



THE RURAL MUNICIPALITY OF ALONSA
REGULAR MEETING MINUTES
April 10, 2026

The Council of the Rural Municipality of Alonsa held their Regular Council Meeting on April 10, 2026 in the Council Chambers at 1:00 PM; Reeve Tom Anderson presiding with Councillors Kerry Hopfner, Travis Turko, Mike Brown, Terry Dayholos & Logan Dumanske present. Also present, CAO Tami Dumanske as Recording Secretary.

Absent: Cllr. Stott

1 CALL TO ORDER

Reeve Tom Anderson called the meeting to order at 1:00 PM

2 APPROVAL OF AGENDA

RESOLUTION NO. 77-26

BE IT RESOLVED THAT the Agenda for the April 10, 2026 Council Meeting be adopted as presented.

CARRIED.

3 APPROVAL OF MINUTES

RESOLUTION NO. 78-26

WHEREAS the Statutory Requirements of Section 133 of The Municipal Act have been complied with;

- the minutes for the March 6, 2026 Special Council Meeting be adopted as presented.
- the minutes for the March 18, 2026 Regular Council Meeting be adopted as presented.
- the minutes for the March 25, 2026 Special Council Meeting be adopted as presented.

CARRIED.

4 APPROVAL OF ACCOUNTS

4.1 General Accounts - as of April 10, 2026

RESOLUTION NO. 79-26

BE IT RESOLVED THAT the General Accounts of the Rural Municipality of Alonsa for the period ending April 10, 2026;

Payments issued by computer generated cheques **29006 - 29066** have been examined and found to be correct for the amount of **\$108,165.75** and Auto Withdrawal for the amount of **\$4,563.68** and direct deposits for the amount of **\$26,579.87** have been examined and found to be correct.

NOW THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED that the accounts referred to above amounting to **\$139,309.30** be approved for payment.

CARRIED.

4.2 Council Expense Accounts - as of April 10, 2026

RESOLUTION NO. 80-26

BE IT RESOLVED THAT the Council Expense Accounts for the Rural Municipality of Alonsa for the period end April 10, 2026 under computer generated cheques **29067 - 29068** for the amount of **\$633.25** have been examined and found to be correct;

NOW THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED THAT the accounts referred to above amounting to **\$633.25** be approved for payment.

CARRIED.

5 FINANCIAL STATEMENT

5.1 Ending March 31, 2026

RESOLUTION NO. 81-26

BE IT RESOLVED THAT the Financial Statement ending March 31, 2026 be adopted as circulated.

CARRIED.

6 MATTERS ARISING FROM THE MINUTES

7 UNFINISHED BUSINESS

7.1 Financial Plan

RE: Accumulated Surplus
CAO Dumanske shared the Auditor's information regarding accumulated surplus.

7.2 Conditional Use Order

RE: Vakker Beach
Council reviewed the Order/Resolution and CAO Dumanske is to forward to the developer

7.3 2026 Grader Lease

RESOLUTION NO. 82-26

BE IT RESOLVED THAT the Council of the Rural Municipality of Alonsa hereby approve to trade in the 2014 Grader and enter into a lease agreement with Brandt Tractor, at an interest rate of 5.50% for a term of 48 months, with monthly payments in the amount of \$8,381.19 and a residual value of \$227,100.00 at the end of the term.

AND FURTHER BE IT RESOLVED THAT the Chief Administrative Officer is hereby authorized to execute all necessary documents to complete this lease agreement.

CARRIED.

RESOLUTION NO. 82a-26

BE IT RESOLVED THAT the Council of the Rural Municipality of Alonsa authorize to purchase a V-Plow for the 2026 Grader that is being leased. The cost to purchase is not to exceed \$36,750.00 plus taxes.

CARRIED.

7.4 Camper Permits

CAO Dumanske asked Council if she can change the Camper Permits that we have to stickers. Council was in favour.

7.5 Quarry Operations Permit Application

RE: Heidelberg Materials
CAO Dumanske presented a draft letter. Council was in favour.

7.6 By-Law Variance Application

RE: Variance Application #26-01

RESOLUTION NO. 83-26

WHEREAS Council has received a By-Law Variance Application referencing Section 3.15 of the Rural Municipality of Alonsa Zoning By-Law No. 1502, which permits one additional, self-contained secondary dwelling unit to be located either within an existing primary dwelling or within a separate attached or detached building on the same site as the permanent primary single-family dwelling;

AND WHEREAS the applicant is requesting to replace an existing dwelling with a newer modular home, on the same property as the primary single-family dwelling, but not on the same yard site, but within NW 5-23-11W;

THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED THAT the Council of the Rural Municipality of Alonsa hereby approve this application.

CARRIED.

8 COMMITTEE REPORTS

By-Law Committee

Reeve Anderson reported that the By-Law Committee reviewed & discussed the new Solid Waste Management & Fire Prevention By-Laws. Asked Council about their opinion on burning windrows. Also, discussed the Undeveloped Municipal Road Allowance Policy.
Cllr. Brown volunteered to join the By-Law Committee.

9 CORRESPONDENCE

9.1 Minister for Municipal & Northern Relations

RE: Municipal Operating Grant
Council reviewed the correspondence from the Minister.

9.2 Burrows Trail Arts Council

RE: Annual Donation Request

RESOLUTION NO. 84-26

BE IT RESOLVED THAT the Council of the Rural Municipality of Alonsa hereby authorize to provide their annual letter to Burrows Trail Arts Council stating that they will provide a \$200.00/month In-Kind Donation.

CARRIED.

9.3 Manitoba ACL

RE: Casual Permit Renewal

RESOLUTION NO. 85-26

WHEREAS Manitoba Agriculture Crown Lands requires Council's permission to renew Bryan & Kathy Preston's Casual Permit on Section 31-26-14 WPM; THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED THAT the Council of the Rural Municipality of Alonsa hereby authorize Manitoba Agriculture Crown Lands to renew the Casual Permit on Section 31-26-14 WPM.

CARRIED.

9.4 Sandy Bay Chief & Council Meeting Invitation

RE: Road 54W (Ridge Road North)

CAO Dumanske is to reply to the invitation that there will be 2 or 3 Council Members that will attend.

9.5 Solutions IT

RE: Server & Back-up Issues

RESOLUTION NO. 86-26

BE IT RESOLVED THAT the Council of the Rural Municipality of Alonsa hereby authorize to update the operating system on the server for an amount not to exceed \$608.00 plus taxes.

CARRIED.

9.6 Westlake Community Centre

RE: Spring Bash Sponsorship Request

RESOLUTION NO. 87-26

BE IT RESOLVED THAT the Council of the Rural Municipality of Alonsa hereby authorize to sponsor the Westlake Community Centre spring bash with a Super Diamond Sponsorship for the amount of \$1,040.

CARRIED.

9.7 Inter-Mountain Watershed

RE: Request for Support Letter

RESOLUTION NO. 88-26

BE IT RESOLVED THAT the Council of the Rural Municipality of Alonsa hereby authorize to provide a letter of support to Inter-Mountain Watershed District.

CARRIED.

10 GENERAL BUSINESS

10.1 In-Camera Meeting

RESOLUTION NO. 89-26

BE IT RESOLVED THAT the Council Meeting be adjourned and Council meeting in a Confidential In-Camera Meeting.

CARRIED.

RESOLUTION NO. 90-26

BE IT RESOLVED THAT the In-Camera Meeting be adjourned and Council resume regular deliberations.

CARRIED.

10.2 CAO & Council Reports

Cllr. Dayholos

> Reported that he needs the overgrowth cleaned out of the west ditch along Road 52W.

Cllr. Dumanske

> Discussed spring restrictions on Lone Spruce Road

> Requested that CAO Dumanske contact MTI regarding the culverts that run through PR 261

> Reported that the current paging system unit in Amaranth is now obsolete. He is waiting for a quote, but members all use their phones now

Clr. Brown

- > Discussed a call from a ratepayer regarding Road 65W
- > Discussed the street light at Silver Ridge
- > Reported that he needs some collapsed areas filled in with rock on Road 123N

Clr. Turko

- > Discussed screened gravel at Krunek Pit

Reeve Anderson

- > Reported what Orvel confirmed our insurance will cover
- > Discussed illegal drainage
- > Discussed temporarily closing a road allowance for gravel exploration

RESOLUTION NO. 91-26

BE IT RESOLVED THAT the Council of the Rural Municipality of Alonsa authorize to temporarily close Rd 58W between Roads 110N & 111N, for gravel exploration.

CARRIED.

Open Council Discussion

- > Gravel
- > Snow plowing

10.3 Appoint SEO for 2026 Municipal Elections

RESOLUTION NO. 92-26

BE IT RESOLVED THAT the Council of the Rural Municipality of Alonsa hereby appoint Tami Dumanske as the Senior Election Official for the 2026 Municipal Elections.

CARRIED.

10.4 Gravel Exploration

Clr. Hopfner informed Council of a couple of RM properties that we should explore for gravel.

10.5 Ward 5 Ditch Clean

Discussed in Council Reports

11 BY-LAWS, POLICIES & AGREEMENTS

11.1 By-Law No. 1571: Grants of Money

11.1.1 - 3rd Reading

RESOLUTION NO. 93-26

BE IT RESOLVED THAT By-Law No. 1571 be read for the third time; by recorded vote.

NAME	IN-FAVOUR	OPPOSED	ABSTAINED	ABSENT
Kerry Hopfner	✓			
Tim Stott				✓
Travis Turko	✓			
Mike Brown	✓			
Terry Dayholos	✓			
Logan Dumanske	✓			
Tom Anderson	✓			

CARRIED.

11.2 By-Law No. 1572: Council Indemnity

11.2.1 - 3rd Reading

RESOLUTION NO. 94-26

BE IT RESOLVED THAT By-Law No. 1572 be read for the third time; by recorded vote.

NAME	IN-FAVOUR	OPPOSED	ABSTAINED	ABSENT
Kerry Hopfner	✓			
Tim Stott				✓
Travis Turko	✓			
Mike Brown	✓			
Terry Dayholos	✓			
Logan Dumanske	✓			
Tom Anderson	✓			

CARRIED.

11.3 By-Law No. 1573: Aggregate Mining & Transportation

11.3.1 - 3rd Reading

RESOLUTION NO. 95-26

BE IT RESOLVED THAT By-Law No. 1573 be read for the third time; by recorded vote.

NAME	IN-FAVOUR	OPPOSED	ABSTAINED	ABSENT
Kerry Hopfner	✓			
Tim Stott				✓
Travis Turko	✓			
Mike Brown	✓			
Terry Dayholos	✓			
Logan Dumanske	✓			
Tom Anderson	✓			

CARRIED.

11.4 By-Law No. 1574 - Establish Campaign Expenses & Contributions

11.4.1 - 1st Reading

RESOLUTION NO. 96-26

BE IT RESOLVED THAT By-Law No. 1574 to Establish Campaign Expenses and Contributions in Connection with Municipal Elections be read for the First Time.
CARRIED.

11.4.2 - 2nd Reading

RESOLUTION NO. 97-26

BE IT RESOLVED THAT By-Law No. 1574 be read for the Second Time.
CARRIED.

11.5 By-Law No. 1575 - Regulate the Use of Municipal Resources (Elections)

11.5.1 - 1st Reading

RESOLUTION NO. 98-26

BE IT RESOLVED THAT By-Law No. 1575 to Establish and Regulate the Use of Municipal Resources pertaining to Election Campaigning in accordance with the Municipal Act, be read for the First Time.
CARRIED.

11.5.2 - 2nd Reading

RESOLUTION NO. 99-26

BE IT RESOLVED THAT By-Law No. 1575 be read for the Second Time.
CARRIED.

12 NOTICE OF MOTION

RESOLUTION NO. 100-26

WHEREAS a Notice of Motion was received at the Regular Meeting of Council held on March 18, 2026 to rescind resolution #46-26;
THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED THAT Council hereby acknowledges receipt of the Notice of Motion and hereby rescind resolution #46-26.
CARRIED.

13 ADJOURNMENT

Meeting adjourned: 4:30 PM

Next Regular Meeting: April 22, 2026



Chairperson



Recording Secretary