



**City of Humboldt
Meeting Minutes
Regular Meeting of Council October 27, 2025 - 05:30 PM**

- PRESENT: Mayor Rob Muench
 Councillor Larry Jorgenson
 Councillor Roger Korte
 Councillor Sarah McInnis
 Councillor Dave Rowe
 Councillor Marilyn Scott
 Councillor Karen Siermachesky
 City Manager Joe Day
 Director of Corporate Service/City Clerk Lori Yaworski
 Director of Protective Services Mike Kwasnica
 Director of Public Works Peter Bergquist
 Director of Community and Leisure Service Mike Ulriksen
 Director of Cultural Services Jennifer Fitzpatrick
 Marketing and Development Manager Jarrett Delbridge

1 Call To Order

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

2 Land Acknowledgement

As we gather here today, we acknowledge we are on Treaty 6 Territory and the Homeland of the Métis. We pay our respect to the First Nations and Métis ancestors of this place and reaffirm our relationship with one another.

3 Adopt Agenda

Resolution: 2025.333

Moved By: Councillor Sarah McInnis

Seconded By: Councillor Marilyn Scott

That the agenda be adopted as presented.

CARRIED

3.1 Conflict of Interest

4 Public Acknowledgement

Councillor Siermachesky expressed appreciation to the Filipino community for their efforts in raking leaves at Civic Park over the weekend..

Councillor Rowe recognized HCI student Jade Blackshaw for being selected to

join the Provincial Youth Co-Design Team

Mayor Muench congratulated the City of Humboldt's Department of Cultural Services, Indigenous Heritage Circle and Heritage Sask on receiving the Governor's Award from the National Trust of Canada for exemplary leadership in heritage preservation.

5 Public Hearing

6 Approve Minutes

6.1 Regular Meeting of Council held September 22, 2025

Resolution: 2025.334

Moved By: Councillor Karen Siermachesky

Seconded By: Councillor Roger Korte

That the Minutes of the Regular Meeting of Council held September 22, 2025, be approved as presented.

CARRIED

6.2 Special Meeting of Council held September 29, 2025

Resolution: 2025.335

Moved By: Councillor Sarah McInnis

Seconded By: Councillor Dave Rowe

That the Minutes of the Special Meeting of Council held September 29, 2025, be approved as recorded and circulated.

CARRIED

7 Delegations

7.1 Delegation - Preferred Choice Development Strategists - James Leier

Resolution: 2025.336

Moved By: Councillor Larry Jorgenson

Seconded By: Councillor Dave Rowe

That this presentation be accepted for information and filed.

CARRIED

8 Correspondence

8.1 "A" Items Requiring Council Resolution

8.1.1 Humboldt Community Gathering Place Inc.

Resolution: 2025.337

Moved By: Councillor Marilyn Scott

Seconded By: Councillor Roger Korte

That Council refer the item to administration for further information.

CARRIED

8.2 Humboldt Golf Club

Resolution: 2025.338

Moved By: Councillor Larry Jorgenson

Seconded By: Councillor Roger Korte

That the City of Humboldt authorizes the Humboldt Golf Club to proceed with a short-term loan of \$100,000.

CARRIED

8.3 "B" Items Received for Information Only

9 Committee Reports

9.1 Executive Committee Meeting held October 14, 2025

Resolution: 2025.339

Moved By: Councillor Karen Siermachesky

Seconded By: Councillor Dave Rowe

That the Minutes of the Executive Committee Meeting held October 14, 2025, be approved as recorded and circulated.

CARRIED

9.2 Humboldt & District Museum & Gallery Board meeting held September 11, 2025

Resolution: 2025.340

Moved By: Mayor Rob Muench

Seconded By: Councillor Karen Siermachesky

That the Minutes of the Humboldt and District Museum and Gallery Board Meeting held September 11, 2025, be approved as recorded and circulated.

CARRIED

10 Bylaws

11 New Business

11.1 Recommendation- Director of Cultural Services - Water Tower Provincial Designation

Resolution: 2025.341

Moved By: Councillor Larry Jorgenson

Seconded By: Councillor Marilyn Scott

That Council approve the Municipal Heritage Advisory Committee's recommendation to nominate the Humboldt Water Tower for designation as a Provincial Heritage Property.

CARRIED

11.2 Recommendation- Manager of Development and Marketing - North Ridge Second Phase Street Naming

Resolution: 2025.342

Moved By: Councillor Sarah McInnis

Seconded By: Councillor Roger Korte

That "Birch Bay" be approved for use by North Ridge Developments in its next phase of development.

CARRIED

11.3 Recommendation - Director of Community and Leisure Services - Leisure Access Policy 10490

Resolution: 2025.343

Moved By: Councillor Sarah McInnis

Seconded By: Councillor Larry Jorgenson

That the revised Leisure Access Policy 10490 be approved, replacing the existing City-administered leisure access program with a partnership model delivered in collaboration with community social service organizations.

CARRIED

11.4 Recommendation - Director of Community and Leisure Services - SPRA Grant Partnership Request - Prairie Sky Trails Association

Resolution: 2025.344

Moved By: Councillor Dave Rowe

Seconded By: Councillor Karen Siermachesky

That the City of Humboldt partner with the Prairie Sky Trails Association in their application to the Saskatchewan Parks and Recreation Association's Regional Recreation Practitioner Grant Program as one of the two required municipal partners, and that provided that the application is successful, the City of Humboldt commit to \$5,000 per year for each of the two years of the program.

CARRIED

12 Enquiries

Councillor McInnis inquired about the status of a fee model for RM residents using City recreation facilities. The Director of Community and Leisure Services reported ongoing discussions and initiatives among Saskatchewan Recreation Director members.

Councillor Rowe shared the concerns of a resident regarding the use of the north end of Peck Road that is barricaded. The Director of Public Works responded that area of Peck Road is currently under construction, and the gravel will be placed later to prevent dust control issues for the residents backing that road.

13 Committee of the Whole

Resolution: 2025.345

Moved By: Councillor Roger Korte

Seconded By: Councillor Sarah McInnis

That we sit in a private session as Committee of the Whole, the time being 6:16 p.m.

CARRIED

13.1 Authority

The Committee met under Section 5(3) of Part III of *The Local Authority of Freedom of Information and Privacy Act*.

13.2 Present in the Committee of the Whole

Mayor Rob Muench, Councillor Larry Jorgenson, Councillor Roger Korte, Councillor Sarah McInnis, Councillor Dave Rowe, Councillor Marilyn Scott, Councillor Karen Siermachesky, City Manager Joe Day, City Clerk Lori Yaworski, Director of Protective Services Mike Kwasnica, Director of Public Works Peter Bergquist, Marketing and Development Manager Jarrett Delbridge.

13.3 Delegation - RM of Leroy - Reeve Calvin Buhs and Administrator Donna Tymiak

That the presentation by the RM of Leroy representative Reeve Calvin Buhs and Administrator Donna Tymiak be accepted for information.

13.4 Manager of Development and Marketing - Land Negotiations

13.5 Revert

Resolution: 2025.346

Moved By: Councillor Larry Jorgenson

Seconded By: Councillor Marilyn Scott

That Council revert to the Regular Meeting, the time being 7:00 pm.

CARRIED

13.6 Recommendation - RM of Leroy

Resolution: 2025.347

Moved By: Councillor Larry Jorgenson

Seconded By: Councillor Karen Siermachesky

That the presentation by the RM of Leroy representative Reeve Calvin Buhs and Administrator Donna Tymiak be accepted for information.

CARRIED

13.7 Recommendation - Manager of Development and Marketing - Land Negotiations

Resolution: 2025.348

Moved By: Councillor Roger Korte

Seconded By: Councillor Dave Rowe

That Administration proceed with the purchase of the property as outlined in this report.

CARRIED

14 Adjourn

Resolution: 2025.349

Moved By: Councillor Larry Jorgenson

Seconded By: Councillor Dave Rowe

That we do now adjourn, the time being 7:01 p.m.

CARRIED