



The Special Meeting of Town Council for the Town of Mahone Bay was held on Thursday, March 12, 2025 at 7:00 p.m. in Council Chambers and broadcast via YouTube live.

Present:

Mayor S. Lohnes-Croft
Councillor K. Boon
Councillor P. Carver
Councillor K. McCarron
Councillor B. Palfreyman
Councillor K. Wilson
CAO, D. Heide
Manager of Finance, A. Yeadon-Wentzell

Absent:

Deputy Mayor J. Feeney (regrets)

Online & 0 in-person gallery

Land Acknowledgement

Let us begin by acknowledging that we are gathered today in Mi'kma'ki. The ancestral, present and future territory of the Mi'kmaw people. Today, we gather with the intent followed by the living Peace and Friendship Treaties - with respect, cooperation and coexistence.

Call to Order

1. Agenda

A motion by Councillor Carver, seconded by Councillor Wilson, "THAT the agenda be approved as amended to add a Closed Session to discuss contract negotiations as permitted by MGA 22(2)(e)." Motion carried.

2. 2026/2027 Pre-budget Discussion

Staff spoke to the purpose of the meeting – pre-budget discussion – and moved into an overview of the year-end projections. Council members addressed questions to staff and gave input on the development of the draft 2026-27 budget to be presented April 10, 2026.

3. Closed Session

A motion by Councillor Wilson, at 9:06 p.m., seconded by Councillor Palfreyman, “THAT Council go into Closed Session to discuss Contract Negotiations as permitted by the Municipal Government Act (22)(2)(e).” Motion carried.

Council arose from Closed Session at 9:40 p.m.

Council adjourned at 9:40 p.m. on conclusion of business.

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Mayor, Suzanne Lohnes-Croft

Town Clerk, Kelly Munroe