

Minutes of the Regular Meeting of the Village of Alix Council, held on Wednesday, April 1, 2026, at 6:00 P.M. in the Village of Alix Council Chambers.

- Present: Mayor Barbara Gilliat, Councillors Edwin Cole, Rob Fehr and Frank Laneuville.
- Also Present: Michelle White, Chief Administrative Officer
- Regrets: Councillor Janice Besuijen
- Call to Order: Mayor Gilliat called the meeting to order at 6:00 P.M.
- Public Hearing: a) Proposed Bylaw #493/26 - Advertising/Public Notification Bylaw
Mayor Gilliat called the Public Hearing to order at 6:00 P.M.
- Call for Written Submissions: Mayor Gilliat called for written submissions regarding the proposed Advertising/Public Notification Bylaw #493/26.
There were none.
- Call for Verbal Submissions: Mayor Gilliat called for verbal submissions from those present or attending virtually regarding the proposed Bylaw #493/26.
There were none.
- Resolution #066/26: Moved by Councillor Cole that this Public Hearing of the Village of Alix Council be closed at 6:01 P.M.
CARRIED
- Amendments/Deletions to Agenda: Mayor Gilliat called for amendments to the agenda.
- Approval of Agenda:
- Resolution #067/26: Moved by Councillor Fehr that the Village of Alix Council approve the agenda with the following amendment:
Add: New Business: c) Parkland Community Planning Services
CARRIED
- Minutes: a) Regular Meeting – March 18, 2026
- Resolution #068/26: Moved by Councillor Laneuville that the minutes of the Regular Meeting of the Village of Alix Council held on Wednesday, March 18, 2026, be accepted as presented.
CARRIED
- Delegation: None
- Bylaws: a) Advertising/Public Notification Bylaw #493/26 – Request for Decision 26-20
- Resolution #069/26: Moved by Councillor Cole that the Village of Alix Council hereby give second reading to Bylaw #493/26, being a bylaw to establish alternate methods for advertising statutory notices.
CARRIED
- Resolution #070/26: Moved by Councillor Fehr that the Village of Alix Council hereby give third and final reading to Bylaw #493/26.
CARRIED
- Unfinished Business: None

- New Business: a) Resource Centre Lease – Request for Decision 26-18
- Resolution #071/26: Moved by Councillor Cole that the Village of Alix Council hereby agrees to renew the lease with the Alix/Mirror Wellness Supports Society for a five (5) year period, beginning April 15, 2026 and includes the option for an additional five (5) year lease extension upon agreement by both parties.
- CARRIED
- b) ATCO Franchise Agreement – Request for Decision 26-19
- Resolution #072/26: Moved by Councillor Laneville that the Village of Alix Council hereby directs administration to take steps to renew the Franchise Agreement with ATCO Gas & Pipelines Ltd. for a period of 18 years, leaving the Franchise Fee at 12% and separating out property taxes through a Rider B in the agreement.
- CARRIED
- c) Parkland Community Planning Services
- Resolution #073/26: Moved by Councillor Fehr that the Village of Alix Council hereby pay Parkland Community Planning Services \$2051.16 being the amount owing for the dissolution of Parkland Community Planning Services.
- CARRIED
- Financial Reports: None
- Committee Reports: a) Rahr Malting Canada Ltd. Meeting – Councillor Laneville
b) Red Deer River Municipal Users Group – Councillor Laneville
- Resolution #074/26: Moved by Councillor Fehr that the Village of Alix Council hereby accept the Committee Reports as presented.
- CARRIED
- Administrative Reports: a) Chief Administrative Officer’s Report
- Resolution #075/26: Moved by Councillor Cole that the Village of Alix Council hereby accept the Chief Administrative Officer’s Report as presented.
- CARRIED
- Correspondence and Information: a) Honourable Adriana LaGrange, Minister of Primary and Preventative Health Services – Bashaw and District Regional Health and Wellness Foundation
b) Lacombe County – Lacombe County Farm Safety Day – June 10, 2026
c) Parkland Regional Library System – Board Meeting Highlights
d) Alix and Area Community Resource Centre – Volunteer Appreciation - April 13, 2026
e) Canadian National CN – 2025 Dangerous Goods Shipments in Alix
f) Canadian National CN – Right-of-Way Vegetation Management Program
- Resolution #076/26: Moved by Councillor Fehr that Correspondence Items (a) through (f) be accepted as information.
- CARRIED

Closed Meeting: a) Access to Information Act s. 30(1) Disclosure Harmful to Economic and Other Interests of a Public Body RE: Municipal Land Value

Resolution #077/26: Moved by Councillor Cole that the Village of Alix Council go into a Closed Meeting at 7:05 P.M. to discuss Access to Information Act, Section 30 (1) – Disclosure Harmful to Economic and Other Interests of a Public Body regarding Municipal Land Value.

CARRIED

Resolution #078/26: Moved by Councillor Fehr that the Village of Alix Council return to the Public Meeting at 7:11 P.M.

CARRIED

Resolution #079/26: Moved by Councillor Cole that the Village of Alix Council hereby offers Kelly Mercer a portion of the closed laneway at the price set by Council.

CARRIED

Adjournment:

Resolution #080/26: Moved by Councillor Fehr that this Regular Meeting of the Village of Alix Council be adjourned at 7:13 P.M.

CARRIED

Mayor

Chief Administrative Officer