MUNICIPALITY OF ACME
REGULAR COUNCIL MEETING MINUTES
Monday, October 26, 2026
Following the Organizational Meeting - Acme Village Office

COUNCIL PRESENT	Mayor	Jason Bates
	Deputy Mayor	Rhonda Laking
	Councillor	Bruce McLeod
	Councillor	David Simmons
	Councillor	Doreen Ternowetsky
COUNCIL ABSENT	None	
STAFF PRESENT	Administrative Advisor	Mike Haugen

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

Mayor Bates called the meeting to order at 6:36 p.m.

No conflicts of interest were declared.

2. ADOPTION OF THE AGENDA

RESOLUTION: 214-2026

MOVED By Councillor McLeod

That the agenda be approved as amended:

Additions:
5.3 Regional Fire Training Grant
13.2 Disclosure Harmful to Personal Privacy (ATIA Section 20)

Deletions:
None

CARRIED

3. DELEGATIONS AND PUBLIC HEARINGS

None

4. ADOPTION OF PREVIOUS MINUTES

4.1 October 13, 2026, Regular Council Meeting Minutes

RESOLUTION: 215-2026

MOVED By Councillor Ternowetsky

That the minutes of the Regular Council Meeting held Monday, September 28, 2026, be approved as presented.

CARRIED

4.2 October 21, 2026, Special Council Meeting Minutes

RESOLUTION: 216-2026

MOVED By Councillor Simmons

That the minutes of the Special Council Meeting held Wednesday, October 21, 2026, be approved as presented.

CARRIED

5. BUSINESS

5.1 Blais Request

RESOLUTION: 217-2026

MOVED By Councillor McLeod

That Council table item 5.1 to the In Camera Portion of the Agenda.

CARRIED

5.2 Rural Renewal Stream

RESOLUTION: 218-2026

MOVED By Councillor Simmons

That Council discontinues the Village of Acme's participation in the Rural Renewal Stream program.

CARRIED

5.3 Regional Fire Training Grant

RESOLUTION: 219-2026

MOVED By Councillor Simmons

That the Village of Acme provides a letter of support for Trochu's application for Regional Fire Training Grant funding.

CARRIED

6. DISPOSITION OF DELEGATION AND PUBLIC HEARING BUSINESS

None

7. BYLAWS and POLICIES

7.1 Bylaw 2026-11 Land Use Bylaw

RESOLUTION: 220-2026

MOVED By Councillor McLeod

That Council give third and final reading to proposed Bylaw 2026-11, the Land Use Bylaw, as presented.

CARRIED

7.2 Telecommunications Structure Policy

RESOLUTION: 221-2026

MOVED By Deputy Mayor Laking

That Council approved the Telecommunications Policy, as presented.

CARRIED

7.3 Bylaw 2026-12 Animal Control Bylaw

RESOLUTION: 222-2026

MOVED By Councillor McLeod

That Council gives first reading to proposed Bylaw 2026-12, the Animal Control Bylaw, as presented.

CARRIED

RESOLUTION: 223-2026

MOVED By Councillor Simmons

That Council gives second reading to proposed Bylaw 2026-12, the Animal Control Bylaw, as presented.

CARRIED

8. INFORMATION

None.

9. FINANCIAL

9.1 Accounts Payable

RESOLUTION: 224-2026

MOVED By Councillor McLeod

That Council approve payment of the Accounts Payable listing of October 26, 2026, in the amount of $71,313.89.

CARRIED

Councillor Ternowetsky left the meeting at 7:06 p.m.

10. COUNCIL REPORTS

9.1 Council Reports
9.2 CAO Report

RESOLUTION: 225-2026

MOVED By Deputy Mayor Laking

That the Council and CAO Reports be approved as presented.

CARRIED

11. CORRESPONDENCE

None

12. COURSES AND MEETINGS

November 9th Regular Council Meeting
November 23rd Regular Council Meeting

13. IN CAMERA

RESOLUTION: 226-2026

MOVED By Councillor McLeod

That Council go In Camera at 7:31 p.m. for the following reason(s):

13.1 AITA Section 20 – Disclosure Harmful to Business Interests of a Third Party (ATIA Section 19)
13.2 AITA Section 20 – Disclosure Harmful to Personal Privacy (ATIA Section 20)

CARRIED

RESOLUTION: 227-2026

MOVED By Councillor Simmons

That Council returns to Open Session at 8:01 p.m.

CARRIED

Council allowed time for the gallery to return.

RESOLUTION: 228-2026

MOVED By Councillor McLeod

That the Village of Acme provides a reimbursement to Mr. Matthew Blais in the amount of $1986.78.

CARRIED

14. ADJOURNMENT

RESOLUTION: 229-2026

MOVED By Mayor Bates

That the meeting be adjourned at 8:04 p.m.

CARRIED

These minutes approved this 9 day of November 2026.

Mayor
Jason Bates

Deputy CAO
Colleen Herrera