



PUBLIC HEARING

- Bylaw 2113-26 26 LUA OO1 (NW 3-19-14-W4 - A-GEN & I-GEN to R-RUR)

BYLAWS

- Bylaw 2113-26 26 LUA OO1 (NW 3-19-14-W4 - A-GEN & I-GEN to R-RUR) - **Motion to approve 2nd & 3rd reading was carried.**
- Bylaw 2124-26 26 LUA OO2 NW & SW 6-19-14-W4 (A-GEN to A-SML) - **Motion to approve 1st reading was carried.**

AGRICULTURAL SERVICES BUSINESS

- Gopher Control Program is underway.
- Seasonal Staff are hired.
- Environmental Farm Plan (EFP) -
 - Three EFP Techs on staff.
 - In 2025 37 Plans were created. To date in 2026, there are two. Learn more about EFPs > <https://albertaefp.com/>
- The **Emerson Bridge Park** Supervisor has been hired and a NEW pump track will be constructed at the campground this summer.
- EID & County partnership projects include current & future shelterbelts and plans for controlling the newly identified weed Pale Yellow Iris.
- Events hosted by Ag Services in 2026 include South Region Weed School, Southern Alberta Grazing School for Women, and partnered with Foothills Forage and Grazing Association on a Paster Power up workshop.

ADMINISTRATIVE BUSINESS

- Annual appointments were made for Fire Guardians in the County of Newell.
- Councillor Skanderup was appointed to the County of Newell Library Board.

COMMITTEE REORTS

- PTAC Digital Innovation Forum
- County of Newell Library Board
- Tilley & Area Rec Board funding results
- Division 4 Rec Board funding results
- Division 8 Rec Board funding results
- Gem Community Meeting
- Regional Emergency Advisory Committee (REAC)
- Rural Brooks Area Rec Board funding results

You can watch the meeting here > **March 25 Council Meeting**
The next meeting is scheduled for **WEDNESDAY** April 8, 2026.
Join us in Council Chambers or watch the **livestream.**