

**MUNICIPALITY OF ACME
REGULAR COUNCIL MEETING MINUTES
Monday, February 23rd, 2026
6:00 p.m. Acme Village Office**

ATTENDANCE

Mayor	Jason Bates
Deputy Mayor	Rhonda Laking
Councillor	Bruce McLeod
Councillor	David Simmons
Councillor	Doreen Ternowetsky
Chief Administrative Officer	Gary Sawatzky

CALL TO ORDER CONFIRMATION OF QUORUM AND DECLARATION OF CONFLICT OF INTEREST

Mayor Bates called the meeting to order at 6:00 p.m.

ADOPTION OF THE AGENDA

054-2026 **MOVED** by Councillor McLeod that the agenda be approved as Presented.

CARRIED

DELEGATION

None

ADOPTION OF PREVIOUS MINUTES

055-2026 **MOVED** by Councillor Ternowetsky that the minutes of the Regular Council Meeting held Monday February 9th, 2026, be approved as presented.

CARRIED

056-2026 **MOVED** by Councillor Simmons that the minutes of the Committee of the Whole Meeting held Monday February 9th, 2026, be approved as presented.

CARRIED

BUSINESS

057-2026 **MOVED** by Councillor McLeod that the Council of the Village of Acme refer the Circular Materials Curbside pickup item back to administration for more information.

CARRIED

BYLAWS and POLICIES

INFORMATION

DISPOSITION OF DELEGATION AND PUBLIC HEARING BUSINESS

None

FINANCIAL

058-2026 **MOVED** by Deputy Mayor Laking that the Accounts Payable as of February 23rd, 2026, in the amount of \$382,913.42 be paid.

CARRIED

COMMITTEE REPORTS

059-2026 **MOVED** by Councillor McLeod that the Committee Reports be approved as presented.

CARRIED



CORRESPONDENCE

COURSES AND MEETINGS

March 02, 2026,	RMRF Law Seminar – Virtual
March 06, 2026,	RMRF Law Seminar – Virtual
March 09, 2026,	Regular Council Meeting
March 10, 2026,	Committee of the Whole 1pm
March 23, 2026,	Regular Council Meeting
March 26-27, 2026,	ABmunis Spring Leaders Conference
June 04-07, 2026,	FCM Conference Edmonton

IN CAMERA

060-2026 **MOVED** by Deputy Mayor Laking that Council go IN CAMERA at 7:32pm to discuss 2 matters: 1) a matter that may be harmful to law enforcement as per Section 23 of ATIA and 2) to discuss a matter that may be harmful to economic or other interests of a local body as per Section 36 of the ATIA.

CARRIED

Bylaw officer G. Thomas joined in Camera at 7:32pm
Bylaw officer G. Thomas left In Camera at 8:42pm

061-2026 **MOVED** by Councillor McLeod to come out of IN CAMERA at 9:02

Motion arising from IN CAMERA

062-2026 **MOVED** by Councillor McLeod to correspond with Municipal Affairs and Minister Dan Williams, the short-term need for the Village of Acme to exceed their overall Debt Limit by \$2,400,000 to complete the new Reservoir Pumphouse infrastructure project.

CARRIED

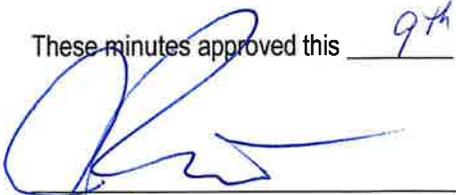
ADJOURNMENT

063-2026 **MOVED** by Mayor Bates to Adjourn the meeting at 9:05pm.

CARRIED

Being that the agenda matters have concluded the Meeting adjourned at 9:02pm.

These minutes approved this 9th day of March 2026.



Mayor
Jason Bates



Chief Administrative Officer,
Gary Sawatzky