

**MINUTES OF BUDGET MEETING OF COUNCIL  
Of the Village of Barons  
May 19, 2026**

**Present:** Kyle Prince, Mayor  
Belinda Rempel, Deputy Mayor

**Recording Secretary:** Jennifer Durell, Administrator

**Call to Order:** 1:02 pm

**Purpose of Meeting:** **Budget**

**Planning**

Council was presented with the updated 2025 Planning documents. Discussion was held.

**Motion made by Mayor Prince to approve the planning goals for 2026 as discussed. Carried unanimously.**

**Bylaw #776**

Council was presented with Bylaw #776, the 2025 Tax Bylaw for their consideration. Discussion was held.

**Motion made by Deputy Mayor Rempel to read Bylaw #776 a first time, this 19th day of May, 2026. Carried**

**Motion made by Mayor Prince to read Bylaw #778 a second time, this 19th day of May, 2026. Carried.**

**And by UNANIMOUS CONSENT of Council a motion made by Deputy Mayor Rempel to hold a third and final reading of Bylaw #778 this 19th day of May, 2026. Carried.**

**Motion made by Mayor Prince to read Bylaw #778 a third and final time and finally passed this 19th day of May, 2026. Carried.**

**Budget**

Council was presented with the final draft of the 2026 Village of Barons Operating and Capital budgets for their consideration. An updated tax scenario worksheet and a mill rate calculation sheet was presented to Council.

**Motion made by Deputy Mayor Rempel to approve the 2026 final Operating and final Capital Budget for the Village of Barons.**

**Tax Agreements for 2026**

Council was asked for their consideration to offer monthly tax payment agreements for 2026. Discussion was held.

**Motion made by Mayor Prince to offer a monthly payment plan to the ratepayers for the 2026 tax year. Carried.**

**Motion made by Mayor Prince to call a 10 minute recess at 2:28 pm. Carried**

**Motion made by Mayor Prince to reconvene the meeting at 2:40 pm. Carried.**

**Tax Bylaw**

Council was presented with Bylaw #777, the 2026 Tax Bylaw for their consideration. Discussion was held.

**Motion made by Deputy Mayor Rempel to read Bylaw #777 a first time, this 19th day of May, 2026. Carried**

**Motion made by Mayor Prince to read Bylaw #777 a second time, this 19th day of May, 2026. Carried.**

**And by UNANIMOUS CONSENT of Council a motion made by Mayor Prince hold a third and final reading of Bylaw #777 this 19th day of May, 2026. Carried.**

**Motion made by Deputy Mayor Rempel to read Bylaw #777 a third and final time and finally passed this 19th day of May, 2026. Carried.**

***Adjournment:*** Adjournment was at 2:50 pm

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**Mayor – Clinton Bishop**

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**Administrator – Jennifer Durell**