



MINUTES OF THE REGULAR MEETING OF COUNCIL

August 17, 2026

6:00 pm

Council Chambers of City Hall
1100 Patricia Boulevard, Prince George, BC

We respectfully acknowledge the unceded ancestral lands of the Lheidli T'enneh,
on whose land we live, work, and play.

PRESENT: Mayor Simon Yu
Councillor Tim Bennett
Councillor Garth Frizzell
Councillor Trudy Klassen
Councillor Ron Polillo
Councillor Cori Ramsay
Councillor Kyle Sampson
Councillor Susan Scott
Councillor Brian Skakun

IN ATTENDANCE: Walter Babicz, City Manager
Deanna Wasnik, Director of Planning and Development
Kris Dalio, Director of Finance and IT Services
Andy Beesley, Director of Civic Facilities and Events
Eric Depenau, Director of Administrative Services
Blake McIntosh, Director of Civic Operations
Ethan Anderson, Manager of Legislative Services/Corporate Officer
Leslie Kellett, Deputy Corporate Officer

A. ADOPTION OF THE AGENDA

Moved By Councillor Bennett
Seconded By Councillor Frizzell

That the agenda for the regular meeting of Council scheduled for August 17, 2026 be amended by:

- Adding 84 items of correspondence to agenda item D.3,
- Adding 1 item of correspondence to agenda item D.4,

- Adding 6 items of correspondence to agenda item H.1,

and that the agenda, BE ADOPTED AS AMENDED.

Carried Unanimously

B. MINUTES

B.1 Adoption of the Regular Council Meeting Minutes – July 20, 2026

Moved By Councillor Scott

Seconded By Councillor Polillo

That the minutes of the regular Council meeting held July 20, 2026, BE ADOPTED as read on this day and that such minutes as read set out all of the business before Council at that meeting and fully and properly record all of the resolutions passed by Council at that meeting.

Carried Unanimously

C. CONSENT AGENDA

C.1 Carrie Jane Gray Park Modernization Project Grant

C.2 Senior Government Downloading and Legislative Changes

Moved By Councillor Frizzell

Seconded By Councillor Skakun

That Council REFERS the matter of senior government downloading to the 2026-2030 Council orientation and strategic planning session.

Carried Unanimously

Moved By Councillor Sampson

Seconded By Councillor Scott

That Council DIRECTS Administration to develop a document summarizing the August 7, 2026 report from the Director of Finance and IT Services regarding senior government downloading, for use as an advocacy tool in meetings with other levels of government.

Carried Unanimously

Moved By Councillor Sampson

Seconded By Councillor Polillo

That Council DIRECTS Administration to send a letter to the Honourable Josie Osborne, Minister of Finance, congratulating her on her appointment, noting that Council was unable to secure a meeting with the Minister of Finance during the previous term, and expressing Council's interest in meeting with her at the 2026 UBCM Convention.

Carried Unanimously

Moved By Councillor Scott
Seconded By Councillor Klassen

That Council RECEIVES FOR INFORMATION consent agenda items C.1 and C.2.

Carried Unanimously

D. REPORTS

**STANDING COMMITTEE ON INTERGOVERNMENTAL AFFAIRS – COUNCILLOR
GARTH FRIZZELL, CHAIR**

D.1 Prince George Violence Against Women in Relationships

Moved By Councillor Scott
Seconded By Councillor Frizzell

That Council APPROVES a letter in support of the Prince George Purple Lights Nights Campaign taking place from October 16 to 30 and organized by the Prince George Violence Against Women in Relationships Coordination Committee.

Carried Unanimously

D.2 Letter to Honorable Jennifer Whiteside, Minister of Labour – Reinstating the Bridging to Retirement Program

Moved By Councillor Sampson
Seconded By Councillor Polillo

That Council:

1. APPROVES the letter as attached to the report dated August 11, 2026, from the Chair of the Intergovernmental Committee, titled “Letter to Honorable Jennifer Whiteside, Minister of Labour– Reinstating the Bridging to Retirement Program”; and
2. DIRECTS Administration to submit a letter on behalf of the Mayor and Council to the Minister of Labour in support of Reinstating the Bridging to Retirement Program for affected forestry workers.

Carried Unanimously

Moved By Councillor Ramsay
Seconded By Councillor Frizzell

That Council DIRECTS Administration to send a letter to the Honourable Ravi Parmar, Minister of Forests, requesting a meeting to advocate regarding the *Depreciation Act* and the impact of depreciating industrial assets on local government property tax revenues.

Carried Unanimously

DIRECTOR OF PLANNING AND DEVELOPMENT – DEANNA WASNIK

D.3 Zoning Bylaw Amendment No. RZ2026-019 Housing Action (Bylaw No. 9635)

Applicant: City of Prince George

Location: City Wide

Documents for Council's consideration included:

1. Staff report dated July 29, 2026, from the Director of Planning and Development, titled "Zoning Bylaw Amendment No. RZ2026-019 Housing Action (Bylaw No. 9635)";
 - a. Exhibit "A" to RZ2026-019; and
 - b. Exhibit "B" to RZ2026-019.

Correspondence for Council's consideration included:

1. Correspondence dated August 10, 2026 from Annie L. Booth noting concerns regarding the application.
2. Correspondence dated August 10, 2026 from Jana Korum noting concerns regarding the application.
3. Correspondence dated August 10, 2026 from Britt Meierhofer noting concerns regarding the application.
4. Correspondence dated August 10, 2026 from David Greenberg noting concerns regarding the application.
5. Correspondence dated August 10, 2026 from Miriam Green noting concerns regarding the application.
6. Correspondence dated August 10, 2026 from Heather Green noting concerns regarding the application.
7. Correspondence dated August 10, 2026 from Candi Hewitt noting concerns regarding the application.
8. Correspondence dated August 11, 2026 from Melinda Park noting concerns regarding the application.
9. Correspondence dated August 11, 2026 from Crystal Prieston noting concerns regarding the application.
10. Correspondence dated August 11, 2026 from Erica Holland noting concerns regarding the application.
11. Correspondence dated August 11, 2026 from Kimberlee Robinson in opposition to the application.
12. Correspondence dated August 11, 2026 from Becky Lewis noting concerns regarding the application.
13. Correspondence dated August 11, 2026 from Elizabeth Lawrence noting concerns regarding the application.
14. Correspondence dated August 11, 2026 from Marlene Kilpatrick noting concerns regarding the application.
15. Correspondence dated August 11, 2026 from Susanne Weber noting concerns regarding the application.
16. Correspondence dated August 11, 2026 from Cheryl Wehr in opposition to the

application.

17. Correspondence dated August 11, 2026 from Richard Blok noting concerns regarding the application.

Handout correspondence for Council's consideration included:

1. Correspondence dated August 12, 2026 from Kelly-Anne Henrichs noting concerns regarding the application.
2. Correspondence dated August 11, 2026 from Elsie Wiebe noting concerns regarding the application.
3. Correspondence dated August 12, 2026 from Terri McClymont noting concerns regarding the application.
4. Correspondence dated August 12, 2026 from Geraldine Burbee noting concerns regarding the application.
5. Correspondence dated August 12, 2026 from Miriam Green noting concerns regarding the application.
6. Correspondence dated August 12, 2026 from Barb Lloyd noting concerns regarding the application.
7. Correspondence dated August 12, 2026 from Jim Burbee in opposition to the application.
8. Correspondence dated August 12, 2026 from Lance Forsberg noting concerns regarding the application.
9. Correspondence dated August 12, 2026 from Deb McCallum noting concerns regarding the application.
10. Correspondence dated August 12, 2026 from Kathleen and Roger Haines noting concerns regarding the application.
11. Correspondence dated August 12, 2026 from Patrick Turner noting concerns regarding the application.
12. Correspondence dated August 12, 2026 from Tracy Wiebe noting concerns regarding the application.
13. Correspondence dated August 17, 2026 from Jenni Murray noting concerns regarding the application.
14. Correspondence dated August 12, 2026 from Thomas Kyriakos noting concerns regarding the application.
15. Correspondence dated August 12, 2026 from Charlene Clark noting concerns regarding the application.
16. Correspondence dated August 12, 2026 from Doreen Dyson noting concerns regarding the application.
17. Correspondence dated August 12, 2026 from Kristyn Beech noting concerns regarding the application.
18. Correspondence dated August 12, 2026 from Lynn Goodwin noting concerns regarding the application.
19. Correspondence dated August 12, 2026 from Trudy Pacholko noting concerns regarding the application.
20. Correspondence dated August 12, 2026 from Lynn Poeppelmann noting concerns regarding the application.
21. Correspondence dated August 13, 2026 from Anne Spiers noting concerns regarding the application.

22. Correspondence dated August 13, 2026 from Kelly Harris noting concerns regarding the application.
23. Correspondence dated August 13, 2026 from Evelyn Wolfermann noting concerns regarding the application.
24. Correspondence dated August 13, 2026 from Sandra Moffat noting concerns regarding the application.
25. Correspondence dated August 13, 2026 from Landyn Fellers noting concerns regarding the application.
26. Correspondence dated August 13, 2026 from Anita Dubrule noting concerns regarding the application.
27. Correspondence dated August 13, 2026 from Shelley Hempstead noting concerns regarding the application.
28. Correspondence dated August 13, 2026 from Shawn Fors noting concerns regarding the application.
29. Correspondence dated August 13, 2026 from Angie Glavin noting concerns regarding the application.
30. Correspondence dated August 13, 2026 from Dianna Fors noting concerns regarding the application.
31. Correspondence dated August 13, 2026 from Alison Bacon noting concerns regarding the application.
32. Correspondence dated August 13, 2026 from Luciano Flynn noting concerns regarding the application.
33. Correspondence dated August 13, 2026 from Danielle Fisher-Hynd noting concerns regarding the application.
34. Correspondence dated August 13, 2025 from Andrea Fisher-Hynd noting concerns regarding the application.
35. Correspondence dated August 13, 2026 from Sarah Blaskovich noting concerns regarding the application.
36. Correspondence dated August 13, 2026 from Alisa Olesik noting concerns regarding the application.
37. Correspondence dated August 11, 2026 from Rebecca Benante noting concerns regarding the application.
38. Correspondence dated August 14, 2026 from Alana Vann noting concerns regarding the application.
39. Correspondence dated August 14, 2026 from Mandy Calvert noting concerns regarding the application.
40. Correspondence dated August 14, 2026 from Melanie Snesrud noting concerns regarding the application.
41. Correspondence dated August 14, 2026 from Nancy McIntyre noting concerns regarding the application.
42. Correspondence dated August 13, 2026 from Dawn Cowie noting concerns regarding the application.
43. Correspondence dated August 14, 2026 from Cathy Fortin noting concerns regarding the application.
44. Correspondence dated August 13, 2026 from Twyla Owen noting concerns regarding the application.
45. Correspondence dated August 13, 2026 from Elizabeth Sharp noting concerns regarding the application.

46. Correspondence dated August 14, 2025 from Wayne Cameron noting concerns regarding the application.
47. Correspondence dated August 14, 2026 from Corina VanCaeseele noting concerns regarding the application.
48. Correspondence dated August 13, 2026 from David Greenberg noting concerns regarding the application.
49. Correspondence dated August 14, 2026 from Fraser Deacon noting concerns regarding the application.
50. Correspondence dated August 14, 2026 from Bailey Carswell noting concerns regarding the application.
51. Correspondence dated August 14, 2026 from Jose Delgado-Guevara noting concerns regarding the application.
52. Correspondence dated August 14, 2026 from Katherine McKibbin noting concerns regarding the application.
53. Correspondence dated August 14, 2026 from Jonevan Cooper noting concerns regarding the application.
54. Correspondence dated August 14, 2026 from Samantha Ruth noting concerns regarding the application.
55. Correspondence dated August 14, 2026 from Brayden Edwards noting concerns regarding the application.
56. Correspondence dated August 15, 2026 from Kelly Cruikshank noting concerns regarding the application.
57. Correspondence dated August 15, 2026 from Lori Sproull noting concerns regarding the application.
58. Correspondence dated August 15, 2026 from Katharine Wetzig noting concerns regarding the application.
59. Correspondence dated August 15, 2026 from Pamela Norgren noting concerns regarding the application.
60. Correspondence dated August 15, 2026 from Ivan Jorgensen noting concerns regarding the application.
61. Correspondence dated August 15, 2026 from C. Elaine Boomhower noting concerns regarding the application.
62. Correspondence dated August 16, 2026 from Chantal Kidston noting concerns regarding the application.
63. Correspondence dated August 16, 2026 from Darrell Williams noting concerns regarding the application.
64. Correspondence dated August 16, 2026 from Marina Russell noting concerns regarding the application.
65. Correspondence dated August 16, 2026 from Mackenzie Dame noting concerns regarding the application.
66. Correspondence dated August 16, 2026 from Dora Hunter in opposition to the application.
67. Correspondence dated August 16, 2026 from Irina Doering noting concerns regarding the application.
68. Correspondence dated August 16, 2026 from Jeremy Richmond noting concerns regarding the application.
69. Correspondence dated August 16, 2026 from Teresa Cavanaugh noting concerns regarding the application.

70. Correspondence dated August 16, 2026 from Robert Plewes noting concerns regarding the application.
71. Correspondence dated August 16, 2026 from Derrick McBratney noting concerns regarding the application.
72. Correspondence dated August 16, 2026 from Samantha Van Bommel noting concerns regarding the application.
73. Correspondence dated August 17, 2026 from Susan Bond noting concerns regarding the application.
74. Correspondence dated August 17, 2026 from Nicola Arnett noting concerns regarding the application.
75. Correspondence dated August 17, 2026 from Simone Pauls noting concerns regarding the application.
76. Correspondence dated August 17, 2026 from Leon Geisler noting concerns regarding the application.
77. Correspondence dated August 17, 2026 from Illya Medlicott noting concerns regarding the application.
78. Correspondence dated August 17, 2026 from Donald Bond noting concerns regarding the application.
79. Correspondence dated August 15, 2026 from C. Hook noting concerns regarding the application.
80. Correspondence dated August 17, 2026 from G. Leon noting concerns regarding the application.
81. Correspondence dated August 10, 2026 from Cara Bullis noting concerns regarding the application.
82. Correspondence dated August 17, 2026 from Kristine Henning noting concerns regarding the application.

Moved By Councillor Polillo

Seconded By Councillor Klassen

That Council GIVES FIRST THREE READINGS of “City of Prince George Zoning Bylaw No. 7850, 2007, Amendment Bylaw No. 9635, 2026.”

Carried Unanimously

H. PUBLIC HEARING

H.1 The Regular Council Meeting adjourned to the Public Hearing at 7:10 p.m. Section 219 Covenant Application No. RC000036 (Bylaw No. 9580, 2025)

Applicant: Kirk Gable for K. Gable & Associates Ltd., Inc. No. BC1031214
Location: 824 La Salle Avenue

Documents for Council's consideration included:

1. Staff report dated June 23, 2026, from the Director of Planning and Development, titled: "Section 219 Covenant Application No. RC000036 (Bylaw No. 9580, 2025)" (Considered at the July 20, 2026 Regular Council Meeting);
 - a. Location and Existing Zoning Map; and
 - b. Section 219 Restrictive Covenant (Land Title Office Doc No.

CA2609472).

2. Correspondence dated July 16, 2026 from Kirk Gable in support of the application.

Handout correspondence for Council's consideration included:

1. Correspondence dated August 15, 2026 from Anne Muirhead in opposition to the application.
2. Correspondence dated August 15, 2026 from Dave and Deb Ewen in opposition to the application.
3. Correspondence dated August 16, 2026 from Margaret Jones-Bricker in opposition to the application.
4. Correspondence dated August 17, 2026 from David Bobbie in opposition to the application.
5. Correspondence dated August 17, 2026 from Roy Olsen noting concerns regarding the application.
6. Correspondence dated August 17, 2026 from Crystal Higman noting concerns regarding the application.

Applicant:

Kirk Gable, Applicant, was in attendance via Zoom and available for questions.

Representations from Members of the Public:

Margaret Jones-Bricker, Hazelton Street, attended Centre Table and spoke in opposition to the application noting concerns about whether the infrastructure in the vicinity of the proposed development will be able to support the increase in density and whether there is sufficient land to support required parking.

Lucia Bonin, Hazleton St, attended via Zoom and spoke in opposition to the application, citing concerns that the proposed increase in density would negatively impact traffic safety, noise levels, and the character of the existing neighbourhood.

Moved By Councillor Skakun

Seconded By Councillor Frizzell

That the Public Hearing regarding “Section 219 Covenant Application No. RC000036 (Bylaw No. 9580, 2025)”, BE CLOSED.

Carried Unanimously

The Public Hearing adjourned to the Regular Council Meeting at 7:32 p.m.

Moved By Councillor Frizzell

Seconded By Councillor Bennett

That Council GIVES THIRD READING of “City of Prince George Restrictive Covenant Discharge Bylaw No. 9580, 2025”.

Carried

Councillor Sampson and Councillor Skakun opposed.

D.4 Road Closure Application No. RCL00038 (Bylaw No. 9628, 2026)

Applicant: HyLand Properties on behalf of Mennonite Central Committee (MCC)
British Columbia, Inc. No. S0008191

Location: Road Dedication adjacent to 2000 Central Street and Griffiths Avenue

Documents for Council's consideration included:

1. Staff report dated July 20, 2026, from the Director of Planning and Development, titled "Road Closure Application No. RCL00038 (Bylaw No. 9628)";
 - a. Location Map;
 - b. Appendix "A" to Bylaw No. 9628 – Road Closure Plan EPP152754; and
 - c. Exhibit "A" to RCL00038 – Consolidation Plan EPP152755.

Handout correspondence for Council's consideration included:

1. Correspondence dated August 17, 2026 from Jacqueline McLaughlin noting concerns regarding the application.

Moved By Councillor Bennett

Seconded By Councillor Klassen

That Council GIVES FIRST THREE READINGS to "City of Prince George Road Closure Bylaw No. 9628, 2026".

Carried

Councillor Skakun opposed.

D.5 Development Variance Permit Application No. VP2026-12

Applicant: Sukhveer Kaur Jassal and Gursharn Singh Jassal

Location: 2670 Vanier Drive

Documents for Council's consideration included:

1. Staff report dated July 20, 2026, from the Director of Planning and Development, titled "Development Variance Permit Application No. VP2026-12";
 - a. Location and Existing Zoning Map;
 - b. Development Variance Permit No. VP2026-12;
 - c. Exhibit "A" to VP2026-12; and
 - d. Proposed Parking Plan.

Moved By Councillor Polillo

Seconded By Councillor Sampson

That Council APPROVES Development Variance Permit No. VP2026-12 to vary “City of Prince George Zoning Bylaw No. 7850, 2007” for the property legally described as Lot 98, District Lot 8175, Cariboo District Plan 17631 (PID 011-326-794) as follows:

- a. Vary Section 10.9.5 6 by decreasing the minimum front yard setback from 4.5m to 1.5m as it applies to parking, as shown on Exhibit “A” to VP2026-12.

Carried Unanimously

DIRECTOR OF CIVIC FACILITIES AND EVENTS – ANDY BEESLEY

D.6 Kopar Memorial Arena Naming Rights Renewal Agreement

Moved By Councillor Sampson

Seconded By Councillor Polillo

That Council APPROVES and AUTHORIZES the City Manager to sign the proposed draft Naming Rights Agreement with Kopar Administration Ltd. regarding the Kopar Memorial Arena, as attached to the report dated July 27, 2026 from the Director of Civic Facilities and Events, titled “Kopar Memorial Arena Naming Rights Renewal Agreement”.

Carried Unanimously

DIRECTOR OF FINANCE AND IT SERVICES – KRIS DALIO

D.7 Capital Addition – Community Fibre Optic Network Connection

Moved By Councillor Frizzell

Seconded By Councillor Ramsay

That Council APPROVES the addition of the “Community Fibre Optic Network Connection” project, as detailed in the report dated August 7, 2026 from the Director of Finance & IT Services to the City’s 2026 Financial Plan for a budget of \$400,000 with funding from the Community Fibre Optic Network fund.

Carried Unanimously

MANAGER OF LEGISLATIVE SERVICES/CORPORATE OFFICER – ETHAN ANDERSON

D.8 Proposed 2027 Council Meeting Schedule

Moved By Councillor Scott

Seconded By Councillor Frizzell

That Council APPROVES the 2027 Council Meeting Calendar, as attached to the report dated July 15, 2026, from the Manager of Legislative Services/Corporate Officer titled “Proposed 2027 Council Meeting Schedule”.

Moved By Councillor Polillo
Seconded By Councillor Frizzell

That Council AMENDS the 2027 Council Calendar by moving the September 27, 2027 meeting to September 29, 2027.

Carried

Councillor Ramsay and Councillor Skakun opposed.

Main motion as amended.

Carried

Councillor Ramsay and Councillor Skakun opposed.

E. NOTICE OF MOTION

COUNCILLOR BRIAN SKAKUN AND COUNCILLOR GARTH FRIZZELL

E.1 Regulation of Data Centers

Notice of this motion has been given. This item will be considered at the August 31, 2026 Regular Council Meeting.

F. BYLAWS - FINAL READING AND ADOPTION

F.1 City of Prince George Zoning Bylaw No. 7850, 2007, Amendment Bylaw No. 9548, 2025

Moved By Councillor Scott
Seconded By Councillor Polillo

That Council GRANTS FINAL READING AND ADOPTION of “City of Prince George Zoning Bylaw No. 7850, 2007, Amendment Bylaw No. 9548, 2025”.

Carried

Councillor Skakun opposed.

F.2 City of Prince George Zoning Bylaw No. 7850, 2007, Amendment Bylaw No. 9564, 2025

Moved By Councillor Sampson
Seconded By Councillor Bennett

That Council GRANTS FINAL READING AND ADOPTION of “City of Prince George Zoning Bylaw No. 7850, 2007, Amendment Bylaw No. 9564, 2025”.

Carried Unanimously

F.3 City of Prince George Official Community Plan Bylaw No. 9525, 2025, Amendment Bylaw No. 9551, 2025

As Councillor Klassen was not in attendance for the Public Hearing regarding 5310 Russman Road and could not attest having reviewed the information presented and considered at the Public Hearing, she exited Council Chambers at 8:05 p.m.

Moved By Councillor Bennett
Seconded By Councillor Polillo

That Council GRANTS FINAL READING AND ADOPTION of “City of Prince George Official Community Plan Bylaw No. 9525, 2025, Amendment Bylaw No. 9551, 2025”.

Carried Unanimously

F.4 City of Prince George Zoning Bylaw No. 7850, 2007, Amendment Bylaw No. 9552, 2025

Moved By Councillor Polillo
Seconded By Councillor Sampson

That Council GRANTS FINAL READING AND ADOPTION of “City of Prince George Zoning Bylaw No. 7850, 2007, Amendment Bylaw No. 9552, 2025”.

Carried Unanimously

Councillor Klassen returned to Council Chambers at 8:06 p.m.

F.5 City of Prince George Zoning Bylaw No. 7850, 2007, Amendment Bylaw No. 9626, 2026

Moved By Councillor Klassen
Seconded By Councillor Skakun

That Council GRANTS FINAL READING AND ADOPTION of “City of Prince George Zoning Bylaw No. 7850, 2007, Amendment Bylaw No. 9626, 2026”.

Carried Unanimously

G. CORRESPONDENCE

G.1 Correspondence dated July 7, 2026 from Mayor Tim McGonigle, Town of Cowichan: Elect Respect Campaign

G.2 Correspondence dated July 16, 2026 from the Ukrainian Street Festival Organizing

Committee: Request for Financial Support for the Inaugural Ukrainian Street Festival

Moved By Councillor Frizzell

Seconded By Mayor Yu

That Council PROVIDES up to \$2,500 in funding to support the Inaugural Ukrainian Street Festival, to be funded from the 2026 Council Contingency Fund.

Moved By Councillor Frizzell

Seconded By Councillor Skakun

That Council POSTPONES consideration of the main motion to the August 31, 2026 regular Council meeting.

Carried Unanimously

- G.3 Correspondence dated July 16, 2026 from the Canadian Association of Physicians for the Environment (CAPE): Urgent Call for Stronger Heat Protections following the Fifth Anniversary of the BC Heat Dome
- G.4 Correspondence dated July 18, 2026 from Andrea Erwin: Request to Establish an Official Off-Leash Dog Beach area in Nechako Riverside Park
- G.5 Correspondence dated July 19, 2026 from Dave Hewitt: Petition Including 266 Signature in Favour of Establishing an Off Leash Dog Park in an Undeveloped Area South of Lheidli T'enneh Memorial Park

Moved By Councillor Ramsay

Seconded By Councillor Bennett

That Council REFERS the correspondence dated July 18, 2026 from Andrea Erwin and the correspondence dated July 19, 2026 from Dave Hewitt to Administration to return a report outlining options for establishing an off-leash dog park within City limits that provides dogs with access to water.

Carried Unanimously

- G.6 Correspondence dated July 27, 2026 from Jessica Rankin, Specialist, Event Attraction, Tourism Prince George: Request for a Letter in Support of Prince George's Bid to Host Gathering Our Voices 2028 Conference

Moved By Councillor Polillo

Seconded By Councillor Frizzell

That Council REQUESTS the Mayor's Office provide a letter in support of Tourism Prince George's bid to host Gathering Our Voices 2028 Conference.

Carried Unanimously

G.7 Correspondence dated July 23, 2026 from Darien Davis, Office Assistant, Carrier Sekani: Request for Sponsorship Support for the Annual General Assembly

G.8 Correspondence dated July 24, 2026 from Mayor Philip Germuth, District of Kitimat: Letter of Support for the City of Prince George's UBCM Resolution regarding the Northern-Rural Homeowners Grant

Moved By Councillor Sampson

Seconded By Councillor Scott

That Council DIRECTS Administration to send correspondence to northern communities regarding the City of Prince George's UBCM resolution concerning the Northern and Rural Homeowner Benefit.

Moved By Councillor Ramsay

Seconded By Councillor Frizzell

That Council AMENDS the main motion by replacing the words "northern communities" with the words "all communities in British Columbia whose residents are eligible to receive the Home Owner Grant."

Carried Unanimously

Main motion as amended.

Carried Unanimously

G.9 Correspondence dated July 29, 2026 from Mayor Ron Paull, City of Quesnel: Letter of Support for the City of Prince George's UBCM Resolution regarding the Northern-Rural Homeowners Grant

G.10 Correspondence dated July 30, 2026 from Chris Simons, Director of Competitions, Caledonia Nordic Ski Club: Request for Council Resolution in Support of the Northern Development Initiative Trust Funding Request (NDIT)

Moved By Councillor Sampson

Seconded By Councillor Frizzell

That the City of Prince George SUPPORTS the application to Northern Development Initiative Trust from the Caledonia Nordic Ski Club for a grant of up to \$20,000 to support marketing of the IBU Regional Event - 2027 Canadian Biathlon Championships from the NDIT Marketing Initiative Account.

Carried Unanimously

G.11 Correspondence dated July 31, 2026 from Mayor Simon Yu: Letter of Support for the Prince George Heritage Commission's Heritage Legacy Fund Grant Application

G.12 Correspondence dated July 31, 2026 from Christos Vardacostas, Executive

Director, Central BC Railway & Forestry Museum: Request for Council Resolution in Support of the Northern Development Initiative Trust (NDIT) Funding Request

Moved By Councillor Polillo

Seconded By Councillor Frizzell

That the City of Prince George SUPPORTS the Cultural Infrastructure grant application to the Northern Development Initiative Trust from the Central British Columbia Railway and Forest Industry Museum Society in the amount of \$100,000 for the Penny Station Conservation Project.

Carried Unanimously

- G.13 Correspondence dated July 23, 2026 from Mayor Simon Yu: Letter of Support for Tourism Prince George and Spinal Cord Injury BC in their Joint Application to the Accessible Canada – National AccessAbility Week Funding Program**
- G.14 Correspondence dated July 28, 2026 from Mayor Alan Harrison, City of Salmon Arm: Local Government Climate Action Program Funding Continuation**
- G.15 Correspondence dated August 6, 2026 from Councillor Cori Ramsay, UBCM President: First Community Works Fund Payment for 2026/2027**
- G.16 Correspondence dated August 7, 2026 from Mayor Allen Courtoreille and Steve McLain, CAO, District of Chetwynd: Letter of Support for the City of Prince George's UBCM Resolution regarding the Northern-Rural Homeowners Grant**
- G.17 Correspondence dated August 4, 2026 from Dr. Travis Holyk, Chief Administrative Officer, Carrier Sekani Family Services: Request for Sponsorship Support for 2026 Strength for All Elders Conference**
- G.18 Correspondence dated August 11, 2026 from Linda Jeurond: Advancing the "Density Without Demolition" Framework - The Qualicum Beach Precedent**

Moved By Councillor Scott

Seconded By Councillor Sampson

That Council RECEIVES FOR INFORMATION correspondence items G.1 to G.18.

Carried Unanimously

I. ADJOURNMENT

Moved By Councillor Polillo

Seconded By Councillor Skakun

That there being no further business the Regular Council Meeting, BE ADJOURNED.

Carried Unanimously

THE REGULAR MEETING OF COUNCIL ADJOURNED AT 8:18 P.M.

CHAIRPERSON

CERTIFIED CORRECT