

**TOWN OF CARBERRY/MUNICIPALITY OF NORTH CYPRESS-LANGFORD
JOINT MEETING OF COUNCIL
February 23, 2026 (7:00 p.m.)
UNOFFICIAL MEETING**

In Attendance: Mayor Muirhead, Deputy Mayor Kalinowich, Councilors Rea, and CAO McConnell for the Town of Carberry. Deputy Reeve Olmstead, Councilors Van Kommer, Jardine, and Interim CAO Unrau for North Cypress-Langford.

Regrets: Reeve Drayson, Councilors Van Damme, Tolton, Murray and Davidson

As quorum was not achieved, an official meeting of Council could not be convened. The members present engaged in an informal discussion of the agenda topics for information purposes only. No motions were tabled or approved.

1. Calling Meeting to Order

Res #01-26 BE IT RESOLVED THAT the meeting be convened at 7:00 p.m. with Mayor Raymond Muirhead in the Chair.

Moved by: _____ **Seconded by:** _____

Carried: ___ **Lost:** ___

2. Adoption of Agenda

Res #02-26 BE IT RESOLVED THAT the agenda for the joint meeting of February 23, 2026 be adopted as circulated.

Moved by: _____ **Seconded by:** _____

Carried: ___ **Lost:** ___

3. Adoption of Minutes

Res #03-26 BE IT RESOLVED THAT the minutes for the joint meeting of December 1, 2025 be adopted as circulated.

Moved by: _____ **Seconded by:** _____

Carried: ___ **Lost:** ___

4. Delegation

7:05 – Tyson Boychuk – Christmas Kickoff Update

- 2025 Christmas Kickoff was a huge success with 35 parade entries and 45 individual units (1/2 the size of Brandon’s parade). There are some big ideas on how to improve the 2026 parade, one being revising the route and ending location at the ball diamonds.

7:20 – Fire Chief McCallum – Fire Truck Update

- Both Fire Truck Reserves are sitting at approximately \$450 - \$500K plus sale of existing fire truck (estimating \$300,000) = approximate budget of \$750 - \$800K.
- Each council will discuss at their respective council meetings, a new pumper with a larger cab similar to our current pumper priced within the budget.

5. Unfinished Business

a. Update to Joint Confidentiality Policy

- CAO’s will discuss and add a media section.

Res #04-26 BE IT RESOLVED THAT the Joint Committee approve the Joint Confidentiality Policy as updated and presented.

Moved by: _____ **Seconded by:** _____

Carried: ____ **Lost:** ____

b. Guild Insurance Quote for Cyber Coverage

- For a fair comparison, further discussion with both Guild Insurance and Western Financial is required.

6. General Business

a. Splash Park/Campground Funding

- Mayor Muirhead suggested funding options in order to support the fundraising efforts.
- Both councils will discuss further at their respective individual council meetings.

b. Olympia Zamboni

- The Olympia Zamboni was purchased to be used as a back up and for the outdoor rink. It is currently housed in the Town's garage on 4th Avenue.

b. Agreement with Cby Minor Ball RE: Sprinklers

- Each council will discuss this agreement at their respective council meetings.

Res #05-26 BE IT RESOLVED THAT the Joint Committee approve the agreement between the Town of Carberry, Municipality of North Cypress-Langford and Carberry Minor Ball as presented.

Moved by: _____ **Seconded by:** _____

Carried: ____ **Lost:** ____

7. Committee Reports

- a) **Manager of Joint Services** – as presented
- b) **Director of Leisure/Arts Services** – New Director, Robyn Brydges, started Feb 19th and has been settling in nicely.
- c) **Archives** – as presented
- d) **Health** – as presented
- e) **Evergreen Environmental** – on March 3rd, TOC and NCL representatives will head to Regina, SK to view a crusher in operation.
- f) **Fire** – as presented
- g) **Library** – as presented
- h) **Museum** – McCain has approved a grant for 100% of the cost of their new project.
- i) **Planning** – Planning Officer is starting a plumbing course next week. Updated fees by-law has proposed increasing fees.
- j) **Seniors/Handivan** – as presented
- k) **Cemetery** – as presented
- l) **Daycare** – as presented
- m) **Drop-in** – as presented
- n) **Waste Management and Buildings** – meeting last week outlined several projects on the list this year. ACAO Sudak will provide estimates for the joint budget.
- o) **Splash Park** – as presented
- p) **Campground** – as presented

8. Around the Table

Olmstead

- Commended ACAO Sudak for stepping up in the absence of a MJS.
- Appreciation was expressed to CPCC staff and Men’s and Ladies’ Curling clubs for a successful bonspiel.

Rea

- Expressed concern about snow buildup over the gasoline at CPCC. Staff will be notified to remove as soon as possible.

Muirhead

- Congratulations, the bonspiel was a huge success.
- Parking will be an issue for the High School Hockey Provincials this week at CPCC. Clearing out the west side of the arena would help.
- The Mayor has been asked by Principal Robson to bring greetings from the Town at the High School Hockey Provincials at 1 PM on Thursday, Feb 26.
- Social media threats and harassment are a concern. It was discussed that comments be turned off social media posts to discourage negative behaviour.

9. Adjournment

Res #08-26 BE IT RESOLVED THAT the regular meeting of council now adjourns at 9:10 p.m.

Moved by: _____ **Seconded by:** _____

Carried: ___ **Lost:** ___

Raymond Muirhead
Mayor

Teresa McConnell
CAO

