



**CITY OF WEST KELOWNA**  
**MINUTES OF THE SPECIAL MEETING OF COUNCIL**

Tuesday, March 25, 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 (arrived at 4:06 p.m.)  
Councillor Garrett Millsap  
Councillor Carol Zanon

**Staff Present:** Ron Bowles, Chief Administrative Officer  
Trevor Seibel, Deputy CAO/Deputy Corporate Officer  
Mark Panneton, Director of Legislative & Legal Services/Corporate Officer  
Rob Hillis, Acting Director of Engineering & Operations  
Lisa Siavashi, Financial Services Manager/Deputy Chief Financial Officer

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**1. CALL TO ORDER**

The meeting was called to order at 4:04 p.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. C063/25

**THAT** the agenda be adopted as presented.

CARRIED UNANIMOUSLY

Councillor Johnston absent at the vote.

**4. PROCEDURAL MOTION**

Resolution No. C064/25

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

(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 THAT** Council close the meeting in accordance with Section 90(2) of the *Community Charter* for:

(b) the consideration of information received and held in confidence relating to negotiations between the municipality and a provincial government or the federal government or both, or between a provincial government or the federal government or both and a third party.

Councillor Johnston entered the meeting at 4:06 p.m.

CARRIED UNANIMOUSLY

Council then proceeded with the closed session.

**5. ADJOURNMENT**

The Special Council meeting adjourned at 5:22 p.m.

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MAYOR

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DIRECTOR OF LEGISLATIVE & LEGAL SERVICES/  
CORPORATE OFFICER