REGULAR MEETING OF COUNCIL

May 12, 2026 at 7:00 PM

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

COUNCIL MEETING

7:00 pm Mayor Kearney called the meeting to order

MOTION: **Jackie Strang/Joe Strang**

26-074 **Resolved to adopt Agenda for May 12, 2026.**

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

Opposed: None

ADOPTION OF MINUTES

MOTION: **Jackie Strang/ John Strang**

26-075 **Resolved to approve the minutes of Regular meeting April 28, 2026.**

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

Opposed: None

Mayors signature: Shane Kearney **Clerks signature:** Shelby Cox

APPROVAL OF EXPENDITURES

MOTION: **John Strang/Lambert**

26-076 **Resolved to approve the expenditures of $1711.74from April 28- May 12, 2026.**

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

Opposed: None

Correspondence to be discussed

Municipal Awareness week

MOTION: **Lambert/ John Strang**

26-077 **Resolved to sign proclamation.**

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

Opposed: None

Student Jobs

Students are required to be attending school and acceptance letters to be submitted with resumes. Grade 12 students will get the priority providing they meet the above criteria. After the grade 12s anyone who is already attending post secondary will have the next opportunity.

MOTION: **Jackie Strang/ Joe Strang**

26-078 **Resolved to follow criteria for student jobs.**

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

Opposed: None

Mayors signature: _____ **Clerks signature:** Shelby Cox

Pump Replacement- Bayview Lane pump house

MOTION: **Lambert/ Joe Strang**

26-079 **Resolve that the municipality of Lawn submit a Capital Investment Plan Application to the Department of Municipal and Community Affairs for Building Communities Strong Fund (BCSF) Community Stream in the amount of $9667.32 for the Bayview Pump house pump replacement.**

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

Opposed: None

Drinking Water System Upgrades- Chlorination Building (90/10)

MOTION: **Lambert/ John Strang**

26-080 **Resolve that the municipality of Lawn submit a Capital Investment Plan Application to the Department of Municipal and Community Affairs for Building Communities Strong Fund (BCSF) Community Stream in the amount of $40,000 for the overrun costs on this project 135-2021-7601.**

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

Opposed: None

New Business

Councillor Jackie Strang asks if the clubhouse repairs will be done on time. Deadline will be June 30 to have that completed.

Mayor Kearney asks about report on the bridge. He suggested a letter be sent to the Minister asking for confirmation that the bridge is safe. The town manager will inquire with the engineering at department of Transportation and Infrastructure to see if a weight limit can be put on the bridge.

Mayors signature: Shane Kearney **Clerks signature:** Shelley Cox

Finance Update:

Report was reviewed for April 2026.

Public Works Department

The PWDU is operational again. Necessary repairs were made in the back room.

Mayor Addresses the public:
Mr. Strang asks what the plan will be to fix the water line to his house. Council suggests we come in from the mainline as the current line can't be repaired due to a garage being built over it.

Maintenance department was on site today trying to resolve the issue with the current line. This was unsuccessful but will dig in a new line tomorrow.

ADJOURNMENT

MOTION: **John Strang/Slaney**

26-081 **Resolved to adjourn the meeting at 7:51 pm.**

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

Opposed: None

Mayors signature: _____ **Clerks signature:** _____