

# Governance and Priorities Committee Minutes

February 4, 2025 Council Chamber - Leduc County Centre, Nisku, AB

Members Present: Mayor Tanni Doblanko

Councillor Rick Smith
Councillor Kelly-Lynn Lewis

Councillor Dal Virdi

Councillor Larry Wanchuk Councillor Glenn Belozer Councillor Ray Scobie

Staff Present: Duane Coleman, County Manager

Renee Klimosko, Deputy County Manager

Lisa Brown, Legislative Coordinator

Miranda Anderson, Executive Assistant - Council

Staff Regrets: Alan Grayston, General Manager - Development and Community Services

#### 1. Call to Order - 10:00 a.m.

Mayor Doblanko called the meeting to order at 10:00 a.m.

# 2. Adoption of agenda

## **Resolution No. GP01-25**

Mover: Councillor Belozer

That the agenda for the February 4, 2025 Governance and Priorities Committee meeting be adopted as presented.

Carried Unanimously

# 3. Adoption of previous minutes

# Resolution No. GP02-25

**Mover:** Councillor Lewis

That the December 3, 2024 Governance and Priorities Committee meeting minutes be adopted as

presented.

**Carried Unanimously** 

# 4. Presentations

# a. 10:00 a.m. - Leduc County Library Board

# **Resolution No. GP03-25**

Mover: Councillor Smith

That the Governance and Priorities Committee accepts the Leduc County Library Board 2025 Budget request for information and refer to the County budget deliberations.

**Carried Unanimously** 

## b. 10:15 a.m. - Karma Concerts, 2025 Cabaret sponsorship request

#### **Resolution No. GP04-25**

Mover: Mayor Doblanko

That the Governance and Priorities Committee accepts the Karma Concerts, 2025 Cabaret sponsorship request for information and refer this request to the Recreation grant program.

**Carried Unanimously** 

# 5. Department reports/updates

a. 10:25 a.m. - Engineering and Utilities, Utilities

# 5.a.1 Water Billing Issue, M. Kipp

#### **Resolution No. GP05-25**

Mover: Councillor Scobie

That the Governance and Priorities Committee receives the report "Water Billing Issue, M. Kipp" as information.

Carried Unanimously

b. 10:30 a.m. - County Manager's office

# 5.b.1 Economic Development report - February update

# **Resolution No. GP06-25**

Mover: Councillor Wanchuk

That the Governance and Priorities Committee receives the February 2025 Economic Development Report as information.

**Carried Unanimously** 

c. 10:45 a.m. - Planning and Development - Regional and Long-Range Planning

# 5.c.1 Q4 2024 Long Range Planning initiatives update

#### Resolution No. GP07-25

**Mover:** Councillor Lewis

That the Governance and Priorities Committee receives the 2024 Q4 Long-range planning update as information.

Carried Unanimously

#### 6. 10:55 a.m. - In-camera session

# **Resolution No. GP08-25**

Mover: Councillor Smith

That the Governance and Priorities Committee meet in-camera at 10:53 a.m. to discuss three items in accordance with the *Freedom of Information and Protection of Privacy (FOIP) Act, sections 21 and 24.* 

**Carried Unanimously** 

- a. Planning and Development Regional and Long-Range Planning
- 6.a.1 Regional Planning initiatives update February 2025

- b. **County Manager's office**
- 6.b.1 **Intergovernmental report - February 2025**
- 6.b.2 Appointment of Public members-at-large to Council Boards and Committees

#### 7. Revert to open session

# Resolution No. GP09-25

Mover: Councillor Wanchuk

That the Governance and Priorities Committee end the in-camera session at 11:36 a.m. and revert to the business of the open session.

**Carried Unanimously** 

#### 8. Business arising from in-camera session

## **Resolution No. GP10-25**

Mover: Councillor Belozer

That the Governance and Priorities Committee appoints Debbie Hofstra and Russ Kushinski to the Agricultural Services Board for a two-year term effective immediately and expiring on December 31, 2026.

Carried Unanimously

#### **Resolution No. GP11-25**

**Mover:** Councillor Lewis

That the Governance and Priorities Committee appoints Ledise Mason to the Family and Community Support Services Committee for a two-year term effective immediately and expiring on December 31, 2026.

Carried Unanimously

## Resolution No. GP12-25

Mover: Councillor Smith

That the Governance and Priorities Committee appoints Cindy Haywood and Missy Chehayeb to the Leduc County Library Board for a three-year term effective immediately and expiring on December 31, 2027.

**Carried Unanimously** 

## **Resolution No. GP13-25**

Mover: Mayor Doblanko

That the Governance and Priorities Committee appoints Jen Wilson - New Sarepta and Missy Chehayeb - Leduc to the Parks and Recreation Advisory Committee for a two-year term effective immediately and expiring on December 31, 2026 and re-advertise for the Warburg vacancy.

**Carried Unanimously** 

#### 9. Adjournment

Mayor Doblanko adjourned the Governance and Priorities committee meeting at 11:42 a.m.

Mayor **County Manager**