

**Amherst Town Council
Special Meeting
Minutes**

Date: June 29, 2026
Time: 4:00 pm
Location: Council Chambers, Town Hall

Members Present Mayor Robert Small (via Zoom)
Deputy Mayor Charlie Chambers (via Zoom)
Councillor Hal Davidson, Chair
Councillor Nic Furlong
Councillor Terry McManaman
Councillor Dwayne Ripley
Councillor Kathy Wells

Staff Present Jason MacDonald, Chief Administrative Officer
Andrew Fisher, Director, Planning & Economic Development
Kim Jones, Deputy Chief Administrative Officer
Sharon Bristol, Director, Community Living
Jeff Bacon, Economic Development Officer
Cindy Brown, Administrative Assistant

1. CALL TO ORDER

The Chair called the Special Council meeting to order.

1.1 TERRITORIAL ACKNOWLEDGMENT

The Chair gave the Territorial Acknowledgement.

2. REQUEST FOR DECISION

2.1 CARMA Amherst Community Support Grant

Moved By Councillor Ripley

Seconded By Councillor McManaman

That Council approve a one-time Community Support Grant in the amount of \$2,500 for CARMA Amherst with funds to come from the Community Support Grant budget.

Motion Carried

2.2 Cumberland Business Connector Agreement

Councillor Furlong declared a conflict.

Moved By Councillor Wells

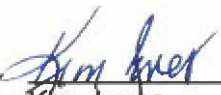
Seconded By Councillor Ripley

That Council direct the CAO to provide the required 12-month notice to terminate to the other parties to the Cumberland Business Connector agreement and develop a recommendation on the addition of further economic development human resources within the Town.

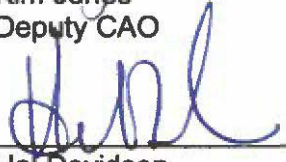
Motion Carried

3. ADJOURNMENT

There being no further business, the Chair adjourned the meeting.



Kim Jones
Deputy CAO



Hal Davidson
Councillor