATIA

12.3 Land Updates - section 29 of ATIA

**Motion Carried**

Councillor Engel left the meeting at 9:05 p.m.

Councillor Engel returned to the meeting at 9:06 p.m.

**13. RECONVENE**

**Res. 123-26**

MOVED by Councillor Mahon

To return to open meeting at 9:30 p.m.

**Motion Carried**

**Res. 124-26**

MOVED by Deputy Mayor Murray

That the Town of Didsbury host a community public event to coincide with the Didsbury Rodeo, with budgeted revenues of \$36,000, budgeted expenditures of \$60,460, and a transfer from the Economic Development Reserve of \$24,460.

**Motion Carried**

**14. ADJOURNMENT**

**Res. 125-26**

MOVED by Councillor Stevens

To adjourn the March 10, 2026 Regular Council Meeting at 9:32 p.m.

**Motion Carried**



Mayor - Chris Little



Chief Administrative Officer - Michael Simpson