

Regular Council Meeting - January 12, 2026 Council Voting Summary

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A.	ADOPTION OF THE AGENDA	That the agenda for the regular meeting of Council scheduled for January 12, 2026 be amended by: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Adding one item of correspondence as agenda item H.12, • Moving agenda items E.2 and E.3 to be considered immediately following agenda item D.3, and that the agenda, BE ADOPTED AS AMENDED.	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes	Absent	Yes	CARRIED	8 - 0
B.	ADOPTION OF MINUTES												
B.1	Adoption of the Regular Council Meeting Minutes – December 15, 2025	That the minutes of the regular Council meeting held December 15, 2025 BE ADOPTED as read on this day and that such minutes as read set out all of the business before Council at that meeting and fully and properly record all of the resolutions passed by Council at that meeting.	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes	Absent	Yes	CARRIED	8 - 0
C.	DELEGATION(S)												
C.1	Everyone at the Table	That Council REFERS the presentation from Everyone at the Table Prince George to Administration for review and a report back with recommendations respecting the City’s potential role in the proposed Food Charter and the development of a food policy council.	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes	Absent	Yes	CARRIED	8 - 0
D.	CONSENT AGENDA (FOR INFORMATION)	That Council RECEIVES FOR INFORMATION Consent Agenda Item D.1 to D.3.	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes	Absent	Yes	CARRIED	8 - 0
D.1	Report: Mayor Simon Yu, Chair, Standing Committee on Public Safety: <u>Standing Committee on Public Safety – Progress Report</u>												
D.2	Report: Mayor Simon Yu, Chair, Standing Committee on Public Safety: <u>Committee Referral – Security Alarm System Bylaw</u>												

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D.3	Report: Mayor Simon Yu, Chair, Standing Committee on Public Safety: <u>Prince George Fire Rescue Service s- Response to Overdose and Medical Calls</u>												
E.	REPORTS												
E.1	Report: Councillor Garth Frizzell, Chair, Standing Committee on Intergovernmental Affairs: <u>Downloading Report Advocacy Tool</u>	That Council DIRECTS Administration to prepare a Downloading Report to be used by Council and Staff as an advocacy tool as described in the report dated January 6, 2026 from the Chair of the Standing Committee on Intergovernmental Affairs, titled "Downloading Report Advocacy Tool."	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes	Absent	Yes	Absent	Yes	CARRIED	7 - 0
E.2	Report: Eric Depenau, Director of Administrative Services: <u>2025 RCMP Year in Review</u>	That Council REQUESTS the RCMP provide a presentation to Council on a biannual basis.	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes	Absent	Yes	CARRIED	8 - 0
E.3	Report: Walter Babicz, City Manager: <u>Continuous Improvement (CI) Program Update</u>	That Council RECEIVES FOR INFORMATION the report dated January 2, 2026 from the City Manager, titled "Continuous Improvement (CI) Program Update."	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes	Absent	Yes	CARRIED	8 - 0
E.4	Report: Blake McIntosh, Director of Civic Operations: <u>Stormwater Utility Bylaw No. 9597, 2025 Revised</u>	That Council RESCINDS THIRD READING of "City of Prince George Stormwater Utility Bylaw No. 9597, 2025."	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes	Absent	Yes	CARRIED	8 - 0
E.4	Report: Blake McIntosh, Director of Civic Operations: <u>Stormwater Utility Bylaw No. 9597, 2025 Revised</u>	That Council AMENDS "City of Prince George Stormwater Utility Bylaw No. 9597, 2025" by inserting new Section 6(1)(b) as follows and re-lettering subsequent subsections accordingly: "6(1)(b) All properties that are not in any way connected to any part of the Stormwater System, or do not in any way benefit from any part of the Stormwater System, as determined by the Director."	Yes	Yes	Yes	No	Yes	Yes	Yes	Absent	No	CARRIED	6 - 2
E.4	Report: Blake McIntosh, Director of Civic Operations: <u>Stormwater Utility Bylaw No. 9597, 2025 Revised</u>	That Council GIVES THIRD READING AS AMENDED of "City of Prince George Stormwater Utility Bylaw No. 9597, 2025."	No	Yes	Yes	No	Yes	Yes	Yes	Absent	No	CARRIED	5 - 3

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E.5	Report: Kris Dalio, Director of Finance and IT Services: <u>Disposal of Surplus City Assets</u>	That Council GIVES FIRST THREE READINGS of "City of Prince George Purchasing Bylaw No. 8841, 2017, Amendment Bylaw No. 9606, 2025."	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes	Absent	Yes	CARRIED	8 - 0
E.6	Report: Ethan Anderson, Manager of Legislative Services/Corporate Officer: <u>Proposed Amendment to 2026 Council Meeting Calendar for a Spring Committee of the Whole Meeting</u>	That Council AMENDS the 2026 Council Meeting Calendar by adding a Committee of the Whole meeting on March 3, 2026 at 2:00 p.m. for the purpose of adjudicating the 2026 Limited Duration Operating Grant Program.	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes	Absent	Yes	CARRIED	8 - 0
E.7	Report: Ethan Anderson, Manager of Legislative Services/Corporate Officer: <u>Proposed Amendments to the Council Procedures Bylaw</u>	That Council DIRECTS Administration to return an amendment to the "City of Prince George Council Procedures Bylaw No. 8388, 2011, Amendment Bylaw No. 9601, 2025" requiring a street name on all correspondence to Council.	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes	No	No	Yes	Absent	Yes	CARRIED	6 - 2
F.	BYLAWS - FINAL READING AND ADOPTION												
F.1	Bylaw: <u>City of Prince George Zoning Bylaw No. 7850, 2007, Amendment Bylaw No. 9578, 2025</u>	That Council RESCINDS THIRD READING of "City of Prince George Zoning Bylaw No. 7850, 2007, Amendment Bylaw No. 9578, 2025".	Absent	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes	CARRIED	8 - 0
F.2	Bylaw: <u>City of Prince George Zoning Bylaw No. 7850, 2007, Amendment Bylaw No. 9592, 2025</u>	That Council GRANTS FINAL READING AND ADOPTION of "City of Prince George Zoning Bylaw No. 7850, 2007, Amendment Bylaw No. 9592, 2025".	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes	Absent	Yes	CARRIED	8 - 0
G.	NOTICE OF MOTION												
G.1	Councillor Garth Frizzell and Councillor Trudy Klassen: <u>External Building Scheme and Covenant Support</u>	<i>This item will be considered at the February 2, 2026 Regular Council Meeting.</i>											
H.	CORRESPONDENCE												

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H.1	Correspondence dated December 12, 2025 from Councillor Cori Ramsay, UBCM President: Canada Community Building Fund - Second Community Works Fund Payment for 2025/2026												
H.2	Correspondence dated November 25, 2025 from Mike Nash: Strengthening Wildfire Preparedness in Our Community												
H.3	Correspondence dated December 15, 2025 from Mayor John Bolt, City of Greenwood: Bill M216 Professional Reliance Act - City of Greenwood Remarks												
H.4	Correspondence dated December 16, 2025 from Mayor Marie-Térèse Little, District of Metchosin: Bill M216 - Professional Reliance Act												
H.5	Correspondence dated December 9, 2025 from Mayor Sue McKortoff, Town of Osoyoos: Town of Osoyoos concerns with the proposed Professional Reliance Act (Bill M216)												
H.6	Correspondence dated December 19, 2025 from Northern Development Initiative Trust: Approval Letter of the City's 2026 Business Façade Improvement Grant Application												

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H.7	Correspondence dated December 24, 2025 from Attorney General and Deputy Premier Niki Sharma: Safety and Well-Being in Communities across British Columbia												
H.8	Correspondence from Norm Coyne, Executive Director, Northern FanCon Society: Request for a Letter in Support of FanCon and its Continued Growth and Development	That Council REQUESTS the Mayor to provide a letter in support of FanCon and its continued growth and development to the Northern FanCon Society.	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes	Absent	Yes	CARRIED	8 - 0
H.9	Correspondence dated January 5, 2026 from Mayor Owen Torgerson, Village of Valemount: Concerns Regarding Bill M216 - Professional Reliance Act												
H.10	Correspondence dated January 5, 2026 from Susan Scott, Acting Mayor, to the Select Standing Committee on Private Bills and Private Members Bills: City of Prince George Concerns with Bill M-216 (Professional Reliance Act)												
H.11	Correspondence dated December 19, 2025 from Christos Vardacostas, Executive Director, Carefree Society to Minister Farnworth: Support for Carefree's Accessible Transportation Service	That Council REQUESTS the Mayor to provide a letter in support of the Ministry of Transportation and Transit meeting with the Carefree Society regarding their Accessible Transportation Service Model.	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes	Absent	Yes	CARRIED	8 - 0

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H.12	Correspondence dated January 9, 2026 from Amber New, VP Business Development – SAF, Tidewater Renewables Ltd.: Request for a Letter of Support in Application to the British Columbia Low Carbon Fuel Standard (BC-LCFS) Initiative Agreement Program	That Council REQUESTS the Mayor to provide a letter in support of Tidewater Ltd.'s application to the Application to the BC-LCFS (British Columbias's Low Carbon Fuel Standard) Initiative Agreement Program.	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes	Absent	Yes	CARRIED	8 - 0
I.	ADJOURNMENT												