



CITY OF WEST KELOWNA
MINUTES OF THE SPECIAL MEETING OF COUNCIL

Tuesday, March 11, 2025
COUNCIL CHAMBERS
3731 OLD OKANAGAN HWY, WEST KELOWNA, BC

MEMBERS PRESENT: Mayor Gord Milsom
Councillor Tasha Da Silva
Councillor Rick de Jong
Councillor Jason Friesen
Councillor Stephen Johnston
Councillor Garrett Millsap
Councillor Carol Zanon

Staff Present: Ron Bowles, Chief Administrative Officer
Mark Panneton, Director of Legislative and Legal Services/Corporate Officer
Rob Hillis, Acting Director of Engineering and Operations
Warren Everton, Director of Finance/Chief Financial Officer
Jason Brolund, Fire Chief
Brent Magnan, Director of Community Development
Lisa Siavashi, Financial Services Manager/Deputy Chief Financial Officer

1. CALL THE SPECIAL COUNCIL MEETING TO ORDER

The meeting was called to order at 11:07 a.m.

It was acknowledged that this meeting was held on the traditional territory of the Syilx/Okanagan Peoples.

This meeting was open to the public. All representations to Council form part of the public record.

2. ADDITIONS OR CHANGES TO PROCEDURAL MOTION

There were no additions or changes to the procedural motion.

3. ADOPTION OF AGENDA

It was moved and seconded

Resolution No. C050/25

THAT the agenda be adopted as presented.

CARRIED UNANIMOUSLY

4. PROCEDURAL MOTION

It was moved and seconded

Resolution No. C051/25

THAT Council close the meeting in accordance with Section 90(1) of the *Community Charter* for:

(c) labour relations or other employee relations;

(e) the acquisition, disposition or expropriation of land or improvements, if the council considers that disclosure could reasonably be expected to harm the interests of the municipality;

(g) litigation or potential litigation affecting the municipality;

(i) the receipt of advice that is subject to solicitor-client privilege, including communications necessary for that purpose; and

(k) negotiations and related discussions respecting the proposed provision of a municipal service that are at their preliminary stages and that, in the view of the council, could reasonably be expected to harm the interests of the municipality if they were held in public.

CARRIED UNANIMOUSLY

Council then proceeded with the closed session.

5. ADJOURNMENT OF THE SPECIAL COUNCIL MEETING

The Special Council meeting adjourned at 12:50 p.m.

MAYOR

DIRECTOR OF LEGISLATIVE & LEGAL SERVICES/
CORPORATE OFFICER