



**MINUTES FROM THE REGULAR MEETING OF THE COUNCIL FOR THE
VILLAGE OF CARMACKS ON January 6th, 2026, IN THE MUNICIPAL COUNCIL
CHAMBERS**

PRESENT: Mayor: J. Lachance

Councillors: D. Mitchell, D. Hansen, T. Wheeler

Staff: CAO P. Singh, A. Wylimczyk

Regrets: None

Delegation: None

- 1. CALL TO ORDER:** Mayor J. Lachance called the meeting to order at 7:00 PM.

Mayor Lachance wished everyone a Happy New Year.

- 2. AGENDA:** Council reviewed the agenda.

Mayor Lachance added an In-camera session to the agenda.

- 26-01-01 M/S Councillors D. Hansen/T. Wheeler motioned that the agenda be accepted as amended.**

CARRIED

- 3. MINUTES:**

3.1 From the regular council meeting on December 16th, 2025

- 26-01-02 M/S Councillors D. Hansen/D. Mitchell motioned that the minutes be accepted as presented.**

CARRIED

- 4. DELEGATION**

None

- 5. CORRESPONDENCE**

- 5.1 Community Advisor Arbor Webster regarding Vehicle Disposal**

CAO P. Singh explained to Council that Vehicle Disposal need to be added to the Landfill Services and Fees Bylaw as a separate line. He requested a quote for vehicle



disposal from Urban Recycling in Whitehorse. Once he hears back from them, he will update council and add the fees to the bylaw. No EV's and Hybrid vehicles are accepted.

6. Reports

6.1 Council Activity Reports

Councillor D. Hansen thoroughly enjoyed the New Year's fireworks and thanked Viren from VR North to make it more visible with his drone. She is looking forward to new things with council and CAO.

Councillor D. Mitchell has nothing to report.

Councillor T. Wheeler did not enjoy the recent cold snap but the fireworks and is looking forward to the new year.

6.2 Mayor's Report

Mayor Lachance thanked the community for their efforts during the cold snap helping people in need and thinking of neighbors, family and friends. He attended and helped with the new year's fireworks. Mayor Lachance also helped the fire department team organize the new gear and is looking forward to a great new year.

6.3 CAO Report

CAO P. Singh provided Council with a written report and presented a verbal overview. He updated Council on the HAF Funding Initiative, noting that Bonus Grants payments have been issued to residents who successfully completed all program and policy requirements.

The weigh scale project is currently on hold and still awaiting electrical connection. Once completed, the Village will proceed with the installation of computer hardware, internet connection, and scale software, following staff training.

The FireSmart RFP will be awarded to a local contractor.

The Advance poll for the by-election was held on January 2nd, and the regular poll will be held on January 8th.



6.4. Finance Report

Finance Officer A. Wylimczyk provided council with written report and broke it down verbally. Council reviewed the attached income statement and expenditure summary report.

26-02-03 M/S Councillors T. Wheeler/D. Hansen motioned to accept the expenditure summary report.

CARRIED

6.5. PW Report

Mayor Lachance read report and thanked the PW department for their continued efforts to run all operations efficiently during the cold snap.

6.6. Recreation Report

Mayor Lachance read report to council. There are a lot of issues with the heat and freeze up in the arena. Mayor Lachance thanked staff for their efforts and hopes to get the issues resolved soon.

6.7. Association of Yukon Communities Report

Councillor T. Wheeler has nothing to report.

7. Bylaws

None

8. New and Unfinished Business

None

9. QUESTION PERIOD

None.

10. IN-CAMERA

Motion to move into Closed Meeting in accordance with the Yukon Municipal Act, Section 213 (3) (a) if in the case of a council, the council decides during the meeting to meet as a council committee to discuss a matter.



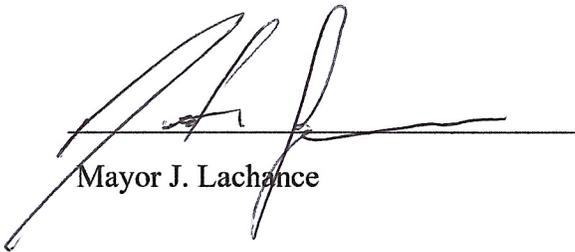
26-01-04 M/S Councillors T. Wheeler/D. Hansen motioned to go into In-Camera at 7:20 PM.

26-01-05 M/S Councillor D. Hansen motioned to go out of In-Camera at 7:28 PM.

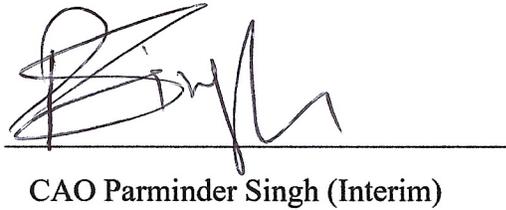
11. ADJOURNMENT

26-01-06 M/S Councillor T. Wheeler motioned to adjourn the meeting at 7:28 PM.

Mayor J. Lachance adjourned the meeting at 7:28 PM.



Mayor J. Lachance



CAO Parminder Singh (Interim)

