

2025 Council Calendar and Deputy Mayor Roster

C2024-1000

Organizational Meeting of Council, 2024 October 22



Recommendations

That Council:

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- 2. Adopt the proposed 2025 Council Calendar in Attachment 2; and
- 3. Adopt the proposed 2025 Deputy Mayor Roster in Attachment 3.



ISC: Unrestricted

Previous Council Direction

2023 April 25 Regular Meeting of Council That Council:

- 1. Establish an annual Regular Council Meeting with an Indigenous focus during the month of September, starting in 2024;
- 2. Direct Administration to incorporate the additional Regular Council Meeting into the Council Calendar for consideration at the annual Organizational Meeting of Council; and
- 3. Direct Administration to bring the next Progress Report on White Goose Flying to the 2024 September meeting of Council.



Highlights

- The Procedure Bylaw 35M2017 requires that Council annually adopt a schedule of meetings for the subsequent year (Section 16) and establish a Deputy Mayor Roster (Section 9).
- The Municipal Government Act ("MGA") requires all Members of Council to be in attendance, in person or remotely, to adopt the Council Calendar.
- As a General Election will be held in 2025, amendments to Section 130 of the Procedure Bylaw are recommended to clarify the types of meetings that may be scheduled between Nomination Day and the Organizational Meeting.
- The MGA requires that a deputy elected official ("Deputy Mayor") act as the chief elected official ("Mayor") when the Mayor is unable to perform the duties of the mayor or if the office of the mayor is vacant.





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