# REQUEST FOR DECISION



Department: Legislative Services Submitted by: Bonnie Stearns

SUBJECT: Adoption of the April 14th, 2025 Regular Council Meeting Minutes

#### **RECOMMENDATION:**

That Council adopts the April 14th, 2025 Regular Council Meeting minutes as presented.

### **CAO COMMENTS:**

SUPPORTING DOCUMENTS: Report/Document: Attached \_X\_ Available \_\_\_\_ Nil \_\_\_\_

# **KEY ISSUE(S)/CONCEPTS DEFINED:**

#### **RELEVANT POLICY:**

Municipal Government Act Revised Statutes of Alberta, 2000, Chapter M-26, Division 9, Part 6, Section 208 Performance of major administrative duties. 'The chief administrative officer must ensure that the minutes of each council meeting are given to council for adoption at a subsequent council meeting.'

#### STRATEGIC RELEVANCE:

Following MGA requirements

#### **DESIRED OUTCOME(S):**

That the April 14<sup>th</sup>, 2025 minutes accurately reflect Council's decision and direction at its Regular Meeting.

#### **RESPONSE OPTIONS:**

The minutes presented are the unapproved record of the April 14<sup>th</sup>, 2025 Regular Council Meeting and are presented for adoption, or adoption as amended, by Council. Minutes were emailed out to Council on April 22<sup>nd</sup> with no changes made at the time of this report.

#### PREFERRED STRATEGY:

That Council adopts the Apr. 14th, 2025 Regular Council Meeting minutes.

#### IMPLICATIONS OF RECOMMENDATION:

Permanent management and storage of Minutes.

#### **GENERAL**:

Historical; permanent record for future review.

#### **ORGANIZATIONAL:**

Legislative department ensuring the documents are properly handled.

#### **FOLLOW UP ACTION:**

The Minutes will be printed, signed by the Mayor and CAO, and placed in a secure location for long term storage.

CAO reviews minutes with management team to determine action items and identify follow up tasks.

Review at regular Manager's Meetings to ensure tasks are being completed.

#### **COMMUNICATION:**

The approved minutes will be posted onto the town's website for public viewing.

#### **OTHER COMMENTS:**

Minutes for the past several years are available for public viewing on the website.

Presented at the April 28th, 2025 Regular Council Meeting for the Town of Penhold

CAO

# Town of Penhold

# REGULAR MEETING MINUTES



April 14<sup>th</sup>, 2025 Town Council Chambers

**Deputy Mayor:** 

Mike Yargeau

**Councillors:** 

Teresa Cunningham Ken Denson Cameron Galisky Shawn Hamm Shaun Kranenborg Tyrone Muller

**Guests:** 

Lori Wolfe, Resident Ann Bilyk, Resident Jo Michaluk, Resident

Konstantin Neykurs, Pivotal LLP Chartered

**Professional Accountants** 

Stephen Ohene-Adjei, Pivotal LLP
Chartered Professional Accountants

**Staff**: Rick Binnendyk, CAO Trish Willis, Corporate

Services Manager

Sean Pendergast, Fire & Protective Services

Manager

Brandon Kowalchuk, Operations Manager Bonnie Stearns, Exec

Asst.

Mayor Yargeau called the meeting to order at 6:00 pm.

## 1. CALL TO ORDER - Mayor

# 1.1 Additions and Deletions to Agenda

Add item to new Business: 7.4 Penhold Crossing 2025 Grad Photos

# 1.2. Adoption of the Agenda

#### 2025-104

**Councillor Hamm moved** to accept the April 14<sup>th</sup>, 2025 Regular Council meeting agenda as amended.

#### **CARRIED UNANIMOUSLY**

# 2. ADOPTION OF PREVIOUS MINUTES

# 2.1. Adoption of the March 24<sup>th</sup>, 2025 Regular Council Meeting Minutes

#### 2025-105

Councillor Denson moved to accept Mar. 24<sup>th</sup>, 2025; Regular Council meeting minutes as presented.

**CARRIED UNANIMOUSLY** 

#### 3. BUSINESS ARISING OUT OF THE MINUTES

#### 2025-106

**Councillor Cunningham moved** that Council accept the listed Business Arising out of the Minutes as information.

#### **CARRIED UNANIMOUSLY**

#### 4. PUBLIC HEARING

#### 5. PRESENTATIONS & DELEGATIONS

# 5.1 Auditors presentation of Financial Reports and possible approval

#### 2025-107

**Councillor Galisky moved** that council accepts the financial reports as information with presented changes.

#### **CARRIED UNANIMOUSLY**

- 5.2 Sean Pendergast, Fire & Protective Services Manager and Brandon Kowalchuk, Operations Manager
  - Public Services Building update

Mayor Yargeau called for a recess at 6:31 pm and started meeting again at 6:34 pm

- 5.3 Trish Willis, Corporate Services Manager
  - a. 2024 Town of Penhold Final Budget
  - b. Town of Penhold 2024 Tax Rates
  - c. Town of Penhold 10-year Capital Budget

#### 6. REPORTS

#### 6.1. Financial

6.1. a. Monthly Accounts for Online Payments and Payments from March 19 – April 9, 2025

#### 2025-108

**Councillor Denson moved** that Council receives the Monthly Accounts for Online Payments from Mar. 19 – Apr. 9, 2025 as presented.

# **CARRIED UNANIMOUSLY**

6.1. b. Investment Statement for the months ending January 31 and February 28, 2025

#### 2025-109

**Councillor Hamm moved** that Council receives the Investment Statement for the months ending January 31, 2025 and February 28, 2025, as presented.

## **CARRIED UNANIMOUSLY**

# 6.2 CAO Report – Rick Binnendyk

Distributed in Council Package

#### 2025-110

**Councillor Cunningham moved** to accept the CAO's monthly report as information. **CARRIED UNANIMOUSLY** 

#### 6.3 Multiplex – Michael Szewczuk

Provided at meeting

#### 2025-111

**Councillor Muller moved** to accept the Multiplex Managers monthly report as information. **CARRIED UNANIMOUSLY** 

## 6.4 Operations – Brandon Kowalchuk

• Distributed in Council Package

#### 2025-112

**Councillor Kranenborg moved** to accept the Operations monthly report as information. **CARRIED UNANIMOUSLY** 

#### 7. NEW BUSINESS

# 7.1 Public Services Building Tariff Implications

#### 2025-113

Councillor Hamm moved that Council approves Administration to move forward to procure Canadian solutions to as many pieces of the Public Services Building Project as viable and continue with option 2 as presented for the remaining \$856,000 worth of material to maintain construction timelines and limit costs.

#### **CARRIED UNANIMOUSLY**

## 7.2 Grand Slam Bull Jam Event Clarification

#### 2025-114

**Councillor Galisky moved** that Council approve the Town be a major sponsor for the 2025 Grand Slam Bull Jam event.

**CARRIED UNANIMOUSLY** 

#### 7.3 Welcome to Penhold Night Event

#### 2025-115

**Councillor Denson moved** that Council participates in the Welcome to Penhold Night event scheduled for Apr. 23 as presented.

**CARRIED UNANIMOUSLY** 

## 7.4 Penhold Crossing Grad Photos

#### 2025-116

**Councillor Cunningham moved** that Council wishes to gift the Penhold Crossing 2025 Graduates with a photo placard as presented.

#### **CARRIED UNANIMOUSLY**

#### 8. OUTSTANDING BUSINESS

# 9. REPORTS from COUNCIL BOARDS and COMMITTEES (Formal Reports)

# 10. BYLAW(s)

# 10.1 Bylaw 836/2025 Tax Payment & Penalty Bylaw

#### 2025-117

**Councillor Denson moved** that Council move to give first reading of Bylaw 836/2025 Tax Payment & Penalty Bylaw.

#### CARRIED UNANIMOUSLY

## 2025-118

**Councillor Hamm moved** that Council move to give second reading of Bylaw 836/2025 Tax Payment & Penalty Bylaw.

#### **CARRIED UNANIMOUSLY**

#### 2025-119

**Councillor Galisky** that Council moves to proceed with third reading of Bylaw 836/2025 Tax Payment & Penalty Bylaw.

# **CARRIED UNANIMOUSLY**

#### 2025-120

**Councillor Muller moved** that Council give third and final reading of Bylaw 836/2025 Tax Payment & Penalty Bylaw.

#### **CARRIED UNANIMOUSLY**

#### 10.2 Bylaw 835/2025 Tax Rate and Minimum Tax Rate Bylaw

#### 2025-121

**Councillor Cunningham moved** that Council gives first reading to Bylaw 835/2025 being the Town of Penhold Tax Rate and Minimum Tax Rate Bylaw as presented.

# **CARRIED UNANIMOUSLY**

#### 2025-122

**Councillor Kranenborg moved** that Council gives second reading to Bylaw 835/2025 being the Town of Penhold Tax Rate and Minimum Tax Rate Bylaw as presented.

#### **CARRIED UNANIMOUSLY**

#### 2025-123

**Councillor Muller moved** that Council moves to proceed with third reading of Bylaw 835/2025. **CARRIED UNANIMOUSLY** 

#### 2025-124

**Councillor Galisky moved** that Council gives third and final reading to Bylaw 835/2025 being the Town of Penhold Tax Rae and Minimum Tax Rate Bylaw as presented.

#### **CARRIED UNANIMOUSLY**

#### 2025-125

**Councillor Denson moved** that Council approve the Town of Penhold 10 Year Capital Plan as presented.

#### **CARRIED UNANIMOUSLY**

#### 11. CORRESPONDENCE and INFORMATION

#### 11.1 General Correspondence

#### 2025-126

**Councillor Hamm moved** that Council receives the correspondence for information as presented. **CARRIED UNANIMOUSLY** 

#### 12. COUNCIL ROUND TABLE – Information no action

Mayor and Councillors reported on meetings they have attended on behalf of the Town of Penhold.

#### 2025-127

**Councillor Cunningham moved** that Council accepts the reports as information. **CARRIED UNANIMOUSLY** 

#### 13. QUESTIONS from the GALLERY

Submitted an e-service request regarding dogs off leash – quick response! E-service is an effective and efficient process.

#### 2025-128

Councillor Hamm moved to for a recess at 8:01 pm.

**CARRIED UNANIMOUSLY** 

#### 2025-129

Councillor Galisky moved to begin the meeting at 8:08 pm.

**CARRIED UNANIMOUSLY** 

#### 14. CLOSED SESSION

#### **FOIP**

Division 2 Exceptions to Disclosure

Section 21: Disclosure harmful to intergovernmental relations

2025-131 Councillor Hamm moved to move out of Close CARRIED UNANIMOUSLY	ed Session at 8:15 pm.
2025-132 Councillor Cunningham moved that Council accommission updated report as information. CARRIED UNANIMOUSLY	ccepts the South Red Deer Regional Waste
15. ADJOURNMENT	
2025-133 Councillor Muller moved to adjourn Council N CARRIED UNANIMOUSLY	Videeting at 8:16 pm.
MAYOR C	CAO

Councillor Hamm moved to go into Closed Session at 8:08 pm.

2025-130

**CARRIED UNANIMOUSLY** 

# **REQUEST FOR DECISION**



Department: Administration Submitted by: Rick Binnendyk

**SUBJECT: Council Update Report** 

# **RECOMMENDATION:**

That Council accepts the CAO's update report as information.

#### **CAO COMMENTS:**

SUPPORTING DOCUMENTS: Report/Document: Attached \_\_\_ Available \_\_\_ Nil \_X\_\_

# **KEY ISSUE(S)/CONCEPTS DEFINED:**

# **RELEVANT POLICY:**

Municipal Government Act, Statutes of Alberta 2000, Chapter M-26 - Section 207 – Chief Administrative Officer's Responsibilities.

#### **STRATEGIC RELEVANCE:**

Focus on strategic priorities and operational initiatives.

#### **DESIRED OUTCOME(S):**

Keeping Council current on community initiatives.

#### **RESPONSE OPTIONS:**

- 1. Verbal clarity on something that was identified.
- 2. Investigate an area in more depth for possible decision-making focus.

#### PREFERRED STRATEGY:

- Have an informed Council team.
- To identify an area that may need additional focus for policy change.

#### IMPLICATIONS OF RECOMMENDATION:

Information items for Council

#### COUNCIL FOLLOWUP:

- CAO Performance Review

#### **Projects:**

#### School:

There has been no further response in regards to a Governance Committee meeting. Mr. Russell, identified "I have left it with the Board Chair" - the letter was addressed to her.

# Discussion Points identified:

- The current agreement for the joint wall with Penhold Crossing; and
- Clarity on the current Penhold school's intended use

#### Administration:

- A focus has been on re-evaluating the Land Use Bylaw (LUB) in preparation for Council for April 28<sup>th</sup>.
- With the final budget approval, departments are moving ahead with construction and capital purchases.
- Continue review of the salary grid system with HR Consultants.
- The Town's request for possible financial assistance on a sewer line and storm line under highway 2A was declined. The storm and sewer lines comments were, "this is municipal infrastructure going under their roadway. This is not ATEC responsibility".
- Financial reports have been submitted to Municipal Affairs. Once we obtain the final journal entries from our auditors, we will make the required adjustments to our system.
  - o The management letter has been reviewed for some internal check points. Discussion will be occurring on how to best address these items.
  - o Tax notices will be held until the beginning of May to allow residents who wish to set their accounts up on e-billing.
- Offsite Levy Report review by Tagish is anticipated to be completed by mid-May. We are hopeful to have this ready for Council's consideration by the beginning of June.
- Our office has requested an environmental study for the current public works site in preparation of this area to be market ready.
- Met with Mr. Colin Dykman from Railside Commodities Ltd. He identified that he is negotiating for the purchase of this parcel. He further identified some upgrades that he is planning for the site. All positive.
- Our office received notice that the Assessment Review Board increased their fees this year. We are investigating whether there are any other options for membership. It should be noted that Penhold has not had an assessment appeal in years.

#### **FOLLOW UP ACTION/UPCOMING:**

- Continue to assist with the Local Government Administration Association (LGAA)
   Conference planning committee for this year's conference in June.
- Continue with setting up open houses and meeting with major developers to discuss the Town's Land Use Bylaw updates.
- Work with our engineering team on finalizing the Offsite Levy Bylaw.
- Spend some prep time on the upcoming election materials.
- Follow up on the town's Intermunicipal Collaborative Frameworks ICF documents with Red Deer County.
- Prepare for mailing of the 2025 tax notices; going out the beginning of May.

#### **COMMUNICATION:**

This is meant to keep the Council informed on the Town's administrative activities.

#### **OTHER COMMENTS:**

Presented at the April 28th, 2025, Regular Council Meeting for the Town of Penhold



# REQUEST FOR DECISION



**Department:** Community Services Submitted by: Jennifer Blaylock

**SUBJECT: Community Services Report** 

#### **RECOMMENDATION:**

That Council accepts the Community Services Department report as information.

# **CAO COMMENTS:**

SUPPORTING DOCUMENTS Report/Document: Attached \_\_\_ Available Nil

#### **FOLLOW-UP:**

March 24, 2025, Property Tax communication strategy prepped and ready to release once budget was approved with messaging advising increase in school requisition from the Province.

**KEY ISSUE(S)/CONCEPTS DEFINED: n/a** 

#### **RELEVANT POLICY:**

Municipal Government Act, Statutes of Alberta 2000, Chapter M-26 - Section 207 – Chief Administrative Officer's Responsibilities. This report is an extension of the CAO's update report.

STRATEGIC RELEVANCE: n/a

DESIRED OUTCOME(S): n/a

#### **RESPONSE OPTIONS:**

Council defers back to administration for more information.

#### PREFERRED STRATEGY:

This report is being submitted to keep Council informed of Community Services' programs, events, and services.

IMPLICATIONS OF RECOMMENDATION: n/a

**GENERAL:** April Report

# **FCSS Coordinator & FCSS Community Navigator**

- Playgroup attendance March: March 5 32 participants (23 children), March 12 26 participants (20 children), March 19 25 participants (19 children).
- April's Family Play Day saw 31 participants, including 11 families who took part in some Lego fun. Family Play Day brings families together for an afternoon of interactive games, hands-on activities, and quality time, with strong community participation and positive feedback.

- The Home Alone Safety course on March 22 was full with 20 kids registered.
- Craft & Connect on March 25 had 12 participants joining us to create some wooden decoupage signs. This night continues to provide a welcoming and creative space for adults to socialize, unwind, and explore various crafts.
- The spring Charity Check Stop is going to the Dog Park Committee to raise funds for the Bark Park.

#### Penhold Youth Club:

PYC averages for March 2025

Grades 9-12: 18 Grades 7 & 8: 16 Grades 4-6: 20

Community:

Penhold - 268

Red Deer County - 46

Red Deer - 4

Blackfalds - 2

- A total of 108.5 hours were volunteered by LiT in March.
- The program raised \$581.35 at a hockey tournament selling popcorn and candy bags in March.
- Penhold Tim Hortons has once again selected the Penhold Youth Club (PYC) to
  participate in the annual Smile Cookie Campaign. 100% of the proceeds will benefit the
  Penhold Youth Club. Cookies will be available for purchase from April 28th to May 4th,
  at a price of \$2.00 each, plus GST.

#### **Communication & Events:**

- Easter Eggstravaganza was held Saturday April 12 from 10:00 a.m. to 12:00 p.m. in the Multiplex Gymnasium, with wagon rides offered out front, taking people through the RV Park. There were over 350 people who attended the event and enjoyed cookie colouring, crafts, face painting, bouncy houses, wagon rides and Easter Bunny photos.
- The Community Garage Sale will be on Saturday May 24. Registration will be open using the Town of Penhold website May 1 21. Final listing will be published on the Town's website and social media pages on Thursday May 22. Kick-It-To-The-Curb will be May 24 as well, residents are responsible for taking any unclaimed items back onto their property or to the Spring Clean-Up bins.
- The Canada Day Celebration is the next event hosted by the Town of Penhold. It will be hosted at Lincoln Street Recreation Centre on Tuesday July 1 in conjunction with the PYC Pancake Breakfast. The Pancake Breakfast will be open 8:30-10:30 a.m. and the Canada Day Celebration will be 9:30-11:30 a.m.

#### **Communications:**

 Work is still in progress for signage for the RV Park and amenities surrounding the Community Hub.

- Work is still in progress getting trail maps added to the website once the updated town map project is completed.
- Property Tax E-Billing signup will continue to be promoted throughout April so property owners can get their 2025 combined notice & assessment via email when they are sent out at the start of May.
- There is a campaign planned throughout May, in collaboration with the Penhold Volunteer Fire Department, to encourage people to sign up for E-News to receive communication from the Town of Penhold in the event of an emergency. National Disaster Preparedness Week is May 4-10.
- Penhold Senior Drop-In Centre is having a rain barrel fundraiser using a company called rainbarrel.ca. As there are currently no rain barrel initiatives with funding for the Town to encourage rain barrel use, the Town of Penhold is supporting this fundraiser by adding information to the Drop-In Centre's page on the Town website and sharing the information about the fundraiser using the Town's social media pages. Additionally, the Town is supplying space at the Multiplex for the rain barrels to be delivered and for buyers to come for pick up on May 22.

# **Community Services - Work Plan & Upcoming Special Dates:**

April 23: Welcome to Penhold Night April 27 – May 3: Volunteer Week April 28 – May 4: Smile Cookie Week

April 28 & May 12: Lego Club

May 5: Craft Club

May 5 – 9: Penhold Youth Week May 5 – 11: Mental Health Week May 7, 14, 21, 28: Playgroup

May 10: Family Play Day

May 22: PYC Bottle Drive fundraiser

May 27: Diamond Painting Suncatcher craft

ORGANIZATIONAL: n/a

FOLLOW UP ACTION: n/a

COMMUNICATION: n/a

OTHER COMMENTS: n/a

Presented at the April 28th, 2025, Regular Council Meeting for the Town of Penhold

CAO

# **REQUEST FOR DECISION**



Department: Fire & Protective Services Submitted by: Sean Pendergast

**SUBJECT: Council Update Report** 

#### **RECOMMENDATION:**

That Council accepts the Fire & Protective Services monthly report as information.

#### **CAO COMMENTS:**

SUPPORTING DOCUMENTS: Report/Document: Attached \_\_\_\_ Available \_\_\_ Nil \_\_\_\_

# **KEY ISSUE(S)/CONCEPTS DEFINED:**

#### RELEVANT POLICY:

Municipal Government Act, Statutes of Alberta 2000, Chapter M-26 - Section 207 - Chief Administrative Officer's Responsibilities. This report is an extension of the CAO's update report.

#### STRATEGIC RELEVANCE:

Operational

# **DESIRED OUTCOME(S):**

The attached report is presented to keep the Council informed and up to date on tasks being worked on within Protective Services.

#### **RESPONSE OPTIONS:**

- 1. Verbal clarity on something that was identified.
- 2. Investigate an area in more depth for possible decision-making focus.

#### PREFERRED STRATEGY:

#### IMPLICATIONS OF RECOMMENDATION:

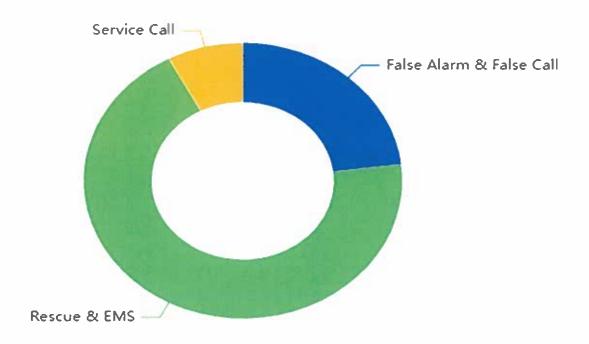
Information & possible direction

#### **GENERAL:**

#### FIRE DEPARTMENT

#### **Operations:**

- There were 13 emergency calls in March: 10 Rescue and EMS (including MVC and other rescues), 3 Alarms.
- We have 31 qualified members: 1 Chief, 2 Deputy Chiefs, 2 Captains, 5 Lieutenants, 16 Firefighters, 5 probationary firefighters.
- 10 Futures on Fire Cadets.



Actual Incident Type Found (Code - Description)	Count	Percent
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311 - Medical assist, assist EMS crew (Ambulance On Scene First)	4	30.77%
320 - Medical assist. assist EMS crew (Fire On Scene First)	5	38.46%
542 - Animal rescue	1	7.69%
700 - False alarm or false call, other	3	23.08%

# **Training:**

- AFA, Advanced First Aid training which follows the EMR course will take place in April, May, and June.
- Three Penhold Firefighters completed the NFPA 1140 Wildland course with Red Deer County

#### Fire Prevention:

- Fire inspections continue with school aged care, preschool, and commercial properties.

#### Maintenance:

- Tender 1 had its CVIP completed in April with minor repairs.
- Engine 2 had its CVIP completed in April with minor repairs.
- Ladder 1 had its CVIP completed in April with minor repairs.
- Tender 1 had its pump tested and serviced in April.
- Engine 2 had its pump tested and serviced in April.
- Ladder 1 required minor repairs to the pump to complete its testing and service in April.
- Apparatus are being booked in April for annual inspections and maintenance.

#### **Notes:**

- 34 apparatus and equipment checks were performed in March.
- The SCBA RFP is currently in competition with 11 interested suppliers.

#### **Internal Events:**

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#### **External Events:**

- May 3<sup>rd</sup> is Futures on Fire, the yearly competition of fire cadet programs and will be hosted in Edmonton.
- May 7<sup>th</sup> is McHappy Day, the Fire Department will have an apparatus and crew working the Gasoline Alley McDonalds.
- Harley Davidson is once again donating funds raised from the Smokin' Summer Days event in May to the Fire Department Association, which will be working the event.
- The Alberta Fire Chiefs Association Conference and Training will take place in Calgary in May.

# **Municipal Enforcement:**

#### Administration:

- Foot patrols of the Community Hub area have been conducted and will continue by Community Peace Officers.

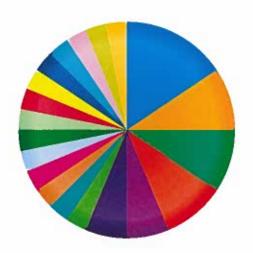
#### **Enforcement:**

- In March there were 36 occurrences reported, and 11 violations were issued. Among the most often issues are Failure to remove snow (3), Animal Control (3), Driving without Insurance (3).
- Over the last two years there have been 41 complaints of dog at large (without owner);
   24 of which were impounded, 35 complaints of cat at large;
   22 of which were impounded,
   31 complaints of dog barking;
   4 of which were verified and ticketed,
   5 complaints of dog off leash (with owner);
   1 of which was ticketed. In addition to these complaint driven stats,
   5 other dog off leash tickets have been issued upon random Officer discovery.
- Animal control issues are largely complaint driven. There have been nearly zero
  complaints of dogs off leash in the HUB area until the last two weeks. Administration is
  exploring options to provide better access for Officers to access the HUB and back pond
  area quicker.

# Occurrences:

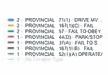
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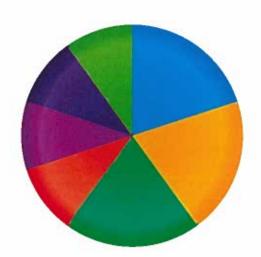




# **Violations:**

Total 11





# **Emergency Management:**

- In April we trained an additional 12 people in ICS 200.
- The Town of Penhold tabletop exercise occurred in March with 35+ participants.
   Feedback was provided to the FPS manager to help add additional training opportunities
- Preparing for a Full-scale functional exercise in June.
- The Town of Penhold is hosting, in partnership with CRAHIMT, a Block 2 IMT training session over May  $6^{th} 7^{th}$ .

# **Public Services Building:**

FOLLOW UP ACTION: COMMUNICATION:

- Crossing agreements have been applied for and frost checks are being conducted.
- We expect to see some activity on the site in the next few weeks.
- 90% design review is scheduled for April 28th.

OTHER COMMENTS:	
Presented at the April 28th, Regul	ar Council Meeting for the Town of Penhold

CAO

# REQUEST FOR DECISION



Department: Administration Submitted by: Rick Binnendyk

SUBJECT: Parkland Airshed Management Zone (PAMZ) 2025 Membership

# **RECOMMENDATION:**

That Council approve Administration to proceed with signing up for the Parkland Airshed Management Zone (PAMZ) 2025 Membership as presented.

#### **CAO COMMENTS:**

The Town has not contributed to this program in the past.

SUPPORTING DOCUMENTS: Report/Document: Attached X Available \_\_\_ Nil \_\_\_

# **KEY ISSUE(S)/CONCEPTS DEFINED:**

#### **RELEVANT POLICY:**

Municipal Government Act, Statutes of Alberta 2000, Chapter M-26 – Section 153 (a) states in part that Councillors have the duty "..... to bring to council's attention anything that would promote the welfare or interests of the municipality".

#### STRATEGIC RELEVANCE:

Become part of a multi-stakeholder consensus-based process aimed at ensuring air quality in our region is maintained or improved into the future.

#### **DESIRED OUTCOME(S):**

#### **RESPONSE OPTIONS:**

That Council defers the Parkland Airshed Management Zone Membership back to administration and requests additional information.

#### PREFERRED STRATEGY:

Ensuring Penhold is contributing to maintaining or improving air quality into the future.

## IMPLICATIONS OF RECOMMENDATION:

As determined by Council.

#### **GENERAL:**

Information attached.

#### **ORGANIZATIONAL:**

Administration

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The 2025 PAMZ membership fee would cost \$1,228.87.

# **FOLLOW UP ACTION:**

Process payment

# **COMMUNICATION:**

Only to the vendor/payments

# **OTHER COMMENTS:**

Presented at the Apr. 28th, 2025 Regular Council Meeting for the Town of Penhold

CAO



Town of Penhold P.O. Box 10 Penhold, AB TOM 1R0

Attn: Mayor Yargeau & Town Council

Re: Parkland Airshed Management Zone 2025 Membership

The Parkland Airshed Management Zone (PAMZ) is a multi-stakeholder non-profit organization consisting of industry, provincial & local governments, environmental non-government organizations and the public. It was formed in 1997 to monitor and address air quality issues within the west central region of Alberta.

#### In 2024, PAMZ's achievements included:

- completion of twenty-seven years of operations and twenty-five years operating the PAMZ Regional Air Quality Monitoring Program;
- ongoing community health-based air quality monitoring in Bentley, Rocky Mountain House, The City of Red Deer, and Clearwater County;
- initiation of a six-month Air Quality Monitoring Program for the Alberta Energy Regulator to characterize Air Quality in the Eagle Valley-Eagle Hill area of Mountain View County;
- initiation of a three-month wintertime evaluation of a low-cost Micro-Sensor system for reporting the Air Quality Health Index;
- the establishment of an Indigenous Engagement Committee to establish a long term, stable relationship with First Nation communities and Métis that facilitates open communication in a culturally appropriate manner.

At this time we are extending an invitation to the Town of Penhold to join other local municipalities such as the City of Red Deer, Clearwater, Lacombe, Mountain View & Red Deer Counties, the Town of Bentley and the Village of Acme and join PAMZ. These municipalities have recognized the benefits of participating in a multistakeholder consensus-based process aimed at ensuring air quality in our region is maintained or improved as we move into the future.

We have taken the liberty of enclosing an invoice for the Town of Penhold's membership fee for 2025, should it decide to become a member of PAMZ. The fee calculation is attached. If you have any questions about PAMZ membership, please contact the undersigned.

Regards,

Kevin Warren

**Executive Director, PAMZ** 



# INVOICE

Invoice #: 2025-028

Invoice Date: January 31, 2025

Town of Penhold P.O. Box 10 Penhold, AB TOM 1R0

Attn: Accounts Payable

<u>Amount</u>	<u>Description</u>		Price
₃ 1	2025 PAMZ AQM P Town of Penhold	5 PAMZ AQM Program Fee Assessment \$1,1 n of Penhold	
		Sub –Total	\$1,170.36
GST Number:	872803697	GST (5%)	\$ 58.52
		TOTAL	\$1,228.87

# Please Remit Payment to:

Parkland Airshed Management Zone Box 1020 Sundre, AB T0M 1X0

Ph: 403.862.7046

Email: pamz@pamz.org

Invoice 2025-028

Town of Penhold

2025 PAMZ Fee Allocation

PAMZ 2025 Budget

PAMZ Non-Industrial Emissions

Area Municipal

In PAMZ Population

 $100\% \times 3.484 =$ 

291,902

Zone Population

\$700,405

= \$98,057

2025 Fee

\$1,170.36

# **REQUEST FOR DECISION**



Department: Legislative Services Submitted by: Bonnie Stearns

**SUBJECT: Council Correspondence** 

#### **RECOMMENDATION:**

That Council receives the correspondence for information as presented.

#### **CAO COMMENTS:**

SUPPORTING DOCUMENTS: Report/Document: Attached \_X\_ Available \_\_ Nil \_\_\_

## **KEY ISSUE(S)/CONCEPTS DEFINED:**

This listing identifies correspondence either attached or emailed to Council for review.

#### **ATTACHED:**

- Apr. 14 Info from Staff Sergeant Ihme, RCMP re: March Crime Stats
- Apr. 14 FCM Report to Council March Board
- Apr. 14 Blackfalds Days 2025 Pancake Breakfast and Parade Invitation
- Apr. 24 email from Westerner Park re: Parade Applications and Tarp Auction Show us your best!

#### **EMAIL:**

- Apr. 10 ABMunis President re: Responding to Bill 50 register for ABmunis' webinar
- Apr. 16 email from Rick re: Bull arama band hours of operation
- Apr. 17 Municipal World Daily re: Your Municipal World Daily for April 17, 2025
- Apr. 24 FCM re: Election Day is near—Help make municipal priorities heard!

#### **RELEVANT POLICY:**

Municipal Government Act, Statutes of Alberta 2000, Chapter M-26 – Section 201 (a) states in part that Councillors have the role of "..... Developing and evaluating the policies and programs of the municipality".

#### STRATEGIC RELEVANCE:

Keeping Council informed on current related events.

#### **DESIRED OUTCOME(S):**

That Council is apprised of information that either impacts the Town of Penhold directly or provides information of interest.

#### **RESPONSE OPTIONS:**

- 1. Council may wish to have something further investigated; this item will be moved for further administrative review.
- 2. Council may wish to act on something and move the item for action.
- 3. Council may wish to move the items as information.

#### PREFERRED STRATEGY:

Determined upon response.

#### **IMPLICATIONS OF RECOMMENDATION:**

No further action on correspondence.

#### **GENERAL:**

The information shared with Council can have a direct impact on Penhold or provide information beneficial to Penhold.

#### **ORGANIZATIONAL:**

Legislative department receives and forwards relevant information to Council.

#### FINANCIAL:

No cost unless directive taken

# **FOLLOW UP ACTION:**

As determined by Council.

# **COMMUNICATION:**

May be directed to specific departments if potential impact.

## **OTHER COMMENTS:**

Presented at the Apr. 28th, 2025 Regular Council Meeting for the Town of Penhold

CAO



# Innisfail (Municipal) Crime Statistic Summary - January to March

2025/04/03

# Innisfail (Municipal) - Highlights

- Break & Enters are showing a 33.3% increase when compared to the same period in 2024 (January to March). There were 2 more actual occurrences (from 6 in 2024 to 8 in 2025).
- Theft of Motor Vehicles decreased by 33.3% when compared to the same period in 2024 (January to March). There were 2 fewer actual occurrences (from 6 in 2024 to 4 in 2025).
- Theft Under \$5,000 decreased by 9.5% when compared to the same period in 2024 (January to March). There were 4 fewer actual occurrences (from 42 in 2024 to 38 in 2025).

## Innisfail (Municipal) - Criminal Code Offences Summary

Crime Category	% Change 2024 – 2025 (January to March)
Total Persons Crime	20.6% Increase
Total Property Crime	8.2% Decrease
Total Criminal Code	5.0% Decrease

From January to March 2025, when compared to the same period in 2024, there have been:

- 7 more Persons Crime offences;
- 10 fewer Property Crime offences; and
- 9 fewer Total Criminal Code offences;

# Innisfail (Municipal) - March, 2025

- There were 4 Thefts of Motor Vehicles in March: 0 cars, 2 trucks, 0 minivans, 1 SUVs, 0 motorcycles, 1 other types of vehicles, and 0 vehicles taken without consent.
- There were 4 **Break and Enters** in March: 4 businesses, 0 residences, 0 cottages/seasonal residences, 0 in some other type of location, and 0 unlawfully being in a dwelling house.
- There were a total of 0 **Provincial Roadside Suspensions** in March (0 alcohol related and 0 drug related). This brings the year-to-date total to 0 (0 alcohol related and 0 drug related).
- There were a total of 5 files with the **Spousal Abuse** survey code in March (March 2024: 6). This brings the year-to-date total to 12 (2024: 11).
- There were 188 files with Victim Service Unit referall scoring in Innisfail Municipal: 1 accepted, 18 declined, 0 proactive, 0 requested but not available, and 169 files with no victim.

# Innisfail Municipal Crime Gauge

2025 vs. 2024 January to March

# **Criminal Code Offences**



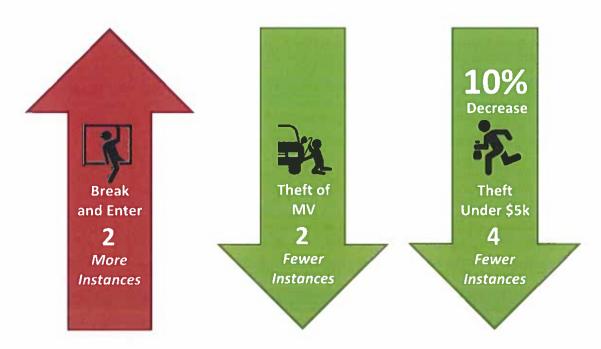
Total
Criminal Code
Offences:

5%

Decrease

When compared to January to March, 2024

# **Select Property Crime**



# Innisfail (Provincial) Crime Statistic Summary - January to March

2025/04/03

# Innisfail (Provincial) - Highlights

- Break & Enters are showing a 56.3% decrease when compared to the same period in 2024 (January to March). There were 9 fewer actual occurrences (from 16 in 2024 to 7 in 2025).
- Theft of Motor Vehicles decreased by 16.7% when compared to the same period in 2024 (January to March). There were 1 fewer actual occurrences (from 6 in 2024 to 5 in 2025).
- Theft Under \$5,000 decreased by 30.0% when compared to the same period in 2024 (January to March). There were 6 fewer actual occurrences (from 20 in 2024 to 14 in 2025).

## Innisfail (Provincial) - Criminal Code Offences Summary

Crime Category	% Change 2024 – 2025 (January to March)
Total Persons Crime	22.7% Increase
Total Property Crime	45.5% Decrease
Total Criminal Code	32.5% Decrease

From January to March 2025, when compared to the same period in 2024, there have been:

- 5 more Persons Crime offences;
- 40 fewer Property Crime offences; and
- 40 fewer Total Criminal Code offences;

## Innisfail (Provincial) - March, 2025

- There were 0 **Thefts of Motor Vehicles** in March: 0 cars, 0 trucks, 0 minivans, 0 SUVs, 0 motorcycles, 0 other types of vehicles, and 0 vehicles taken without consent.
- There were 2 Break and Enters in March: 0 businesses, 1 residences, 0 cottages/seasonal residences, 1 in some other type of location, and 0 unlawfully being in a dwelling house.
- There were a total of 1 Provincial Roadside Suspensions in March (1 alcohol related and 0 drug related). This brings the year-to-date total to 6 (6 alcohol related and 0 drug related).
- There were a total of 2 files with the **Spousal Abuse** survey code in March (March 2024: 4). This brings the year-to-date total to 4 (2024: 7).
- There were 192 files with **Victim Service Unit** referall scoring in Innisfail Provincial: 1 accepted, 16 declined, 0 proactive, 0 requested but not available, and 175 files with no victim.



# **Innisfail Provincial Crime Gauge**

2025 vs. 2024 January to March

# **Criminal Code Offences**



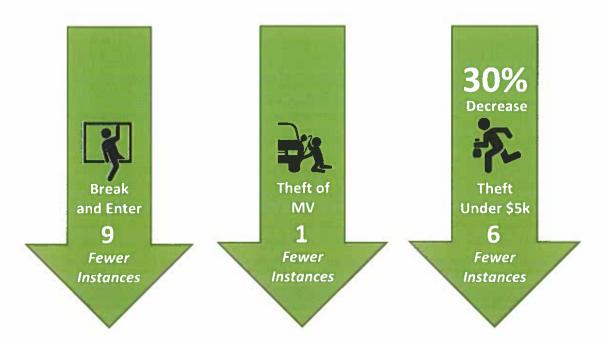
Total
Criminal Code
Offences:

33%

Decrease

When compared to January to March, 2024

# **Select Property Crime**



# ROYAL CANADIAN MOUNTED POLICE - GENDARMERIE ROYALE DU CANADA

# Innisfail Provincial Detachment Crime Statistics (Actual) January to March: 2021 - 2025

All categories contain "Attempted" and/or "Completed"

All categories contain "Attempted" and/o	ir Completed								April 3, 202
CATEGORY	Trend	2021	2022	2023	2024	2025	% Change 2021 - 2025	% Change 2024 - 2025	Avg File +/- per Year
Offences Related to Death		0	0	0	0	0	N/A	N/A	0.0
Robbery		3	0	0	0	0	-100%	N/A	-0.6
Sexual Assaults	<b>/</b>	0	2	3	1	2	N/A	100%	0.3
Other Sexual Offences	1	2	1	1	0	0	-100%	N/A	-0.5
Assault		6	12	16	14	12	100%	-14%	1.4
Kidnapping/Hostage/Abduction		0	0	0	0	1	N/A	N/A	0.2
Extortion	/	0	0	0	0	2	N/A	N/A	0.4
Criminal Harassment	<b>~</b>	6	2	6	2	3	-50%	50%	-0.6
Uttering Threats	/~	2	8	8	5	7	250%	40%	0.7
TOTAL PERSONS	~	19	25	34	22	27	42%	23%	1.3
Break & Enter	~	16	21	10	16	7	-56%	-56%	-2.3
Theft of Motor Vehicle	<b>~</b>	13	9	1	6	5	-62%	-17%	-1.9
Theft Over \$5,000	~	4	5	2	3	3	-25%	0%	-0.4
Theft Under \$5,000	<b>\_</b>	41	26	12	20	14	-66%	-30%	-6.0
Possn Stn Goods		9	28	16	13	2	-78%	-85%	-2.9
Fraud		11	13	12	12	8	-27%	-33%	-0.7
Arson	<b></b>	1	4	0	1	1	0%	0%	-0.3
Mischief - Damage To Property		27	17	13	13	4	-85%	-69%	-5.0
Mischief - Other		2	1	1	4	4	100%	0%	0.7
TOTAL PROPERTY	~	124	124	67	88	48	-61%	-45%	-18.8
Offensive Weapons	\ <u></u>	5	0	2	2	2	-60%	0%	-0.4
Disturbing the peace		3	9	6	3	0	-100%	-100%	-1.2
Fail to Comply & Breaches		1	8	4	4	3	200%	-25%	0.0
OTHER CRIMINAL CODE	<u></u>	11	4	4	4	3	-73%	-25%	-1.6
TOTAL OTHER CRIMINAL CODE	_	20	21	16	13	8	-60%	-38%	-3.2
TOTAL CRIMINAL CODE	~~	163	170	117	123	83	-49%	-33%	-20.7



ROYAL CANADIAN MOUNTED POLICE - GENDARMERIE ROYALE DU CANADA

# **Innisfail Provincial Detachment**

# **Crime Statistics (Actual)**

January to March: 2021 - 2025

All categories contain "Attempted" and/or "Completed"

CATEGORY	Trend	2021	2022	2023	2024	2025	% Change 2021 - 2025	% Change 2024 - 2025	Avg File +/ per Year
Drug Enforcement - Production		0	0	0	0	0	N/A	N/A	0.0
Drug Enforcement - Possession	1	1	3	5	0	2	100%	N/A	-0.1
Drug Enforcement - Trafficking		5	1	1	2	4	-20%	100%	-0.1
Drug Enforcement - Other		0	0	0	0	0	N/A	N/A	0.0
Total Drugs	~~	6	4	6	2	6	0%	200%	-0.2
Cannabls Enforcement		1	0	2	0	1	0%	N/A	0.0
Federal - General	~	2	1	1	0	2	0%	N/A	-0.1
TOTAL FEDERAL	VV	9	5	9	2	9	0%	350%	-0.3
Liquor Act		1	4	0	0	0	-100%	N/A	-0.6
Cannabis Act	1	1	2	0	1	0	-100%	-100%	-0.3
Mental Health Act		16	10	15	24	12	-25%	-50%	0.6
Other Provincial Stats	~	32	22	15	29	29	-9%	0%	0.1
Total Provincial Stats	~	50	38	30	54	41	-18%	-24%	-0.2
Municipal By-laws Traffic		0	0	0	0	0	N/A	N/A	0.0
Municipal By-laws	-	5	4	3	2	9	80%	350%	0.6
Total Municipal	~	5	4	3	2	9	80%	350%	0.6
Fatals		1	0	0	1	0	-100%	-100%	-0.1
Injury MVC		3	8	13	9	7	133%	-22%	0.9
Property Damage MVC (Reportable)	~	53	101	77	80	33	-38%	-59%	-6.1
Property Damage MVC (Non Reportable)	_	12	30	6	8	5	-58%	-38%	-3.6
TOTAL MVC	~	69	139	96	98	45	-35%	-54%	-8.9
Roadside Suspension - Alcohol (Prov)	~~	5	5	3	9	6	20%	-33%	0.6
Roadside Suspension - Drugs (Prov)		0	0	0	0	0	N/A	N/A	0.0
Total Provincial Traffic	_	770	584	354	345	264	-66%	-23%	-125.1
Other Traffic	~	3	3	1	3	2	-33%	-33%	-0.2
Criminal Code Traffic		16	5	4	10	12	-25%	20%	-0.3
Common Police Activities	, T								
False Alarms	~	8	14	8	6	10	25%	67%	-0.4
False/Abandoned 911 Call and 911 Act	~	5	27	12	8	7	40%	-13%	-1.5
Suspicious Person/Vehicle/Property	~	66	58	43	31	36	-45%	16%	-8.7
Persons Reported Missing	1	1	2	0	1	2	100%	100%	0.1
Search Warrants		1	1	0	0	0	-100%	N/A	-0.3
Spousal Abuse - Survey Code (Reported)	~~	13	9	10	7	4	-69%	-43%	-2.0
Form 10 (MHA) (Reported)	~	4	3	1	6	0	-100%	-100%	-0.5

# ROYAL CANADIAN MOUNTED POLICE - GENDARMERIE ROYALE DU CANADA-

# Innisfail Provincial Detachment Crime Statistics (Actual) March: 2021 - 2025

All categories contain "Attempted" and/or "Completed"

All categories contain "Attempted" and/or "Completed" Apr										
CATEGORY	Trend	2021	2022	2023	2024	2025	% Change 2021 - 2025	% Change 2024 - 2025	Avg File +/ per Year	
Offences Related to Death		0	0	0	0	0	N/A	N/A	0.0	
Robbery		1	0	0	0	0	-100%	N/A	-0.2	
Sexual Assaults		0	1	2	0	0	N/A	N/A	-0.1	
Other Sexual Offences		0	1	0	0	0	N/A	N/A	-0.1	
Assault		1	5	8	7	4	300%	-43%	0.8	
Kidnapping/Hostage/Abduction		0	0	0	0	0	N/A	N/A	0.0	
Extortion		0	0	0	0	0	N/A	N/A	0.0	
Criminal Harassment	\ <u>\</u>	2	0	2	1	1	-50%	0%	-0.1	
Uttering Threats	$\sim$	0	3	3	0	6	N/A	N/A	0.9	
TOTAL PERSONS	~	4	10	15	8	11	175%	38%	1.2	
Break & Enter		5	6	4	3	2	-60%	-33%	-0.9	
Theft of Motor Vehicle	<b>\</b>	5	3	0	2	0	-100%	-100%	-1.1	
Theft Over \$5,000		3	2	1	0	1	-67%	N/A	-0.6	
Theft Under \$5,000		11	9	3	3	4	-64%	33%	-2.0	
Possn Stn Goods	^~	1	9	3	4	0	-100%	-100%	-0.7	
Fraud	~	6	6	2	5	2	-67%	-60%	-0.9	
Arson		0	1	0	0	0	N/A	N/A	-0.1	
Mischief - Damage To Property		6	6	5	3	2	-67%	-33%	-1.1	
Mischief - Other		0	0	0	1	3	N/A	200%	0.7	
TOTAL PROPERTY	~	37	42	18	21	14	-62%	-33%	-6.7	
Offensive Weapons		1	0	0	2	0	-100%	-100%	0.0	
Disturbing the peace		1	4	1	0	0	-100%	N/A	-0.6	
Fail to Comply & Breaches		0	2	0	2	0	N/A	-100%	0.0	
OTHER CRIMINAL CODE	~	2	2	1	2	0	-100%	-100%	-0.4	
OTAL OTHER CRIMINAL CODE	~	4	8	2	6	0	-100%	-100%	-1.0	
OTAL CRIMINAL CODE	~_	45	60	35	35	25	-44%	-29%	-6.5	

ROYAL CANADIAN MOUNTED POLICE - GENDARMERIE ROYALE DU CANADA

# Innisfail Provincial Detachment

# **Crime Statistics (Actual)**

March: 2021 - 2025

All categories contain "Attempted" and/or "C	ompleted"								April 3, 202
CATEGORY	Trend	2021	2022	2023	2024	2025	% Change 2021 - 2025	% Change 2024 - 2025	Avg File +/ per Year
Drug Enforcement - Production		0	0	0	0	0	N/A	N/A	0.0
Drug Enforcement - Possession		0	0	0	0	0	N/A	N/A	0.0
Drug Enforcement - Trafficking	<b>\</b>	1	0	1	2	1	0%	-50%	0.2
Drug Enforcement - Other		0	0	0	0	0	N/A	N/A	0.0
Total Drugs	<b>✓</b>	1	0	1	2	1	0%	-50%	0.2
Cannabls Enforcement		1	0	1	0	0	-100%	N/A	-0.2
Federal - General	~	0	0	1	0	2	N/A	N/A	0.4
TOTAL FEDERAL	~	2	0	3	2	3	50%	50%	0.4
Liquor Act		1	1	0	0	0	-100%	N/A	-0.3
Cannabis Act		1	1	0	0	0	-100%	N/A	-0.3
Mental Health Act	~	9	5	4	6	4	-56%	-33%	-0.9
Other Provincial Stats	<b>\</b>	12	9	4	9	10	-17%	11%	-0.4
Total Provincial Stats	>	23	16	8	15	14	-39%	-7%	-1.9
Municipal By-laws Traffic		0	0	0	0	0	N/A	N/A	0.0
Municipal By-laws	<b>~</b>	2	0	2	2	4	100%	100%	0.6
Total Municipal	/	2	0	2	2	4	100%	100%	0.6
Fatals		1	0	0	0	0	-100%	N/A	-0.2
Injury MVC		1	2	3	3	2	100%	-33%	0.3
Property Damage MVC (Reportable)		15	26	30	22	7	-53%	-68%	-2.0
Property Damage MVC (Non Reportable)	<b>^</b>	4	8	3	4	3	-25%	-25%	-0.6
TOTAL MVC		21	36	36	29	12	-43%	-59%	-2.5
Roadside Suspension - Alcohol (Prov)		2	1	1	6	1	-50%	-83%	0.3
Roadside Suspension - Drugs (Prov)		0	0	0	0	0 ^	N/A	N/A	0.0
Total Provincial Traffic	/	283	195	147	130	92	-67%	-29%	-44.7
Other Traffic		2	0	1	2	2	0%	0%	0.2
Criminal Code Traffic	V	6	0	1	9	4	-33%	-56%	0.5
Common Police Activities									
False Alarms	~~	3	4	2	3	2	-33%	-33%	-0.3
False/Abandoned 911 Call and 911 Act	~~	3	4	3	4	2	-33%	-50%	-0.2
Suspicious Person/Vehicle/Property	~	21	16	13	8	13	-38%	63%	-2.4
Persons Reported Missing		1	2	0	0	0	-100%	N/A	-0.4
Search Warrants		0	0	0	0	0	N/A	N/A	0.0
Spousal Abuse - Survey Code (Reported)		4	2	3	4	2	-50%	-50%	-0.2
Form 10 (MHA) (Reported)	1	4	2	0	1	0	-100%	-100%	-0.9

# Town of Penhold - Innisfail Detachment Crime Statistics (Actual)

January to March: 2022 - 2025

All categories contain "Attempted" and/or "Completed"

April 9, 2025

CATEGORY	Trend	2022	2023	2024	2025	% Change 2022 - 2025	% Change 2024 - 2025	Avg File +/ per Year
Offences Related to Death		0	0	0	0	N/A	N/A	0.0
Robbery		0	0	0	0	N/A	N/A	0.0
Sexual Assaults		1	1	0	0	-100%	N/A	-0.4
Other Sexual Offences		0	0	0	0	N/A	N/A	0.0
Assault		6	10	8	4	-33%	-50%	-0.8
Kidnapping/Hostage/Abduction		0	0	0	0	N/A	N/A	0.0
Extortion		0	0	0	1	N/A	N/A	0.3
Criminal Harassment	~	2	4	1	2	0%	100%	-0.3
Uttering Threats	~	5	7	1	4	-20%	300%	-0.9
TOTAL PERSONS	~	14	22	10	11	-21%	10%	-2.1
Break & Enter		1	3	3	0	-100%	-100%	-0.3
Theft of Motor Vehicle	\ <u>\</u>	3	0	2	1	-67%	-50%	-0.4
Theft Over \$5,000		1	0	0	1	0%	N/A	0.0
Theft Under \$5,000		5	4	6	6	20%	0%	0.5
Possn Stn Goods		7	2	2	1	-86%	-50%	-1.8
Fraud		5	4	4	4	-20%	0%	-0.3
Arson		0	0	0	0	N/A	N/A	0.0
Mischief - Damage To Property	/	9	4	4	2	-78%	-50%	-2.1
Mischief - Other		0	1	2	4	N/A	100%	1.3
TOTAL PROPERTY	~	31	18	23	19	-39%	-17%	-3.1
Offensive Weapons		0	2	1	1	N/A	0%	0.2
Disturbing the peace		7	3	1	0	-100%	-100%	-2.3
Fail to Comply & Breaches		7	2	0	0	-100%	N/A	-2.3
OTHER CRIMINAL CODE		2	1	0	0	-100%	N/A	-0.7
TOTAL OTHER CRIMINAL CODE		16	8	2	1	-94%	-50%	-5.1
FOTAL CRIMINAL CODE		61	48	35	31	-49%	-11%	-10.3

# Town of Penhold - Innisfail Detachment Crime Statistics (Actual)

January to January: 2022 - 2025

All categories contain "Attempted" and/or "Completed"

April 9, 2025

CATEGORY	Trend	2022	2023	2024	2025	% Change 2022 - 2025	% Change 2024 - 2025	Avg File +/ per Year
Drug Enforcement - Production		0	0	0	0	N/A	N/A	0.0
Drug Enforcement - Possession	<b>-</b>	1	1	0	2	100%	N/A	0.2
Drug Enforcement - Trafficking		1	0	2	2	100%	0%	0.5
Drug Enforcement - Other		0	0	0	0	N/A	N/A	0.0
Total Drugs	/	2	1	2	4	100%	100%	0.7
Cannabis Enforcement		0	0	0	0	N/A	N/A	0.0
Federal - General		0	0	0	1	N/A	N/A	0.3
TOTAL FEDERAL	1	2	1	2	5	150%	150%	1.0
Liquor Act		1	0	0	0	-100%	N/A	-0.3
Cannabis Act		0	0	0	0	N/A	N/A	0.0
Mental Health Act	<u></u>	5	14	15	4	-20%	-73%	-0.2
Other Provincial Stats	~	7	4	9	7	0%	-22%	0.5
Total Provincial Stats	-	13	18	24	11	-15%	-54%	0.0
Municipal By-laws Traffic		0	0	0	0	N/A	N/A	0.0
Municipal By-laws		3	3	2	5	67%	150%	0.5
Total Municipal	~	3	3	2	5	67%	150%	0.5
Fatals		0	0	0	0	N/A	N/A	0.0
Injury MVC	~	0	2	1	1	N/A	0%	0.2
Property Damage MVC (Reportable)		2	2	2	0	-100%	-100%	-0.6
Property Damage MVC (Non Reportable)	1	1	2	0	0	-100%	N/A	-0.5
TOTAL MVC	^	3	6	3	1	-67%	-67%	-0.9
Roadside Suspension - Alcohol (Prov)		0	1	2	1	N/A	-50%	0.4
Roadside Suspension - Drugs (Prov)		0	0	0	0	N/A	N/A	0.0
Total Provincial Traffic	~	7	9	19	8	14%	-58%	1.3
Other Traffic		0	0	2	2	N/A	0%	0.8
Criminal Code Traffic		1	1	2	5	400%	150%	1.3
Common Police Activities								
False Alarms	/	6	4	1	2	-67%	100%	-1.5
False/Abandoned 911 Call and 911 Act	/	2	0	2	4	100%	100%	0.8
Suspicious Person/Vehicle/Property		9	9	7	10	11%	43%	0.1
Persons Reported Missing		0	0	0	0	N/A	N/A	0.0
Search Warrants		1	0	0	0	-100%	N/A	-0.3
Spousal Abuse - Survey Code (Reported)		9	9	5	1	-89%	-80%	-2.8
Form 10 (MHA) (Reported)		1	1	4	0	-100%	-100%	0.0

From: FCM President <<u>president@fcm.ca</u>>
Sent: Thursday, April 10, 2025 1:40 PM

Subject: March 2025 Report to Council / Rapport au conseil de mars 2025

\*\*\*La version française se trouve à la suite de la version anglaise\*\*\*

Dear Board and Committee members,

Following our March 2025 Board meeting, we're pleased to share with you our Report to Council. This overview of the week will be especially helpful as a tool to help you report to your councils on the progress we made during our latest FCM's Board of Directors meeting.

Thank you again for your participation in FCM's Board and Committee of the Whole. We look forward to seeing you all again at the May 26 virtual board meeting and in person at our Annual Conference and Trade Show from May 29 to June 1.

Your FCM team



# FCM March 2025 Board of Directors Meeting

Report to Council

Scan the QR code to access FCM's advocacy microsite for the federal election.

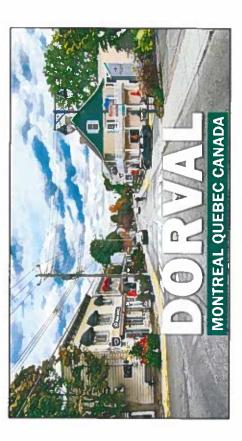


FCM Board of Directors

March 2025

### Context

- Board meeting held in person March
   17 20. Committee meetings held
   virtually two weeks prior.
- U.S. trade war and federal election forming important background context, with numerous FCM delegations to US held recently.
- Dorval, QC as the host municipality, who supplied study tours to the St Laurent Composting Centre and Montréal-Trudeau International Airport.



# Advocacy Discussion - National Prosperity Partnership

- At this board meeting, FCM facilitated discussion on our strategy for the 2025 federal election.
- towards a prosperity agenda and a new National Prosperity Partnership. Throughout this federal election campaign, FCM is advocating a shift
- would focus on facilitating **dialogue and collaboration** with other orders of government to deliver a more resilient and competitive national economy. Through FCM, municipalities are credible national partners, and
- This is about aligning our orders of government for long-term efficiency in a they need, Canada's economic future will be reinforced, and we can deliver challenging new economic reality. Adopting a modernized approach to municipal needs means local economies will have the long-term support the on the issues that matter to Canadians.

## **Key Issues for Federal Election 2025**

A National Prosperity Partnership is needed to move Canada forward by ensuring all orders of government work together. This will ensure better progress on the key issues:

- Supporting local economic growth and resilience so communities can attract businesses and ensure good jobs for Canadians.
- Investing in infrastructure renewal to drive productivity and competitiveness.
- Achieving housing affordability so Canadians (especially younger generations) can look to their future with confidence.
- Ending homelessness with solutions that work at the local
- Keeping communities safe and supporting vital emergency services.
- Reducing economic disruption by investing in climateresilient infrastructure.
- Supporting thriving rural, northern and remote communities.



## **Advocacy Updates**

## Advocacy and delegations related to Canada / U.S. relations

## Strategy: Leverage relationships with US mayors and associations

Emphasize the negative economic impact that President Trump's trade policies will have on U.S. communities, key messages tailored to each US region, asking US municipal leaders to speak with their federal officials to halt the tariffs.



## 5 Different delegations now dispatched:

- With Council of the Federation Washington DC Feb 10-12
- U.S. Conference of Mayors Phoenix AZ Feb 20-22
   National Association of Counties Washington DC -
  - March 1-4
- National League of Cities (NLC) Washington DC -March 8-10
- Trilateral Summit (U.S. / Canada / Mexico) of U.S.
- Conference of Mayors Washington DC March 27-28 (post board)

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## **Board Meeting - Decisions Taken**

## **Endorsing UNDRIP**

That FCM endorse and put in place actionable steps to embed its principles into FCM's Reconciliation Strategy.

### Strategic Plan

That the Strategic Plan "Stronger together: Local strength, national prosperity" be approved.

## FCM Budget 2025-2026



## Board Meeting – Resolutions Adopted (1 of 2)

- Supporting Canadians through a Stronger Canada Disability Benefit
- 2. Immigration Levels Plan
- Food Insecurity Groceries and Essentials Benefit
- 4. Cellular Coverage



Review all resolutions in our database:

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## Board Meeting – Resolutions Adopted (2 of 2)

- 5. Healthcare Access
- 6. Standardized Wake Surfing Regulation
- Online Sale and Importation of Fireworks
- 8. Enhancing Accessibility Under the Federal Plastic Straw Ban
- Seeking Federal Support for a Federal Flushability Standard



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# **Next FCM Board Meeting + Annual Conference**

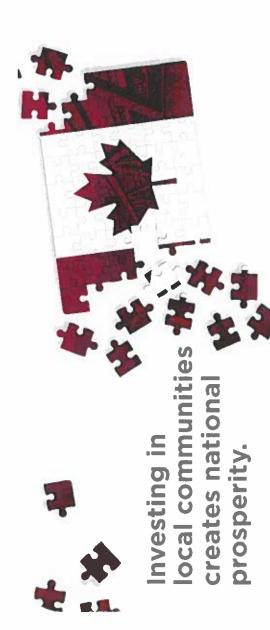
Board of Directors' virtual meeting: May 26

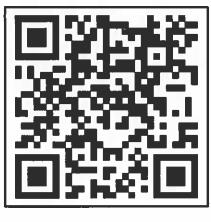
Annual Conference and AGM with board elections: May 29 to June 1, Rogers Centre, Ottawa, ON.



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# Stronger Together - Your Federal Election Hub





Visit strongertogether.fcm.ca for federal election tools, key messages, a draft letter and other resources.

### BLACKFALDS

### OFFICE OF THE MAYOR AND COUNCIL

Town of Blackfalds Council 2021-2025

April 3, 2025

Box 220 5018 Waghorn Street Blackfalds, Alberta | T0M 0J0 Office: 403.885.4677 info@blackfalds.ca

Dear Mayor and Council Members,

Mayor Jamie Hoover p. 403.872.2555 jhoover@blackfalds.ca Re: Blackfalds Days 2025 Pancake Breakfast and Parade Invitation

We would like to invite you to our 2025 Blackfalds Days Councillors' Pancake

Breakfast and Parade, which will be held on **Saturday**, **June 14**<sup>th</sup>, **2025**.

This is a great opportunity to showcase your community spirit and participate in the parade celebration.

Deputy Mayor Edna Coulter p.403.350.0511 ecoulter@blackfalds.ca The Councillors' Pancake Breakfast will commence at **7:00 a.m.** at the Blackfalds Community Centre before the Parade marshalling starts at 10:00 a.m. The Blackfalds Days Parade will follow and commence at **11:00 a.m.** 

Councillor Marina Appel p. 587.377.0307 mappel@blackfalds.ca To have your float or exhibit entered for the judging process, please arrive at the marshalling area at 9:30 a.m. **Judging will commence at 10:00 a.m.** If you do not wish to be judged, please arrive at the marshalling area by 10:00 a.m.

Councillor Laura Svab p. 403.391.9485 Important: Due to the size of our Parade and to help alleviate the congestion at the site on parade day, all individuals or groups who wish to participate in our Blackfalds Days Parade will be required to pre-register; you do not need to pre-register for the Councillors' Pancake Breakfast.

Councillor
Brenda Dennis

To Pre-Register for the Parade, please click this link: <u>Blackfalds Days Parade</u> 2025!

p. 403.340.9189 bdennis@blackfalds.ca We thank you in advance, and we look forward to your participation in our 2025 Blackfalds Days!

Councillor Jim Sands p. 403.396.6535 jsands@blackfalds.ca If you have any questions or concerns, please don't hesitate to contact me at 403.885.4677 or at <a href="mailto:ihoover@blackfalds.ca">ihoover@blackfalds.ca</a>.

Sincerely,

Jamie Hoover

Mayor, Town of Blackfalds

From: Westerner Park < marketing-westernerpark.ca@shared1.ccsend.com >

Sent: March 21, 2024 1:16 PM

To: Teresa Cunningham <tcunningham@townofpenhold.ca>

Subject: Parade Applications and Tarp Auction - Show us your best!

### **Shareholders**



**Events** 

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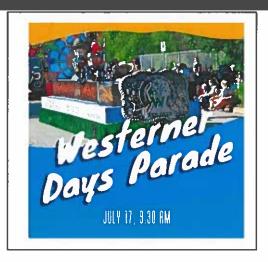
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Get involved in some of the most iconic Westerner Days Activations.

The North American Pony Chuckwagon Championships Annual Tarp Auction and Westerner Days Parade are back for 2024!



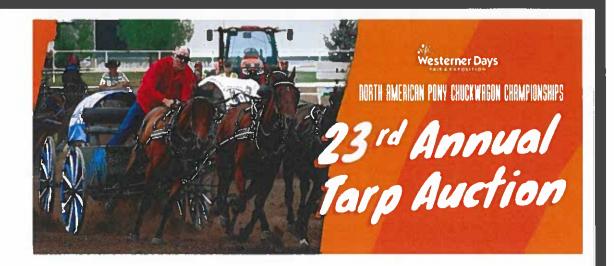




### Be Part of the Parade

We invite you to fill out an application and get ready to participate in one of Red Deer's biggest events of the year!

**Apply HERE** 



### Register to Bid for a Pony Chuckwagon Tarp and see your logo race around the track!

### Why Sponsor?

- Tarp sponsorship is a creative way to generate awareness of your business for five days of exciting races at Westerner Days, which attracts upwards of 50,000 visitors.
- 32 chuckwagon tarps and 32 chariot sponsorships will be available for purchase.

### **Registration & Information**

Tarp sponsor bidders – please refer to the <u>Tarp & Chariot Sponsor Benefits Comparison</u> and then pre-register at <u>Tarp Auction Bidder Registration</u>.

If you have any questions regarding the Tarp Auction or Sponsor Benefits, please contact Peggy Jackson at 403.309.0225 or pjackson@westernerpark.ca.

You are receiving this email because you were a previous participant of the Westerner Days Parade.





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