

**MUNICIPALITY OF ACME
REGULAR COUNCIL MEETING MINUTES
Monday, March 09th, 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

064-2026 **MOVED** by Councillor McLeod that the agenda be approved as Presented.

CARRIED

DELEGATION

Innovative Partnerships in Education

Presenters – Kurt Ratzlaff and Cathy Price

ADOPTION OF PREVIOUS MINUTES

065-2026 **MOVED** by Councillor Ternowetsky that the minutes of the Regular Council Meeting held Monday February 23rd, 2026, be approved as presented.

CARRIED



BUSINESS

066-2026 **MOVED** by Deputy Mayor Laking that the Council of the Village of Acme direct Administration to advertise Roll #6400 105 Cross St for sale in the Three Hills Capital. Three conditions will apply in the advertisement: 1) Any offer below \$18,000 will not be considered, 2) The current structure is to be removed, and land cleared within 30 days of the transaction and 3) a building commitment within 12 months with an approved Development Permit.

CARRIED

067-2026 **MOVED** by Councillor Simmons that the Council of the Village of Acme direct administration to have a property appraisal done for Roll #35000 #1 Pacific Ave to determine Fair Market Value.

CARRIED

068-2026 **MOVED** by Councillor McLeod that the Council of the Village of Acme refers this back to Administration for budget consideration with information to come to Council on various Residential /Commercial Property Tax Ratios, using neighbouring communities as comparators.

CARRIED

069-2026 **MOVED** by Councillor Simmons that the Council of the Village of Acme direct Administration to put an information newsletter to the landowners/residents of the Village of Acme about the Alberta School Foundation Fund (ASFF) property tax increase for 2026, as well as information about the Alberta requirement for Police Funding for 2026 to 2030.

CARRIED

070-2026 **MOVED** by Councillor Ternowetsky that the Council of the Village of Acme reply to the Parkland Airshed Management Zone that Acme will not be participating in 2026.

CARRIED



BYLAWS and POLICIES

BYLAW 2026-06 Line of Credit Borrowing Bylaw - replaces Bylaw 2025-07

071-2026 **MOVED** by Councillor McLeod that the Council of the Village of Acme give **FIRST** Reading to Bylaw 2026-06 Line of Credit Borrowing Bylaw.

CARRIED

072-2026 **MOVED** by Councillor Simmons that the Council of the Village of Acme give **SECOND** Reading to Bylaw 2026-06 Line of Credit Borrowing Bylaw.

CARRIED

073-2026 **MOVED** by Deputy Mayor Laking that the Council of the Village of Acme move to Third Reading of Bylaw 2026-06 Line of Credit Borrowing Bylaw.

CARRIED UNANIMOUSLY

074-2026 **MOVED** by Councillor Ternowetsky that the Council of the Village of Acme give **THIRD** and **FINAL** Reading to Bylaw 2026-06 Line of Credit Borrowing Bylaw.

CARRIED

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NFORMATION**

075-2026 **MOVED** by Deputy Mayor Laking that the Council of the Village of Acme accept the information as presented.

CARRIED

DISPOSITION OF DELEGATION AND PUBLIC HEARING BUSINESS

None



FINANCIAL

076-2026 **MOVED** by Deputy Mayor Laking that the Accounts Payable as of March 09th, 2026, in the amount of **\$2,394.15** be paid.

CARRIED

COMMITTEE REPORTS

077-2026 **MOVED** by Councillor McLeod that the Committee Reports be approved as presented.

CARRIED

CORRESPONDENCE

COURSES AND MEETINGS

March 10, 2026,	Committee of the Whole 1pm
March 23, 2026,	Regular Council Meeting
March 26-27, 2026,	ABmunis Spring Leaders Conference
April 03, 2026,	Office Closed – Good Friday
April 06, 2026,	Office Closed – Easter Monday
April 13, 2026,	Regular Council Meeting
April 27, 2026,	Regular Council Meeting
June 04-07, 2026,	FCM Conference Edmonton

IN CAMERA

None

ADJOURNMENT

078-2026 **MOVED** by Mayor Bates to Adjourn the meeting at 7:48pm.

CARRIED

Being that the agenda matters have concluded the Meeting adjourned at 7:48pm.

These minutes approved this 23RD day of MARCH 2026.



Mayor
Jason Bates



Chief Administrative Officer,
Gary Sawatzky