



City of Port Colborne
Special Meeting of Council Minutes

Date: Tuesday, February 24, 2026
Time: 5:00 pm
Location: Committee Room 3-City Hall
66 Charlotte Street, Port Colborne, Ontario, L3K 3C8

Members Present: M. Aquilina, Councillor
M. Bagu, Councillor
E. Beauregard, Councillor
R. Bodner, Councillor
G. Bruno, Councillor
F. Danch, Councillor
D. Elliott, Councillor
T. Hoyle, Councillor
W. Steele, Mayor (presiding officer)

Staff Present: B. Boles, Chief Administrative Officer
J. Beaupre, Deputy Clerk
C. Madden, City Clerk
J. Peazel-Graham, Manager of Communications
J. Rorison, Corporate Affairs Manager

1. Call to Order

Mayor Steele called the meeting to order at 5 p.m.

2. Adoption of Agenda

C-25- 026

Moved by Councillor T. Hoyle
Seconded by Councillor M. Aquilina

That the Special Council agenda, dated February 24, 2026, be confirmed, as circulated.

Carried

3. Disclosures of Interest

There were no disclosures of interest.

4. Closed Session

C-25- 027

Moved by Councillor F. Danch
Seconded by Councillor D. Elliott

That Council do now proceed to meet in Closed Session at 5 p.m. under the *Municipal Act, 2001*:

- subsection 239(2)(f) advice that is subject to solicitor-client privilege, including communications necessary for that purpose and subsection; and
- subsection 239(2)(k) a position, plan, procedure, criteria, or instruction to be applied to any negotiations carried on or to be carried on by or on behalf of the municipality or local board.

Carried

4.1 Niagara Region Governance Review

5. Back to Open Session

C-25- 028

Moved by Councillor R. Bodner
Seconded by Councillor M. Bagu

That Council rise and reconvene from Closed Session at 6:22 p.m. without report.

Carried

6. By-laws

6.1 By-law No. 7436/20/26

C-25- 029

Moved by Councillor R. Bodner
Seconded by Councillor E. Beauregard

That By-law No.7436/20/26 be enacted and passed, as presented.

Carried

7. Adjournment

Mayor Steele adjourned the meeting at 6:23 p.m.

William C. Steele, Mayor

Charlotte Madden, City Clerk