

Regular Council Meeting
Thursday, March 5, 2026
9:30 am
Council Chambers

AGENDA

1. Call to Order & Roll Call
2. Approval of Agenda
3. Land Acknowledgement
4. Proclamations:
 - i. International Women’s Day – March 8
 - ii. International Day for the Elimination of Racial Discrimination – March 21
5. Recognition: Marie MacDonald & St John Ambulance therapy dog Eddie
6. Approval of Minutes:
 - i. Regular Meeting of Council, February 5, 2026
 - ii. Committee of the Whole, February 19, 2026
 - iii. Special Meeting of Council, February 25, 2026
7. Presentation: Rebecca Silver Slayter, Cabot Trail Writer’s Festival
8. Presentation: Jason Jardine, Celtic Colours International Festival
9. Presentation: Rodney MacDonald, KitchenFest!
10. Presentation: Tony Sampson, Strait Area Search & Rescue
11. Presentation: Neil MacQuarrie, Dr. Bernie MacLean Cultural and Recreation Centre
12. Presentation: Jim Cavanaugh, Strait Mutual Aid
13. Recommendations from February 19th Committee of the Whole:
 - i. Regional: Chéticamp Area Residential and Educational Society (C.A.R.E.S)
 - ii. Emergency: Mabou & District Volunteer Fire Department
 - iii. District 3: Mill Road Social Enterprises
14. First Reading: Concurrent Rezoning and Development Agreement request by SDC Planning and Design on behalf of Place Craft Properties Inc. for a mixed use residential development on PID 50124676, 47 Upper Railway Street, Inverness.
15. First Reading: Development Agreement request by Omar Gandhi Architects on behalf of Charlamara Holdings Inc. for a resort on PID 50271824, 36 Chemin De L’Anse Des Bois Maries, Petit Etang.
16. Dog Tag Registration Date
17. Visitor Information Centre Closures
18. Notice of Motion
 - i. Bylaw 44 – Marketing Levy bylaw
19. Correspondence:
 - i. NS Provincial Budget 2026–27
 - ii. Engage NS Quality of Life Survey
20. Next Meeting Date
21. “In Camera”
22. Adjournment