

October 2021 Meetings

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 Council Meetings

Flagstaff County Council Meetings are conducted the 2nd and 4th Wednesday of each month commencing at 9 a.m. unless otherwise planned.

Council and Committee meeting agendas are available at the County's website at:

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Council Highlights



Regular Council Meeting of October 13, 2021

Council Highlights briefly identify decisions made by Council. Council encourages its residents, businesses and stakeholders to keep in touch with Council news.

Traffic Bylaw 07-21

Council approved final reading of Bylaw 07-21 – Traffic Bylaw.

Electrical Distribution Franchise Fee 2022

Council approved a motion that the franchise fee percentage as per the electrical distribution system franchise agreement be submitted to the Alberta Utilities Commission for approval as follows:

- With FortisAlberta for the Hamlet of Strome – an increase from 8% to 9% effective January 1, 2022; and
- With ATCO Electric for the Hamlet of Galahad – an increase from 8% to 9% effective January 1, 2022.

2022 Capital Bridge Program — Grant Application

Council approved a motion to submit an application to the Local Road Bridge Program (LRB) component within the Strategic Transportation Infrastructure Program (STIP) for \$116,250 assistance in funding three projects as presented, with the County portion of \$38,750 being funded through Municipal Taxes.

Structural Repairs at the Sedgewick Storage Shop

Council approved a motion that the quote to complete the structural repairs at the Sedgewick Storage Shop, received from Align Builders Ltd. in the amount of \$18,764, be accepted and the overall project cost of \$26,745 be funded by Shop/Grader Shed Reserves.

Rally Canada Resources Ltd. — Tax Repayment Agreement

Council approved a motion that the tax repayment agreement with Rally Canada Resources Ltd. be approved and allow them to pay the 2020-2021 outstanding tax levy by way of three (3) monthly payments, and that all penalties be waived as per the conditions of the agreement.

Subdivision and Development Appeal Board — Member Appointment

Council approved the appointment of Leslie Cholowsky to the Flagstaff Regional Subdivision and Development Appeal Board for a three-year term, expiring December 2024.

2021 Cancellation of Taxes

Council approved a motion that taxes in the amount of \$298,307.59 from nine companies that have filed for bankruptcy or gone into receivership, as presented, be cancelled.

2021-11-24 Council Meeting — Recommend to Cancel

Council approved the cancellation of the November 24, 2021 Council meeting.

Adjournment of Tax Sale

Council approved a motion that the Tax Sale advertised for October 13th be adjourned until November 10th, 2021 due to Covid-19 restrictions.

Once approved, the full Council Meeting minutes can be found at www.flagstaff.ab.ca under the "Council" tab and in the "Meetings and Minutes" section.



The Council meeting on **November 24, 2021** has been cancelled.



Small Business Week

Live Local Scavenger Hunt

Each October, "Small Business Week" celebrates the entrepreneurs that contribute so much to our communities. With the continued stress of the COVID-19 pandemic, it has never been more important to highlight the resiliency, passion and hard work our local business owners have shown. They continue to persevere and keep themselves and our communities strong!

Join us, as we celebrate small businesses across the Flagstaff Region with a "Live Local Scavenger Hunt". To play, follow these steps:

- 1) Read through the "Live Local Scavenger Hunt" poster on our website for all information; pick at least FIVE ideas/activities to support local.
- 2) Take a photo or selfie of a purchase you have made at a local small business within the Flagstaff Region.
- 3) Once at least five activities have been completed, use the link below to submit your entry.
<https://bit.ly/ScavengerHuntSubmissions>
- 4) You will be entered into a draw for a chance to win a small business prize package.
First place will receive \$200 Flagstaff Bucks, and a Succeeding Together Heart & Hustle apparel item.
Second place will receive a Succeeding Together Heart & Hustle apparel item.

This Live Local Scavenger Hunt will run from October 17 - 23, 2021. Submissions close October 24, 2021 at 12:00 a.m. The Winners will be announced October 25, 2021!

Flagstaff County Council and Administration would like to recognize and sincerely thank the hundreds of small businesses located throughout the Flagstaff Region. Whether it's a coffee shop, retail space, restaurant, oilfield service supplier or agriculture producer, running a small business takes dedication, sacrifice and very hard work – you are an integral part of the Flagstaff Region, and we appreciate your contributions.

Franchise Fee Increase Notice

HAMLET OF GALAHAD

Please be advised that Flagstaff County, (Hamlet of Galahad only), is proposing to increase the local franchise fee effective January 1, 2022. This fee is charged to ATCO Electric for the use of municipal lands for its power lines and is recovered from its customers that receive electric service in the Hamlet of Galahad. The local access fee will be increased from 8% to 9% on the delivery charges of ATCO Electric, excluding energy related riders. The effect of a 1% increase will be \$1.14 per month to the average residential customer. Residents of the Hamlet of Galahad have until 4 pm on November 3, 2021 to make their concerns known, in writing, to:

Flagstaff County Office,
Attn: D.Szott, Public Works Superintendent
Box 358, Sedgewick, AB T0B 4C0
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