

Regular Council Meeting - April 13, 2026 Council Voting Summary

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A.	<b>ADOPTION OF THE AGENDA</b>	That the agenda for the regular meeting of Council scheduled for March 23, 2026, be amended by: • Adding one new item of correspondence to agenda item G.5, and that the agenda, BE ADOPTED AS AMENDED.	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes	CARRIED	9 - 0
B.	<b>ADOPTION OF MINUTES</b>												
B.1	Adoption of the Regular Council Meeting Minutes – March 23, 2026	That the minutes of the regular Council meeting held March 23, 2026, 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	Yes	Yes	CARRIED	9 - 0
C.	<b>DELEGATION(S)</b>												
C.1	Rocky Mountain Ranger Regimental Association (Prince George Branch)	That Council: 1. DIRECTS Administration to prepare a letter of support expressing Council’s support for the Rocky Mountain Rangers’ efforts to pursue an expanded presence in Prince George, including a potential second mission element, which would see a more established and enhanced base; 2. REFERS the matter to the Intergovernmental Affairs Committee for further advocacy with provincial and federal partners, as appropriate, recognizing the strong historic relationship between the City and the Regiment and Prince George’s suitability as a location for increased Canadian Armed Forces investment and operations, which have become a key priority of the federal government.											

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C.1	Rocky Mountain Ranger Regimental Association (Prince George Branch)	<b>Amendment Motion:</b> That Council AMENDS the main motion by adding the words “; and REFERS the delegation presentation to Administration to develop a strategy that supports and incorporates Canada’s Defence Industrial Strategy in Prince George” immediately following the words “key priority of the federal government”.	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes	CARRIED	9 - 0
C.1	Rocky Mountain Ranger Regimental Association (Prince George Branch)	<b>Main motion as amended:</b> That Council: 1. DIRECTS Administration to prepare a letter of support expressing Council’s support for the Rocky Mountain Rangers’ efforts to pursue an expanded presence in Prince George, including a potential second mission element, which would see a more established and enhanced base; 2. REFERS the matter to the Intergovernmental Affairs Committee for further advocacy with provincial and federal partners, as appropriate, recognizing the strong historic relationship between the City and the Regiment and Prince George’s suitability as a location for increased Canadian Armed Forces investment and operations, which have become a key priority of the federal government; and 3. REFERS the delegation presentation to Administration to develop a strategy that supports and incorporates Canada’s Defence Industrial Strategy in Prince George” immediately following the words “key priority of the federal government	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes	CARRIED	9 - 0
D.	CONSENT AGENDA (FOR INFORMATION)												
E.	REPORTS												

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E.1	Report: Councillor Garth Frizzell, Chair, Standing Committee on Intergovernmental Affairs: <u>Changes to Northern-Rural Homeowners Grant</u>	That Council: 1. DIRECTS administration to submit to UBCM a resolution to strongly urge the Provincial government to explain and reverse the decision to reduce the Northern-Rural Homeowners grant as described in the report dated April 7, 2026 from the Chair of the Standing Committee on Intergovernmental Affairs, titled “Changes to Northern-Rural Homeowners Grant”; and 2. DIRECTS administration to inform and offer partnership on the resolution to other northern and rural municipalities as described in the report dated April 7, 2026 from the Chair of the Standing Committee on Intergovernmental Affairs, titled “Changes to Northern-Rural Homeowners Grant”.	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes	CARRIED	9 - 0
E.2	Report: Eric Depenau, Director of Administrative Services: <u>Downtown Prince George Public Washroom Survey What We Heard Report</u>	That Council DIRECTS Administration to proceed with Option 2, as outlined in the report dated March 9, 2026 from the Director of Administrative Services, titled “Downtown Prince George Public Washroom Survey – What We Heard Report”, and to report back to Council with a preferred approach to address the need for downtown public washrooms, which may include new infrastructure and/or the use of existing facilities, together with consideration of seasonal needs, and including capital and operating cost estimates for installation, maintenance, monitoring, location, and lifecycle considerations, for consideration as a funded capital project in the 2027 budget cycle.	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes	No	Yes	Yes	CARRIED	8 - 1

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E.3	Report: Eric Depenau, Director of Administrative Services: <u>2026 Union of British Columbia Municipalities (UBCM) Community Emergency Preparedness Fund - Public Notification and Evacuation Route Planning</u>	That Council. 1. SUPPORTS the City submitting a grant application to the Union of British Columbia Municipalities (UBCM) Community Emergency Preparedness Fund –Public Notification and Evacuation Route Planning in the amount of forty thousand dollars (\$40,000) to support the finalization of the City’s Evacuation Response Plan; 2. AUTHORIZES the City’s Director of Finance and/or Director of Administrative Services to sign the grant application and subsequent contract documents should grant approval be received; and 3. CONFIRMS that the City of Prince George will assume overall grant management should grant approval be received.	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes	CARRIED	9 - 0
E.4	Report: Deanna Wasnik, Director of Planning and Development: <u>Temporary Use Permit Application No. TU000112</u>  Location: 2697 Evasko Road	That Council That Council APPROVES Temporary Use Permit No. TU000112 for the property legally described as Lot A, District Lot 634, Cariboo District, Plan 22101, Except Plan 24048.	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes	CARRIED	9 - 0
E.5	Report: Deanna Wasnik, Director of Planning and Development: <u>Liquor License Application No. LL100207</u>  Location: 770 Brunswick Street	That Council. 1. CONFIRMS that its comments on the Liquor and Cannabis Regulation Branch’s prescribed considerations are as set out in the report dated March 19, 2026, from Deanna Wasnik, Director of Planning and Development, for Liquor License Application No. LL100207; 2. SUPPORTS the approval of the Patron Participant Entertainment Endorsement for APA Hotel Canada Inc., Inc. No. BC0105008 located at 770 Brunswick Street for the following reasons:  This application is not expected to have a negative impact on the community or produce any significant negative land use impacts on adjacent properties.	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes	CARRIED	9 - 0

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F.	<b>BYLAWS - FINAL READING AND ADOPTION</b>												
G.	<b>CORRESPONDENCE</b>	That Council RECEIVES FOR INFORMATION Correspondence Items G.1 to G.6.	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes	CARRIED	9 - 0
G.1	Correspondence dated March 17, 2026 from Kermit Dahl, City of Campbell River: Letter in Support of the City of Prince George's Petition to the Minister of Justice and Attorney General Regarding Public Safety												
G.2	Correspondence dated March 20, 2026 from Dr. Amelia Merrick: Safe Streets Bylaw Report												
G.3	Correspondence dated March 17, 2026 from Alicia Elgert, Conservation Campaigner, Ocean Program, Canadian Parks and Wilderness Society (BC Chapter): Request for a Resolution or Letter in Support of the BC Coastal Marine Strategy												
G.4	Correspondence dated March 30, 2026 from Sarah Ferrey and Daniel Roy, Northern Peer Guardians: Request for In-Kind Municipal Infrastructure Support												
G.5	Correspondence dated February 18, 2026 from Zach Fleck, Project Planner, College of New Caledonia Research Forest Department: Request to Deploy Trail Cameras on City-Owned Property	That Council REFERS to Administration the correspondence dated February 18, 2026 from Zach Fleck, Project Planner, College of New Caledonia Research Forest Department, for a report to Council outlining any implications associated with the installation of trail cameras on City-owned property as they relate to the proposed research project.	Yes	Yes	Absent	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes	CARRIED	8 - 0

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G.6	Correspondence dated April 1, 2026 from Mark Miller, Chief Executive Officer, Connective: Request for a Letter in Support of Connective's Build Canada Homes Submission	That Council REFERS to Administration the correspondence dated April 1, 2026 from Mark Miller, Chief Executive Officer, Connective, for follow-up with Connective to obtain additional information regarding its proposed Build Canada Homes submission.	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes	CARRIED	9 - 0
H.	<b>ADJOURNMENT</b>												