

AGENDA

Regular Council Meeting
Tuesday, March 17, 2026, at 6:30 p.m.
Powassan Council Chambers
252 Clark Street, Powassan, ON

1. CALL TO ORDER

2. LAND ACKNOWLEDGMENT

“We respectfully acknowledge that we are on the traditional territory of the Anishinaabe Peoples, under the terms of the Robinson-Huron Treaty of 1850 and the Williams Treaties of 1923. We wish to acknowledge the long history of First Nations and Metis Peoples in Ontario and show respect to the neighbouring Indigenous communities. We offer our gratitude towards the Indigenous peoples for their past and present stewardship over these lands, waterways, and resources. May we continue to honour their history, culture, and teachings as we work towards reconciliation.”

3. ROLL CALL

4. DISCLOSURE OF MONETARY INTEREST AND GENERAL NATURE THEREOF

5. APPROVAL OF THE AGENDA

6. DELEGATIONS TO COUNCIL

7. ADOPTION OF MINUTES OF PREVIOUS OPEN SESSION MEETINGS OF COUNCIL

7.1 Regular Council Meeting of February 17, 2026

7.2 Special Budget Meeting of March 10, 2026

8. MINUTES AND REPORTS FROM COMMITTEES OF COUNCIL

9. MINUTES AND REPORTS FROM APPOINTED BOARDS

9.1 Powassan & District Union Public Library – Minutes of January 19, 2026

9.2 The golden Sunshine Municipal Non-Profit Housing Corporation – Minutes of January 20, 2026

10. STAFF REPORTS

10.1 Protective Services Official, M. Peddle – Draft Bylaw to Regulate Parking

10.2 Protective Services Official, M. Peddle – Draft Bylaw to Licence Trailers

10.3 Clerk, A. Quinn – 2026 Election Information

10.4 Manager of Operations, T. Keefe – Review of 2025 Annual Drinking Water System Report

11. BYLAWS

11.1 Bylaw 2026-04 – To Appoint a Protective Services Official

11.2 Bylaw 2026-05 – To Authorize authority during the “Lame Duck Period” of Council

12. UNFINISHED BUSINESS

12.1 Powassan & District Union Public Library – Budget follow up

12.2 New Official Plan - Additional review

13. NEW BUSINESS

13.1 Ontario Clean Water Agency – 2025 Annual/Summary Report for the Powassan Drinking Water System

13.2 To Appoint two representatives to the Powassan & District Union Public Library Board

13.3 Mayor Champagne, Municipality of East Ferris – Support for East Ferris Regional Fire and Emergency Services Training Centre

13.4 Notice of Public Meeting for Zoning Bylaw Amendment – 81 King Street

13.5 Planscape Planning Report – Consent Application B15B16/Powassan/2026

13.6 Planscape Planning Report – Consent Application B9/B10/B11/B12/Powassan 2026

14. CORRESPONDENCE

14.1 France Gelinias, MPP Nickel Belt – Planned Closure of Lifelabs Laboratory in Greater Sudbury

14.2 Almaguin Pride Network – Donation Request

14.3 Mayor Bradley, City of Sarnia – Mayoral Authority and Municipal Police Budget Sustainability

14.4 M. Larivee, Powassan Farmers Market – Location of Powassan Farmers Market for the 2026 Season

15. ADDENDUM

16. NOTICE OF SCHEDULE OF COUNCIL AND BOARD MEETINGS

17. CLOSED SESSION

17.1 Adoption of Closed Session Minutes of February 17, 2026

17.2 Legal Matters – Section 239(2)(f) of the Municipal Act and under Section 9(4)(f) of the Procedural Bylaw – advice that is subject to solicitor-client privilege, including communications necessary for that purpose.

17.3 Negotiations – Section 239(2)(k) Section 9(4)(k) of the Procedural Bylaw - a position, plan, procedure, criteria or instruction to be applied to any negotiations carried on or to be carried on by or on behalf of the municipality or local board.

18. MOTION TO ADJOURN