

Council Meeting Summary – February 9, 2026

District of Lakeland No. 521

Time: 9:00 a.m. – 5:05 p.m.

The District of Lakeland No. 521 Council held its regular meeting on **Monday, February 9, 2026**, at the Municipal Office in Christopher Lake.

Reports & Delegations

- **Delegations:**
 - Christopher Lake Public School students attended to formally receive Council's playground donation.
 - Staff Sergeant Stephen Hurst (Prince Albert RCMP Detachment) met with Council to provide updates and discuss local policing matters.
- **Public Works – Jessica Georget:**
 - Council adopted the **Gravel Maintenance Program Policy**.
 - Council adopted the **Dust Control Policy**.
 - Public Works Report received.
- **Development – Kerry Potter:**
 - Council authorized enforcement action regarding unauthorized construction at **405 and 409 Ambrose Avenue**.
 - Approved the sale of road allowance adjacent to **307 Derek Place** for \$35,000 to satisfy legal access requirements.
 - Building/Development Report received.

Administration & Operations

- Designated voting delegates for the **SARM Convention**.
- Adopted the **Immediate Family Employment (Nepotism) Policy & Procedure**.
- Administration Report received.

Bylaws

Council gave second and third readings and adopted:

- **Bylaw 3-2026 – Road Closure Bylaw (Walkway North of 611 Marine Drive)**
- **Bylaw 4-2026 – Fireworks Bylaw**, establishing regulations and a permit system for fireworks.

Financial & Administrative Decisions

- Approved the **January 14, 2026 meeting minutes**.
- Received the **Action/Motion Item Status Report**.
- Approved payments totaling **\$882,164.70**, including payroll of \$42,589.39.
- Accepted Financial Statements and Bank Reconciliation for the period ending **January 31, 2026**.

Council Division Reports

Reeve and Councillors reported on bylaw enforcement discussions, Municipal Enforcement Officer interviews, committee meetings (EAC, DPC, Waste Management, Library), strategic planning sessions, and community engagement initiatives.

New Business

Council discussed:

- Sunset Bay Lease Agreement
- 2026 Informational Meeting
- 2026 Annual District BBQ

Correspondence & Committees

Council received correspondence from Lakeland Citizens on Patrol, PARCS, SRSD119, and STARS.

Committee updates were received from CPL Recreation, Environmental Advisory Committee, NCLPDC, SAW, LDFD, Lakeland Recreation Board, and the Christopher Lake Library Board.

Adjournment

The meeting concluded at **5:05 p.m.**