

REGULAR MEETING OF COUNCIL

March 31, 2026 at 7:00 PM

MEMBERS PRESENT      Mayor                      Shane Kearney  
                                    Councillors              David Pretty  
   Jackie Strang  
   Paul Slaney  
   John Strang  
   Joe Strang  
   JeanAnn Lambert  
                                    Town Clerk/Manager      Shelby Cox  
                                    Assistant Clerk              Natalie Kearney

**COUNCIL MEETING**

7:00 pm              Mayor Kearney called the meeting to order

**MOTION:**              Pretty/Joe Strang

**26-050**              Resolved to adopt Agenda for March 31, 2026.

**Vote:**              In Favor: Shane Kearney, David Pretty, Joe Strang, Jackie Strang, Paul Slaney, JeanAnn Lambert and John Strang.

**Opposed: None**

**ADOPTION OF MINUTES**

**MOTION:**              John Strang/Joe Strang

**26-051**              Resolved to approve the minutes of Regular meeting March 17, 2026.

**Vote:**              In Favor: Shane Kearney, David Pretty, Joe Strang, Jackie Strang, Paul Slaney, JeanAnn Lambert and John Strang.

**Opposed: None**

Mayors signature: Shane Kearney

Clerks signature: Shelby Cox

**MOTION:** Lambert/Jackie Strang

**26-052** Resolved to approve the minutes of Special meeting March 23, 2026.

**Vote:** In Favor: Shane Kearney, David Pretty, Joe Strang, Jackie Strang, Paul Slaney, JeanAnn Lambert and John Strang.

**Opposed: None**

**APPROVAL OF EXPENDITURES**

**MOTION:** Pretty/Slaney

**26-053** Resolved to approve the expenditures of \$24344.94 from March 17-March 31, 2026.

**Vote:** In Favor: Shane Kearney, David Pretty, Joe Strang, Jackie Strang, Paul Slaney, JeanAnn Lambert and John Strang.

**Opposed: None**

**Correspondence to be discussed**

Waste Management – Bulk bins participation for 2026

**MOTION:** Slaney/ John Strang

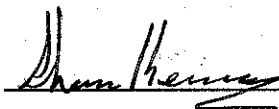
**26-054** Resolved to participate in the bulk bins for community clean up.

**Vote:** In Favor: Shane Kearney, David Pretty, Joe Strang, Jackie Strang, Paul Slaney, JeanAnn Lambert and John Strang.

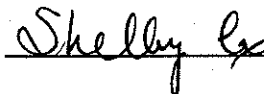
**Opposed: None**

When the schedule is released please make a post reminding residents of the items that aren't permitted to be put in the bins such as Crab pots. These items would have to be taken to waste management site on their own.

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Clerks signature:



Review of Tax accounts

**MOTION:** Jackie Strang/Joe Strang

**26-055** Resolved to approve water disconnections for accounts #110479 & #110371.

**Vote:** In Favor: Shane Kearney, David Pretty, Joe Strang, Jackie Strang, Paul Slaney, JeanAnn Lambert and John Strang.

**Opposed: None**

Council Remuneration- 2021

A 2021 payment wasn't made to previous councillor. Missed payment has been confirmed by the office staff.

**MOTION:** John Strang/Joe Strang

**26-056** Resolved to approve the payment of \$700.00 to previous councillor.

**Vote:** In Favor: Shane Kearney, David Pretty, Joe Strang, Jackie Strang, Paul Slaney, JeanAnn Lambert and John Strang.

**Opposed: None**

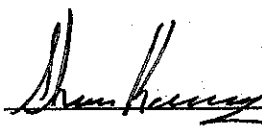
**Finance Update:**

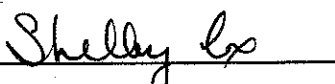
Next report will be on April 14, 2026

**New Business**

Councillor Lambert informed council that she will be taking on the role as Secretary for the Joint Councils Committee.

Councillor Jackie Strang said we need to do whatever we can to help get doctors back in St. Lawrence Hospital. Town Manager will reach out to the Town of St. Lawrence to see if there is anything that the two councils can do together to get a meeting with NL Health Services.

Mayors signature: 

Clerks signature: 

Town Manager to attend MNL in Gander from May 6-9.

**MOTION:** Pretty/ Slaney

**26-057** Resolved to approve the MNL expenses.

**Vote:** In Favor: Shane Kearney, David Pretty, Joe Strang, Jackie Strang, Paul Slaney, JeanAnn Lambert and John Strang.

**Opposed: None**

**Public Works Department**

There are a couple water leaks outstanding that will be fixed now that the weather is getting better. One on Hickman Drive and another on Harbour drive.

**ADJOURNMENT**

**MOTION:** Slaney/ Joe Strang

**26-058** Resolved to adjourn the meeting at 7:47 pm.

**Vote:** In Favor: Shane Kearney, David Pretty, Joe Strang, Jackie Strang, Paul Slaney, JeanAnn Lambert and John Strang.

**Opposed: None**

Mayors signature: 

Clerks signature: 