

**THE CORPORATION OF  
THE TOWNSHIP OF BONNECHERE VALLEY  
MINUTES  
COUNCIL MEETING  
TUESDAY MARCH 4, 2025 5:30 P.M.  
COUNCIL CHAMBERS, ZOOM CONFERENCING**

**PRESENT** Mayor Jennifer Murphy  
Deputy Mayor John Epps  
Councillor Merv Buckwald  
Councillor Brent Patrick  
Councillor Tracey Sanderson  
CAO/Clerk Annette Gilchrist  
Treasurer/Deputy CAO Sandra Barr

**REGRETS** None

**GALLERY** None

**INDIGENOUS ACKNOWLEDGEMENT**

**CALL TO ORDER** – Mayor Jennifer Murphy called the meeting to order at 5:30 p.m.

**ADDITIONS/CONFIRMATION OF AGENDA:** None

**25.029 MOVED BY** Merv Buckwald  
**SECONDED BY** Brent Patrick

**THAT:** the agenda be accepted as presented.

Carried

**PECUNIARY INTEREST OR GENERAL NATURE THEREOF**

**ADOPTION OF MINUTES**

**25.030 MOVED BY** John Epps  
**SECONDED BY** Merv Buckwald

**THAT:** The minutes of the Regular Council Meeting held on February 18, 2025 as presented be hereby adopted.

Carried

**25.031 MOVED BY** Brent Patrick  
**SECONDED BY** Merv Buckwald

**THAT:** The minutes of the Regular Council Meeting held on February 20, 2025 as presented be hereby adopted.

Carried

**CORRESPONDENCE**

**Correspondence "A"**

1. February ROMA Board Update
2. AMO Policy Feb 7
3. AMO Policy Feb 11
4. AMO Watchfile Feb 13

5. AMO Watchfile Feb 20

6. AMO Watchfile Feb 27

7. County Media Release Sport 4 All Fund

8. Media Release - 2025 County of Renfrew budget approved

9. Invite to Inclusive Communities Event

10. EOWC Election Priorities

11. County Web Campaigns

12. MOH Report to the Board

**Correspondence "B"**

1. Support of Canadian and Ontario Governments Negotiations with the United States Government on Trade Tariffs

2. Ministry - Support Resolution - Ride Share Services

3. Support the Town of Halton Hills re Sovereignty of Canada

4. Buy Canadian Policy

5. Provincial Election Health Care Advocacy

6. Notice of Motion - Cell Towers and their associated maintenance

7. Residual Waste Services for the City of Toronto

8. Request from Eganville Minor Hockey

9. Request from Eganville Skating Club

10. Resolution Re: speeding, distracted driving, and impaired driving

**Correspondence "C"**

**25.032 MOVED BY** Tracey Sanderson

**SECONDED BY** Brent Patrick

**WHEREAS** direction has been given to staff;

**NOW BE IT RESOLVED THAT:** the correspondence be filed.

Carried

**NEW/UNFINISHED BUSINESS**

9.1 Resolution to accept the Drinking Water Annual Report as presented at Committee

**25.033 MOVED BY** Merv Buckwald

**SECONDED BY** Brent Patrick

**THAT:** The Eganville Drinking Water System 2024 Annual Report be accepted as presented.

Carried

9.2 Resolution to accept the Sewage System Performance Report as presented at Committee

**25.034 MOVED BY** Tracey Sanderson

**SECONDED BY** John Epps

**THAT:** The Eganville Sewage System 2024 Performance Report be accepted as presented.

Carried

**CLOSED SESSION – NONE**

**BY-LAWS**

**25.035 MOVED BY** Brent Patrick  
**SECONDED BY** John Epps

**THAT:** By-Law 2025-012 Being a By-Law to authorize a Shoreline Purchase – Moloney  
BE READ A FIRST TIME, BE DEEMED READ A SECOND TIME, BE DEEMED READ A  
THIRD TIME AND PASSED.

Carried

**25.036 MOVED BY** Tracey Sanderson  
**SECONDED BY** Brent Patrick

**THAT:** By-Law 2025-013 Being a By-law to authorize Rural Transit Solutions  
Fund Partnership agreement with North Algona Wilberforce and Whitewater Region.  
BE READ A FIRST TIME, BE DEEMED READ A SECOND TIME, BE DEEMED READ A  
THIRD TIME AND PASSED.

Carried

**25.037 MOVED BY** Merv Buckwald  
**SECONDED BY** John Epps

**THAT:** By-Law 2025-014 Being a By-Law to confirm the proceedings of council.  
BE READ A FIRST TIME, BE DEEMED READ A SECOND TIME, BE DEEMED READ A  
THIRD TIME AND PASSED.

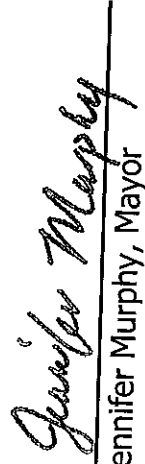
Carried

**ADJOURNMENT**

**25.038 MOVED BY** Brent Patrick  
**SECONDED BY** Tracey Sanderson

**THAT:** This Council meeting be adjourned at 5:35 p.m.

Carried

  
Jennifer Murphy, Mayor

  
Annette Gilchrist, CAO/Clerk