

Council Meeting Recap — June 17, 2025

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The following is a brief recap of the **June 17, 2025** Council Meeting. To see agendas for upcoming meetings (released Thursday afternoons prior to Tuesday meetings) visit http://www.rmoflacdubonnet.com/p/agendas-minutes.

Council Decisions

Treaty Land Acknowledgement:

• Reeve Loren Schinkel and Council opened the meeting with a Treaty Land acknowledgement.

Variation & Conditional Use decisions:

• Council approved a Conditional Use application for the installation of a public dock at the Laker's site.

Awarding of Drifter's Bend road stabilization project:

- Council awarded the Drifter's Bend road stabilization project to Magnum Infrastructure.
- Further, Council resolved to transfer \$253,064 from the Road Reconstruction Reserve for this expense, which was included in the 2025 Financial Plan.
- The Drifter's Bend road stabilization project aims to upgrade the existing road structure to withstand the heavy traffic loads it's currently being subjected to by using cement stabilization technology. <u>Read more about the project</u> and Magnum's process.

Mooswa Snow Riders Transfer Station card request:

- Council approved issuing a white Transfer Station card to the Mooswa Lake Snowriders with limits established as per the residential bag limits. Any tipping fees associated with garbage removal from snowmobile shelters and trails within the RM will be waived.
- During the winter, Mooswa Lake Snowriders volunteers collect garbage from warming huts and snowmobile trails throughout the RM.

RM of Lac du Bonnet 2025 Student Bursary award – TABLED:

• This item was **tabled**.

Fire Department applicant approvals:

- Council approved the application of Mr. Chuck Hanford to join the Lac du Bonnet Fire Department as a Firefighter and approved the application of Mr. Jeff Anderstedt to join the Fire Department as a Level 2 Firefighter.
- Council congratulated Mr. Hanford and Mr. Anderstedt and welcomed them to the Fire Department.

Event and conference attendance approval:

- Council resolved to register a team representing the RM of Lac du Bonnet at the **2025 All Fore Golf Tournament** at the Selkirk Golf and Country Club on June 19.
- Council approved Councillor Cindy Kellendonk to attend **an event at the Lac du Bonnet and Area Food Bank June 20.** Manitoba Lieutenant Governor Anita Neville will present a donation from the Grounds Team at the Government House. The Lieutenant Governor's Sharing Hope Initiative was the driving force behind the collection of food items.
- Council resolved to register a team representing the RM of Lac du Bonnet at the 2025
 Eastern District Municipal Golf Tournament at the Maplewood Golf Course in St-Pierre-Jolys on Aug. 18.

Delegations

• Grant Melnychuk, Manitoba Pork Director of Sustainable Development & Research, appeared before Council to provide information about the hog sector in Manitoba. View Mr. Melnychuk's <u>presentation here.</u>

By-Law Readings

• There were no By-Law readings.

Reports and Correspondence

- Council received the Service Tracker Reports for <u>May, 2025</u> and <u>year-to-date 2025</u>.
- Council received a copy of <u>the letter</u> written by Reeve Schinkel to Prime Minister Mark Carney regarding last month's wildfire and specifically the issue of fire insurance coverage to new applicants.
- Council received a copy of <u>the letter</u> jointly written by Reeve Schinkel and City of Thompson Mayor Colleen Smook to Premier Wab Kinew regarding last month's wildfire and specifically the issue of fire insurance coverage to new applicants.
- Council received letters offering condolences and support from the <u>City of Thompson</u>, RMs of <u>Tache</u>, <u>Victoria Beach</u>, <u>Whitemouth</u>, and the <u>Town of Arborg</u> regarding last month's wildfire.
- Council <u>received a letter</u> from the Canadian Association of Municipal Administrators congratulating the RM CAO for her 10 years of service in municipal government management roles.

The next Council Meeting will take place on Tuesday, July 8, 2025 at 3 p.m.

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