



Council Meeting Recap – Nov. 18, 2025

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*The following is a brief recap of the **Nov. 18, 2025** Council Meeting. To see agendas for upcoming meetings (released Thursday afternoons prior to Tuesday meetings) visit <http://www.rmoflacadubonnet.com/p/agendas-minutes>.*

Council Decisions

Treaty Land Acknowledgement:

- Deputy Reeve Greg Mandzuk and Council opened the meeting with a Treaty Land acknowledgement.

Variation decisions:

- Council approved two Variation applications.

Community Futures Winnipeg River Committee appointment – **TABLED:**

- This item was **tabled**.

Reeve Schinkel notice of absence:

- Council approved a notice of absence from Reeve Loren Schinkel for Nov. 18, 2025.

Employee Years of Service Recognition Policy approval:

- Council accepted the Employee Years of Service Recognition Policy as presented. They authorized Administration to implement the Policy beginning in 2025, including recognizing employees at the nearest milestone year during the upcoming 2025 employee Christmas party to address past unrecognized service.
- Administration developed the Employee Years of Service Recognition Policy to align with best practices, strengthen organizational culture, and support retention and employee

engagement.

Development agreement approval:

- Council [accepted a Development Agreement](#) and directed the CAO to move forward to complete the agreement and process.

Event attendance approvals:

- Council approved Reeve Schinkel to attend the **Provincial Speech From The Throne** at the Manitoba Legislature on Nov. 18.
- Council approved Reeve Schinkel to attend the **Senior's Christmas Dinner** at the Lac du Bonnet Community Centre on Dec. 10.

Delegations

- There were no delegations before Council.

By-Law Readings

- Council conducted first reading of the new Council Procedures By-Law No. 05-25.

Reports and Correspondence

- Council received [the CAO's report](#).
- Council received the Lac du Bonnet Fire Department [Report for October, 2025](#).
- Council received the Prairie By-Law Enforcement [Report for October, 2025](#).
- Council received the Lac du Bonnet Regional Airport Authority [meeting minutes](#) for May 5, 2025.
- Council received the Lac du Bonnet Regional Library board [meeting minutes](#) of Sept. 15, 2025.
- Council received the Agassiz Weed Board [meeting minutes](#) of Sept. 15, 2025.
- Council received [a copy of a letter](#) from the Lac du Bonnet & District Foundation to Emergency Coordinator John Fleming that the Emergency Management Organization's application for a grant to fund a purchase of communications radios was approved.

- Council received [a letter](#) from MHAC's Gordon Emberley thanking Council for recognizing his accomplishments with a new plaque.
- Council received the Winnipeg River Arts Council's [newsletter](#) for November, 2025.
- Council received [a request for donations](#) from the Lac du Bonnet & Area Food Bank for their holiday hamper initiative.

The next Council Meeting will take place on Tuesday, Dec. 9, 2025 at 3 p.m.

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