

## REGULAR MEETING OF COUNCIL

December 2, 2025 at 7:00 PM

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

**COUNCIL MEETING**

7:00 pm      Mayor Kearney called the meeting to order

**MOTION:**      **Pretty/Jackie Strang**

**25-190**      **Resolved to adopt Agenda for December 2, 2025. All in favour, Motion Carried.**

**ADOPTION OF MINUTES**

**MOTION:**      **Pretty/Lambert**

**25-191**      **Resolved to approve the minutes of Regular meeting November 18, 2025. All in Favour, Motion Carried.**

**MOTION:**      **Jackie Strang/Joe Strang**

**25-192**      **Resolved to approve the minutes of Special meeting November 20, 2025. All in Favour, Motion Carried.**

Mayors signature: Shane Kearney

Clerks signature: Shelby Cox

### APPROVAL OF EXPENDITURES

**MOTION:** Pretty/Joe Strang

**25-193** **Resolved to approve expenditures from November 18- December 2, 2025. All in Favour, Motion Carried.**

### Correspondence to be discussed

Waste Management Price increase:

Council discussed the increase in Garbage tax to \$200.00. The Council isn't in favor of the increase and the mayor will bring this back to the waste management board. Town Manager will post the letter from Waste Management to Facebook for residents to view.

### Finance Update:

Fire department Honorarium

7:34pm Mayor Kearney and Councillors Pretty, Slaney and Joe Strang declared a conflict of interest and Councillor Jackie Strang will chair the meeting.

Councillor Jackie Strang and Councillor Lambert discussed paying out the Honorarium to the fire department members.

**MOTION:** Jackie Strang/Lambert

**25-194** **Resolved to approve Fire Department Honorarium for 2025 at a sum of \$4750.00. All in Favour, Motion Carried.**

Mayor Kearney resumed the chair at 7:36pm

### Maintenance department

First phase of creation of the maintenance shop has been placed on hold while a new design has been considered for the space. The seacans may not be able to work in the available space as planned.

One manway cover has been completed. The next ones will be completed in the coming weeks.

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**New Business**

Councillor Slaney proposes pit behind the school for training area or the old dump. Town clerk will contact Service NL to see if the old dump can be used for future training.

Councillor Jackie Strang asked if the wrecks have all been removed yet. Some are gone but still several to go.

Mayor Kearney informed council about a new app the fire department is considering joining. This will collect data on each emergency that the fire trucks are call out for. Heat for the fire truck is also important. The Clerk will speak to the maintenance department about managing the heat for the fire truck.

Discussion with the Fire Chief on certification for the firemen and first aid. Price quotes on first aid will be gathered and a list of who needs training will be sent to the office.

**The office will be closed from December 24- January 5, 2026.**

**ADJOURNMENT**

**MOTION: Pretty/Slaney**

**25-195 Resolved to adjourn the meeting at 8:15 pm. All in Favour, Motion Carried.**

**Next meeting will be held on December 16, 2025**

Mayors signature: 

Clerks signature: 