

Highlights are a summary of Council meetings. Should you require an official record, minutes are posted to the City's website. Meetings held in the Forum may be viewed online, either [livestreamed or archived](#).

Highlights from the Council Meeting on February 2, 2026

Mayor O'Brien recognized the Coast Salish peoples and their traditional territory upon which we gather with gratitude.

PRESENTATIONS

- Kerr Wood Leidal provided [an update on the Water Use Planning and Management Study](#).

DELEGATIONS

- Oceanside Special Olympics requested a financial contribution to assist with hosting the Vancouver Island Regional Qualifiers for Curling; Council authorized a one-time grant of \$1,000 from Council contingency.
- Seward Developments Inc. and BJK Architects presented regarding the zoning amendment application at 360 Pym Street North.

CORRESPONDENCE

- A request for funding support from the Vancouver Island North Film Commission (inFilm) was received and deferred to final financial plan deliberations.

REPORTS

- Defeated advancement of a zoning amendment application at 360 Pym Street North.
- Directed staff to provide notice of Council's intent to consider issuance of a development variance permit to facilitate conversion of an accessory building into a second single family dwelling at 399 Kingsley Street.
- Approved issuance of a development permit for a retaining wall, guardrail installation and patio expansion at 240 Dogwood Street.

BYLAWS

- The following bylaws received three readings:
 - "Road Closure Bylaw, 2025, No. 1598" (*closure of a portion of Despard Avenue adjacent 423 Alberni Highway*)
 - "Zoning and Development Amendment Bylaw, 2025, No. 2000.156" (*Map and text amendment to CD-37 at 423 Alberni Highway*)
- The following bylaws were adopted:
 - " Zoning and Development Amendment Bylaw, 2025, No. 2000.155" (*Text amendment to CD-29 - 1180 Resort Drive*)

NOTICE OF MOTION

- Approved continuation of the terms of the 2020 - 2025 lease between the City and Parksville Curling Club Society on a month-to-month basis until June 30, 2026, to allow the Society to complete its seasonal events.

The next regular meeting of Council will be held in the Forum on Wednesday, February 18, 2026, at 1 pm.

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