MINUTES of REGULAR Meeting #2025-11 of the Council of the City of Whitehorse called for 5:30pm on Monday, June 9, 2025, in Council Chambers, City Hall.

PRESENT:

Mayor Kirk Cameron

Councillors *Dan Boyd

Paolo Gallina Jenny Hamilton Eileen Melnychuk Anne Middler Lenore Morris

ALSO PRESENT:

City Manager Jeff O'Farrell

Director of Community Services Krista Mroz
Director of Corporate Services Valerie Braga
Director of Development Services Lindsay Schneider

A/Director of Operations Rob Dickson

Director of People, Culture, and Technology Landon Kulych

Mayor Cameron called the meeting to order at 5:30 p.m.

CALL TO ORDER

AGENDA

2025-11-01

It was duly moved and seconded THAT the Agenda be adopted as presented.

Carried Unanimously

MINUTES

2025-11-02

It was duly moved and seconded THAT the Minutes of the Regular Council meeting dated May 26, 2025 be adopted as presented.

Carried Unanimously

COMMITTEE REPORTS

Public Health and Safety Committee

<u>2025-11-03</u>

It was duly moved and seconded

THAT Council direct that proposed Bylaw 2025-25, a bylaw to amend the Traffic Bylaw regarding Neighbourhood Speed Limit Reductions, be brought forward for consideration under the Bylaw process.

Traffic Bylaw Amendment – Neighbourhood Speed Limit Reduction

Carried Unanimously

^{*}Indicates electronic participation.

Corporate Services Committee

2025-11-04

It was duly moved and seconded

THAT the Council direct that Bylaw 2025-26, a bylaw to authorize municipal charges and community services grants in the amount of \$273,557.84 for the year 2025, be brought forward for consideration under the bylaw process.

Community Service and Municipal Charges Grants Bylaw

Carried Unanimously

2025-11-05

It was duly moved and seconded

THAT Council amend the 2025-2028 Capital Expenditure Plan and approve the creation of a new capital project for Standard Building Design Guides in the amount of \$50,000, funded by the General Reserve.

Budget Amendment – Standard Building Design Guides

Carried Unanimously

2025-11-06

It was duly moved and seconded

THAT Council adopt the 2025-2028 Council Strategic Priorities by resolution.

Council Strategic Priorities

Carried Unanimously

The Committee members that attended spoke to the 2025 Federation of Canadian Municipalities Annual Conference and Trade Show in Ottawa, noting appreciation for the experience and how it was a good opportunity to learn from and connect with officials across Canada.

New Business – FCM Annual Conference and Trade Show

City Planning Committee

2025-11-07

It was duly moved and seconded

THAT Council authorize the Mayor, on behalf of Council, to enter into an agreement with Kwanlin Dün First Nation to vary the land use and development designation of KDFN Settlement Land Parcels C-117B and C-141B.

Change of Use – Kwanlin Dün First Nation Valleyview Settlement Lands

Carried Unanimously

2025-11-08

It was duly moved and seconded

THAT Council direct that Bylaw 2025-27, a bylaw to amend the zoning of 10 Eldorado Drive, from PS – Public Service to PSx(f) – Public Service (modified), to allow for a 1.8 m fence in the front yard, be brought forward for consideration under the bylaw process; and

THAT Council authorize the use of alternative notification methods in the event of a postal delivery disruption.

Carried Unanimously

Zoning Amendment – 10 Eldorado Drive

2025-11-09

It was duly moved and seconded

THAT Council direct that Bylaw 2025-29, a bylaw to amend the zoning of 14 Tarahne Way, from CNC – Comprehensive Neighbourhood Commercial to CNCx(d) – Comprehensive Neighbourhood Commercial (modified), to allow for an eating and drinking establishment including a drive-through, be brought forward for consideration under the bylaw process; and

Zoning Amendment – 14 Tarahne Way

THAT Council authorize the use of alternative notification methods in the event of a postal delivery disruption.

Carried Unanimously

Delegate Michael Hale, representing Northern Vision Development, presented supplementary information on the proposed development at 14 Tarahne Way contingent on the adoption of the Zoning Amendment for the site. As requested by Committee members, the delegate provided additional information on the vision for the area, interested service providers, and the planning process should the amendment move forward.

Delegate Michael Hale, Northern Vision Development - Zoning Amendment - 14 Tarahne Way

Development Services Committee

A Committee member took a moment to reflect on the Truth and Reconciliation Commission's Final Report released June 1, 2015, acknowledging the work towards reconciliation over the ten-year period, and calling attention to the action, effort, and collaboration still required.

New Business – Truth and Reconciliation Final Report Reflection

Mayor Kirk Cameron proclaimed June 5, 2025, to be World Environment Day in the city of Whitehorse, the 2025 theme being to focus on ending plastic pollution and urgent action towards a sustainable future.

Proclamation – World Environment Day (June 5, 2025)

City Operations Committee

As requested by a Committee member, Administration provided information on the reconstruction project in the Hillcrest neighbourhood, describing potential disruptions to residents over the project's duration.

New Business – Hillcrest Reconstruction

Community Services Committee

<u>2025-11-10</u>

It was duly moved and seconded

THAT Council direct that Bylaw 2025-23, a bylaw to authorize a lease agreement with CHIPINN FISH & CHIPS INC. to provide concession services at Takhini Arena, be brought forward for consideration under the bylaw process.

Lease Agreement – Takhini Arena Concession Services

Carried Unanimously

2025-11-11

It was duly moved and seconded THAT Council approve the amendments to the Parks Maintenance Policy.

Parks Maintenance Policy Amendment – Protective Floatation Device Provisions

Carried Unanimously

Mayor Kirk Cameron proclaimed June 7, 2025, to be Motorcycle Ride for Dad Day in the city of Whitehorse, a day to encourage discussion, awareness, and early testing for prostate cancer, and participate in raising funds to fight prostate cancer.

Proclamation – Motorcycle Ride for Dad Day (June 7, 2025)

Delegate Peter Long of the Downtown Residents Association, presented on the importance of the Airport Perimeter Trail to residents and visitors of the community. The delegate urged Council to take action and collaborate with the Government of Yukon where required to fix and prepare the trail for reopening, and to pursue the development of an official Downtown trail plan. As questioned by Committee members, the delegate described communication efforts and potential solutions for areas of concerns along the trail.

Delegate Peter Long, Downtown Residents Association – Airport Perimeter Trail

BYLAWS

2025-11-12

It was duly moved and seconded THAT Bylaw 2025-27, a bylaw to amend the zoning of 10 Eldorado Drive, from PS – Public Service to PSx(f) – Public Service (modified), to allow for a 1.8 m fence in the front yard, be given First Reading.

BYLAW 2025-27

Zoning Amendment – 10 Eldorado Drive FIRST READING

Carried Unanimously

<u>2025-11-13</u>

It was duly moved and seconded THAT Bylaw 2025-29, a bylaw to amend the zoning of 14 Tarahne Way, from CNC – Comprehensive Neighbourhood Commercial to CNCx(d) – Comprehensive Neighbourhood Commercial (modified), to allow for an eating and drinking establishment including a drive-through, be given First Reading.

BYLAW 2025-29

Zoning Amendment – 14 Tarahne Way FIRST READING

Carried Unanimously

2025-11-14

It was duly moved and seconded THAT Bylaw 2025-23, a bylaw to authorize a lease agreement with CHIPINN FISH & CHIPS INC. to provide concession services at Takhini Arena, be given First Reading.

BYLAW 2025-23

Lease Agreement – Takhini Arena Concession Services FIRST READING

Carried Unanimously

<u>2025-11-15</u>

It was duly moved and seconded THAT Bylaw 2025-23 be given Second Reading.

Carried Unanimously

BYLAW 2025-23

Lease Agreement -Takhini Arena Concession Services

SECOND READING

2025-11-16

It was duly moved and seconded THAT Bylaw 2025-25, a bylaw to amend the Traffic Bylaw regarding Neighbourhood Speed Limit Reductions, be given First Reading.

Carried Unanimously

BYLAW 2025-25

Traffic Bylaw Amendment Neighbourhood Speed Limit Reduction FIRST READING

2025-11-17

It was duly moved and seconded THAT Bylaw 2025-25 be given Second Reading.

Carried Unanimously

BYLAW 2025-25

Traffic Bylaw Amendment - Neighbourhood Speed Limit Reduction SECOND READING

2025-11-18

It was duly moved and seconded THAT Bylaw 2025-26, a bylaw to authorize municipal charges and community services grants in the amount of \$273,557.84 for the year 2025, be given First Reading.

Carried Unanimously

BYLAW 2025-26

Community Service and Municipal Charges Grants Bylaw FIRST READING

2025-11-19

It was duly moved and seconded THAT Bylaw 2025-26 be given Second Reading.

Carried Unanimously

BYLAW 2025-26

Community Service and Municipal Charges Grants Bylaw

SECOND READING

2025-11-20

It was duly moved and seconded

THAT Bylaw 2025-28, a bylaw to authorize a lease agreement with DK Nguyen to provide seasonal food concession services at the Frank Slim Building in Shipyards Park, be given Third Reading.

BYLAW 2025-28

Lease Agreement - Frank Slim Building Concession Services THIRD READING

Carried Unanimously

There being no further business, the meeting adjourned at 6:23 p.m. ADJOURNMENT



Kirk Cameron, Mayor

Corporate Services