



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

Tuesday, April 8, 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 (entered the meeting at 11:33 a.m.)  
Councillor Carol Zanon

MEMBER ABSENT: Councillor Garrett Millsap

Staff Present: Ron Bowles, Chief Administrative Officer  
Mark Panneton, Director of Legislative & Legal Services/Corporate Officer  
Rob Hillis, Acting Director of Engineering & 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

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**1. CALL TO ORDER**

The meeting was called to order at 11:32 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. C074/25

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

CARRIED UNANIMOUSLY

Councillor Johnston absent at the vote.

**4. PROCEDURAL MOTION**

It was moved and seconded

Resolution No. C075/25

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

(c) labour relations or other employee relations;

**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 11:33 a.m.

CARRIED UNANIMOUSLY

Council then proceeded with the closed session.

**5. ADJOURNMENT**

The Special Council meeting adjourned at 12:55 p.m.

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MAYOR

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DIRECTOR OF LEGISLATIVE & LEGAL SERVICES/  
CORPORATE OFFICER