

**MINUTES OF COUNCIL MEETING C25-01** of the Council of the City of Dawson held on Tuesday, January 14, 2025 at 7:00 p.m. via City of Dawson Council Chambers.

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**PRESENT:**

Mayor Stephen Johnson  
 Councillor Justine Hobbs  
 Councillor Darwyn Lynn  
 Councillor Cud Eastbound

**REGRETS:**

Councillor Tobias Graf

**ALSO PRESENT:**

CAO: David Henderson  
 MC: Elizabeth Grenon  
 PDM: Farzad Zarringhalam  
 CFO: David Ni  
 PWM: Jonathan Howe

**1 CALL TO ORDER**

The Chair, Mayor Johnson called Council meeting C25-01 to order at 7:02 p.m.

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**C25-01-01**

**2 ADOPTION OF AGENDA**

**Moved By:** Councillor Lynn  
**Seconded By:** Councillor Eastbound

That the agenda for Council meeting C25-01 of January 14, 2025 be adopted as presented.

CARRIED UNANIMOUSLY

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**3 DELEGATIONS, GUEST PRESENTATIONS, PUBLIC QUESTIONS & COMMENTS (Delegation by pre-notice, Guest Presentation by Invitation, Public Q & Comment 2 min ea. with max limit at discretion of Chair (testing...))**

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**4 FINANCIAL & BUDGET REPORTS**

**C25-01-02**

**4.1 Budget Presentation**

**Moved By:** Councillor Eastbound  
**Seconded By:** Councillor Hobbs

That Council set the property tax rate increase at 1%.

CARRIED 3-1

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**C25-01-03**

**4.2 Cable TV**

**Moved By:** Councillor Eastbound  
**Seconded By:** Councillor Lynn

BE IT RESOLVED THAT the Municipality of Dawson commits to maintaining Dawson City Cable TV services and directs administration to:

- 1: Gather community feedback on the future of Cable TV services.
  - 2: Collaborate with stakeholders like CFYT to understand the impacts of any
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changes.

3: Review and separate capital/infrastructure and operational costs for Cable TV to ensure transparency.

4: Explore cost-saving measures to make the service self-sustaining.

5: Provide a clear cost analysis comparing the expense of transferring Cable TV lines to new power poles versus the cost of removing the lines entirely, to fully evaluate the financial implications of each option.

CARRIED UNANIMOUSLY

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**C25-01-04**      **4.3**      **CBC Building Capital Budget Carryover**  
**Moved By:** Councillor Eastbound  
**Seconded By:** Councillor Hobbs

That Council authorize the carryover of unspent capital funding allocated in 2024 for the CBC Building project to the 2025 Capital Budget.

CARRIED UNANIMOUSLY

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**C25-01-05**      **4.4**      **Tipping Fees**  
**Moved By:** Councillor Hobbs  
**Seconded By:** Councillor Eastbound

BE IT RESOLVED THAT Council direct City staff to develop a policy outlining the implementation of tipping fees for:

- i) All demolition and construction waste originating from within and outside the municipality;
- ii) All industrial waste originating from inside or outside the municipality;

AND BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED THAT the policy include provisions for:

- i) Fee structures based on volume;
- ii) Clear definitions of waste categories;
- iii) Mechanisms to enforce compliance;
- iv) Education Campaign including Diversion

AND THAT the draft policy be presented to Council at the February 18th Council Meeting for review and approval.

CARRIED UNANIMOUSLY

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**5**      **BYLAWS & POLICIES**

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**C25-01-06**      **5.1**      **Fees and Charges 2025 Amendment Bylaw (2025-03)-Second Reading**  
**Moved By:** Councillor Lynn  
**Seconded By:** Councillor Eastbound

That Council give Bylaw 2025-03, being the Fees & Charges 2025 Amendment Bylaw, second reading.

CARRIED UNANIMOUSLY

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**6**      **PUBLIC QUESTIONS**

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**C25-01-07**      **7**      **ADJOURNMENT**

That Council Meeting C25-01 be adjourned at 9:48 p.m. with the next regular meeting of Council being January 21, 2025.

CARRIED UNANIMOUSLY

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**THE MINUTES OF COUNCIL MEETING C25-01 WERE APPROVED BY COUNCIL RESOLUTION #C25-02-03 AT COUNCIL MEETING C25-02 OF JANUARY 21, 2025.**

**Original signed by:**

Stephen Johnson, Mayor

David Henderson, CAO