

MINUTES of REGULAR Meeting #2026-10 of the Council of the City of Whitehorse called for 5:30pm on Monday, May 25, 2026, 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 Valerie Braga  
Director of Community Services Krista Mroz  
Director of Corporate Services Brittany Dixon  
Director of Development Services Lindsay Schneider  
A/Director of Operations Robert Dickson  
Director of People, Culture, and Technology Landon Kulych

\*Indicates electronic participation

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

**CALL TO ORDER**

**AGENDA**

**2026-10-01**

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

Carried Unanimously

**PROCLAMATIONS**

Mayor Cameron proclaimed June 2026 as National Indigenous History Month in the city of Whitehorse, recognizing it as a time to reflect on and acknowledge the historical injustices experienced by Indigenous peoples, promote healing, education, and dialogue, and celebrate the strength, resilience, and contributions of Indigenous communities.

National Indigenous History  
Month (June 2026)

Mayor Kirk Cameron proclaimed June 2026 as Filipino Heritage Month in the City of Whitehorse, recognizing it as an opportunity to celebrate Filipino culture and acknowledge the important contributions the Filipino community has made to the city's growth and vibrancy.

Filipino Heritage Month (June  
2026)

Mayor Kirk Cameron proclaimed June 2026 as National Pride Month in the city of Whitehorse, recognizing the City's commitment to supporting and respecting 2SLGBTQIA+ community members and employees, and working to make the community a safe and inclusive space for all.

National Pride Month (June  
2026)

## **MINUTES**

### **2026-10-02**

It was duly moved and seconded  
THAT the Minutes of the Regular Council meeting dated May  
11, 2026, be adopted as presented.

Carried Unanimously

### **2026-10-03**

It was duly moved and seconded  
THAT the Minutes of the Special Council meeting dated May  
20, 2026, be adopted as presented.

Carried Unanimously

### **2026-10-04**

It was duly moved and seconded  
THAT the Minutes of the Special Council meeting dated May  
21, 2026, be adopted as presented.

Carried Unanimously

## **COMMITTEE REPORTS**

### **City Operations Committee**

There was no report from the City Operations Committee.

No Report.

### **Community Services Committee**

A Committee member followed up on interest in exploring  
potential modifications to the seasonal use of Miles Canyon  
Road to improve safety for recreation opportunities.  
Administration shared preliminary information regarding  
options and potential next steps.

Miles Canyon Road –  
Motorized Traffic/Recreation  
Safety

### **Public Health and Safety Committee**

Mayor Kirk Cameron proclaimed May 21, 2026 to be Apraxia  
Awareness Day in the City of Whitehorse. The proclamation  
recognized the efforts of the Yukon Speech Language  
Pathology and Audiology Association, Autism Yukon, and the

Proclamation – Apraxia  
Awareness Day (May 21,  
2026)

LDAY Centre for Learning in raising awareness and supporting access to services for affected children and their families.

Delegate Maddie Porter presented an update on the finalized 'A Place to Be' framework and requested Council's support in signing a declaration alongside government partners committing to work toward reducing and ending homelessness in the Yukon. As requested by Committee members, the delegate provided additional information regarding supportive housing and current levels of homelessness.

Delegate Maddie Porter – A  
Place to Be: Community  
Action to End Homelessness

As requested by a Committee member, Administration provided an update on monitoring of the Robert Service Way escarpment and advised that conditions continue to be monitored daily during the spring melt period. Administration noted that current conditions are favourable and that public safety measures will remain in place as required.

Robert Service Way  
Escarpment Update

### **Corporate Services Committee**

#### **2026-10-05**

It was duly moved and seconded  
THAT Council amend the 2026 Operating Budget for the Parks Department by increasing revenue in the amount of \$85,000 offset by an equal increase in expenditures for the purpose of hosting the 2026 FIFA World Cup Community Celebration.

2026 Operating Budget  
Amendment – FIFA World  
Cup Community  
Celebration

Carried Unanimously

#### **2026-10-06**

It was duly moved and seconded  
THAT Council approve the allocation of \$150,357.50 for the 2026 Spring Recreation Grants as proposed in Attachment 1 and Attachment 2.

Spring Recreation Grant  
Allocations

Carried Unanimously

#### **2026-10-07**

It was duly moved and seconded  
THAT Council amend 2026-2029 Capital Expenditure Program by moving project 700c00626 Modernizing Whitehorse's Business Licensing & Programs to Appendix 'A' in the amount of \$45,000, funded by the Capital Reserve.

Capital Budget Amendment –  
Modernizing Whitehorse's  
Business  
Licensing & Programs

Carried Unanimously

**City Planning Committee**

**2026-10-08**

It was duly moved and seconded  
THAT Council direct that Bylaws 2026-22, 2026-18, and 2026-19, bylaws to amend the Fees and Charges Bylaw, the Animal Control Bylaw, and the Maintenance Bylaw with respect to implementing Zoning Bylaw 2025-37, be brought forward for consideration under the bylaw process.

Updates to City Bylaws in  
Relation to Zoning Bylaw  
2025-37

Carried Unanimously

**Development Services Committee**

Mayor Kirk Cameron proclaimed May 19–23, 2026, to be Yukon Mining and Geology Week in the City of Whitehorse. The proclamation recognized Whitehorse’s mining history and highlighted educational opportunities to learn more about Yukon’s geological endowment and the people who work in the mining industry.

Proclamation Yukon Mining  
and Geology Week (May 19-  
23)

**2026-10-09**

It was duly moved and seconded  
THAT Council direct that Bylaw 2026-21, a bylaw to amend the Building and Plumbing Bylaw with respect to temporary tents, be brought forward for consideration under the bylaw process; and  
THAT Council repeal the Tent Placement Policy – Temporary Tents. *Note: Bylaw 2026-21 subsequently received all required readings and was adopted at Special Council Meetings held on May 20 and 21, 2026.*

Building and Plumbing Bylaw  
Amendment – Temporary  
Tents

Carried Unanimously

**NEW AND UNFINISHED BUSINESS**

Councillor Anne Middler presented a Notice of Motion to bring forward at the June 8, 2026 Regular Council meeting to direct Administration to bring forward an administrative report with analysis on the declaration or endorsement requested in relation to *A Place to Be: Framework for Community Action to End Homelessness 2025–2030*.

Notice of Motion – Councillor  
Anne Middler – Administrative  
Report on City Support for A  
Place to Be

**BYLAWS**

**2026-10-10**

It was duly moved and seconded  
THAT Bylaw 2026-18, a bylaw to amend the Animal Control Bylaw, be given First Reading.

**BYLAW 2026-18**  
Animal Control Bylaw  
Amendment  
FIRST READING

Carried Unanimously

**2026-10-11**

It was duly moved and seconded  
THAT Bylaw 2026-18 be given Second Reading.  
Carried Unanimously

**BYLAW 2026-18**  
Animal Control Bylaw  
Amendment  
SECOND READING

**2026-10-12**

It was duly moved and seconded  
THAT Bylaw 2026-19, a bylaw to amend the Maintenance  
Bylaw, be given First Reading.  
Carried Unanimously

**BYLAW 2026-19**  
Maintenance Bylaw  
Amendment  
FIRST READING

**2026-10-13**

It was duly moved and seconded  
THAT Bylaw 2026-19 be given Second Reading.  
Carried Unanimously

**BYLAW 2026-19**  
Maintenance Bylaw  
Amendment  
SECOND READING

**2026-10-14**

It was duly moved and seconded  
THAT Bylaw 2026-22, a bylaw to amend the Fees and  
Charges Bylaw, be given First Reading.  
Carried Unanimously

**BYLAW 2026-22**  
Fees and Charges Bylaw  
Amendment  
FIRST READING


**2026-10-15**

It was duly moved and seconded  
THAT Bylaw 2026-22, as amended, be given Second Reading.  
Carried Unanimously

**BYLAW 2026-22**  
Fees and Charges Bylaw  
Amendment  
SECOND READING

There being no further business, the meeting adjourned at 6:27 p.m. **ADJOURNMENT**



  
Kirk Cameron, Mayor

  
Corporate Services