

Highlights of the Regular Council Meeting – March 8, 2022

Council Highlights briefly identify decisions made by the Town of Blackfalds Council. Residents, businesses and stakeholders are encouraged to keep in touch with Council news. Council meetings are live streamed on the Town's [YouTube channel](#).

Official minutes are posted on the Town of Blackfalds website at www.blackfalds.com. Archived minutes are available by request.

BUSINESS

Request for Decision – International Women's Day

International Women's Day (March 8th) is a global day celebrating the social, economic, cultural and political achievements of women. Council proclaimed March 8th as International Women's Day.

Request for Decision – Tender/Pump Rescue Apparatus

The Town of Blackfalds Fire Department provides fire services to the Town of Blackfalds and to surrounding communities. The current frontline (main) fire apparatus (engine 1) has been in service for twenty-two years and is due for replacement. This project was approved on December 14th, 2021 as part of the Capital Budget. Council directed Administration to complete the purchase of the Rescue/Pumper Fire Apparatus as provided by the Fort Garry – Four Man Crown Pumper in the amount \$729,995.00.

Request for Decision – Eagle Builders Centre Acoustic RFP

There is a noticeable reverberation deficiency in the Eagle Builders Centre, which may impact its ability to hold events. An RFP was posted following Council approval at the February 22, 2022 Council Meeting. Council directed staff to accept bid Option B from Resolve Acoustics Inc for \$160,570.00 + GST.

ACTION CORRESPONDENCE

Year of the Garden

2022 is the centennial of Canada's ornamental horticulture sector marked by the Canadian Nursery Landscape Association, and has been proclaimed the Year of the Garden by Canada's Garden-Family. Council requested further information on proclaiming 2022 the Year of the Garden.

INFORMATION

Council received the items below for information:

- Report to Council, Building and Development Permit Report – February 2022
- Report to Council, Enforcement Services Monthly Report – February 2022
- BOLT Transit Report – February 2022
- Lacombe County Council Highlights – February 24, 2022
- Soper Annexation
Recreation, Parks and Culture Board Meeting Minutes – February 2, 2022



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Adoption of Minutes

Council reviewed and adopted the Minutes for the Regular Council Meeting on February 22nd, 2022.

ADJOURNMENT

The Regular Council Meeting was adjourned at 7:28 pm.

Upcoming Council Meeting:

Standing Committee Meeting – Monday, March 14, 2022 at 7:00 p.m.

Council Meetings are held in the
Council Chambers on Level 2
Civic Cultural Centre | 5018 Waghorn Street

Council meetings are occurring via live stream.

Please see our YouTube channel for complete meeting.

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