



**INDIGENOUS RELATIONS  
COMMITTEE MINUTES**

**February 5, 2026**

**1:00 p.m.**

**Cariboo Regional District Board Room  
Suite D - 180 Third Avenue North  
Williams Lake, B.C.**

**PRESENT :** Chair T. Pare, Director J. Massier, Director M. Neufeld, Director E. de Vries, Director M. Wagner

**STAFF :** S. Masun, Manager of Intergovernmental Relations, L. Schick, Deputy Corporate Officer, K. Chatten, Manager of Communications

**1. CALL TO ORDER**

**1.1 Adoption of Agenda**

**IRC.2026-02-01**

Moved Director Neufeld

Seconded Director de Vries

That the agenda items be adopted as presented.

**Carried**

**2. ADOPTION OF MINUTES**

**2.1 Minutes of the Indigenous Relations Committee - October 23, 2025**

**IRC.2026-02-02**

Moved Director Neufeld

Seconded Director Massier

That the minutes of the Indigenous Relations Committee meeting held October 23, 2025, be adopted.

Carried

**4. DELEGATIONS**

**4.1 1:00 p.m. Delegation - Ministry of Indigenous Relations and Reconciliation**

Jenn Thiagarasan, Regional Director, Cariboo, Ministry of Indigenous Relations and Reconciliation and staff attended remotely and provided an overview of intergovernmental affairs and agreements in the Cariboo region.

**4.2 1:30 p.m. Delegation - X'atsull Treaty Negotiator**

Gordon Keener, Treaty Manager, Negotiator, X'atsull First Nation, was in attendance to discuss the treaty process.

**6. ACTION ITEMS**

**6.1 Indigenous Relations Framework Implementation - Statement of Commitment**

**IRC.2026-02-03**

Moved Director Neufeld

Seconded Director Wagner

That the Indigenous Relations Framework's guiding Commitment Statement be endorsed.

Carried

**8. ADJOURNMENT**

**IRC.2026-02-04**

Moved Director Neufeld

Seconded Director Massier

That the meeting of the Indigenous Relations Committee be adjourned at 3:17 p.m. February 5, 2026.

Carried

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Chair

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Corporate Officer