

TOWN OF TRENTON COUNCIL MEETING MINUTES



January 13, 2026
Trenton Town Hall

Council Present: A. Dove, S. Cameron, D. Cullen, N. LeBlanc, S. MacKinnon

1. CALL TO ORDER

Mayor Dove called the meeting to order at 6:00 p.m.

2. LAND ACKNOWLEDGEMENT

Mayor Dove acknowledged that the Town of Trenton is in Mi'kma'ki, the ancestral and unceded territory of the Mi'kmaq people.

3. ADOPTION OF AGENDA

Moved: D. Cullen

Seconded: N. LeBlanc

That the January 13, 2026, Council Meeting agenda be adopted with the following changes:

- *Addition of Canada Post Letter as Item 6.1*

In Favour (5): A. Dove, S. Cameron, D. Cullen, N. LeBlanc, S. MacKinnon

Motion Carried

4. ADOPTION OF MINUTES

Moved: S. Cameron

Seconded: S. MacKinnon

That the December 9, 2025, Council Meeting minutes be adopted.

In Favour (5): A. Dove, S. Cameron, D. Cullen, N. LeBlanc, S. MacKinnon

Motion Carried

5. PRESENTATIONS

None

6. CORRESPONDENCE

6.1 **Canada Post Letter**

No motions arose from this correspondence.

7. BYLAWS

None

8. REPORTS

8.1 **Public Works Report**

No motions arose from this report.

8.2 Water Report

No motions arose from this report.

8.3 Parks and Recreation Report

No motions arose from this report.

8.4 Fire Report

No motions arose from this report.

8.5 Parks and Recreation Report

No motions arose from this report.

9. NEW BUSINESS/CONTINUING BUSINESS

9.1 Community Newspaper Flyers

- Some community members are frustrated with community flyers being thrown in their driveways and then getting stuck under ice and snow, or being torn up in snowblowers during snow clearing. Residents are encouraged to contact The Advocate newspaper to request stopping their flyer delivery.

10. COUNCILLOR UPDATES

Mayor Dove:

- Spoke to MLA MacGillvray, expecting an update on new school by the end of January.

Councillor Cameron:

- RFP deadline for the new school has been extended by a week.

Councillor Cullen:

- Attended Construction Engineers Dinner, they are still looking for more trades members.
- Attended Police Commission Meeting; 2 female officers received accommodations for outstanding service.

Councillor LeBlanc:

- Attended Library Board Meeting, no word yet on communicated budgetary concerns.
- Library planning to donate books to schools.
- Can the Town put a link to its website complaint page on its Facebook page.

Councillor MacKinnon:

- Garden Club is looking to improve attendance and grow the organization.

11. PUBLIC QUESTION PERIOD

None

12. CLOSED SESSION

Moved: N. LeBlanc

Seconded: S. Cameron

That in accordance with the MGA, Council move into closed session (6:26 pm).

In Favour (5): A. Dove, S. Cameron, D. Cullen, N. LeBlanc, S. MacKinnon

Motion Carried

Council returned to the open portion of the Council Meeting at 8:20pm.

12. ADJOURNMENT

Moved: S. Cameron

Seconded: S. MacKinnon

That the January 13, 2025, Council meeting be adjourned. (8:22 p.m.)

In Favour (5): A. Dove, S. Cameron, D. Cullen, N. LeBlanc, S. MacKinnon

Motion Carried

Alec Dove
Mayor

Gabryel Joseph
Chief Administrative Officer