

Special Meeting of White Rock City Council

Minutes



April 20, 2026, 4:00 p.m.
White Rock Community Centre Council Chambers
15154 Russell Ave, White Rock, BC, V4B 0A6

PRESENT: Mayor Knight
Councillor Bains
Councillor Chesney
Councillor Cheung
Councillor Lawrence
Councillor Manning
Councillor Trevelyan

STAFF: Guillermo Ferrero, Chief Administrative Officer
Tracey Arthur, Director of Corporate Administration
Wayne Berg, Director of Planning and Development Services
Darcy Dupont, Senior Project Manager, Community Hub
Candice Garty, Director of Financial Services
Jim Gordon, Director of Engineering and Municipal Operations
John Woolgar, Director of Recreation and Culture
Brad Davie, Fire Chief
Debbie Johnstone, Deputy Corporate Officer

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1. **CALL MEETING TO ORDER**

The meeting was called to order at 4:00 p.m.

1.1 **FIRST NATIONS LAND ACKNOWLEDGEMENT**

We would like to recognize that we are standing/working/meeting on the traditional unceded territory of the Semiahmoo First Nation, and also wish to acknowledge the broader territory of the Coast Salish Peoples.

2. **ADOPTION OF AGENDA**

Motion Number: 2026-229 It was MOVED and SECONDED

THAT Council endorse waiving notice for adding a topic for the April 20, 2026, Special Council meeting (final consideration of Bylaw 2579 " *White Rock Sign Bylaw 2010, 1923 Amendment No, 8, Bylaw 2026, No. 2579*").

Motion CARRIED (7 to 0)

Motion Number: 2026-230 It was MOVED and SECONDED

THAT Council approve adding to the April 20, 2026, Special meeting the following item:

- **Consideration of final reading of Bylaw 2579 " *White Rock Sign Bylaw 2010, 1923, Amendment No, 8, Bylaw 2026, No. 2579*".**

Motion CARRIED (7 to 0)

Motion Number: 2026-231 It was MOVED and SECONDED

THAT Council adopt the agenda for its special meeting scheduled for April 20, 2026, as amended to include as Item 5. consideration of final reading Bylaw No. 2579 " *White Rock Sign Bylaw, 2010, No. 1923, Amendment No. 8, Bylaw, 2026, No. 2579*".

Motion CARRIED (7 to 0)

3. **ADOPTION OF MINUTES**

Motion Number: 2026-232 It was MOVED and SECONDED

THAT the Corporation of the City of White Rock adopt the April 13, 2026, Regular Council meeting minutes as amended in regard to the following:

- **Item 4. Question and Answer from G. Gumley whereby the word reduce would be deleted and increase be inserted.**

Motion CARRIED (7 to 0)

4. **BYLAW 2576 - WHITE ROCK FINANCIAL PLAN (2026-2030) BYLAW, 2026, NO. 2576**

Bylaw 2576 - A bylaw to establish a Financial Plan for 2026-2030. Bylaw 2576 received three (3) readings on April 13, 2026, and is on the agenda for consideration of final reading.

Motion Number: 2026-233 It was MOVED and SECONDED

THAT Council give final reading to " *White Rock Financial Plan (2026-2030) Bylaw, 2026, No. 2576.*

Voted in the negative (3): Councillor Trevelyan, Councillor Bains, and Councillor Manning

Motion CARRIED (4 to 3)

AGENDA ITEM ADDED

Item 5. was added to the meeting through adoption of the agenda motions: 2026-196 - 2026-198.

5. **BYLAW 2579 - WHITE ROCK SIGN BYLAW, 2010, No. 1923, AMENDMENT NO. 8, BYLAW 2026, NO. 2579**

Bylaw 2579 - A bylaw to amend the White Rock Sign Bylaw in relation to the interaction between "copy" "copy area" and other related definitions and facia signs.

Motion Number: 2026-234 It was MOVED and SECONDED

THAT Council give final reading to " *White Rock Sign Bylaw, 2010, No. 1923, Amendment No. 8, Bylaw, 2026, No. 2579.*

Voted in the negative (3): Mayor Knight, Councillor Cheung and Councillor Lawrence

Motion CARRIED (4 to 3)

5. **CONCLUSION OF THE APRIL 20, 2026 SPECIAL COUNCIL MEETING**

The meeting was concluded at 4:03 p.m.

Mayor Knight

Arthur.

Tracey Arthur, Director of Corporate
Administration

Unapproved