



REGIONAL DISTRICT OF CENTRAL KOOTENAY

**CRESTON VALLEY AGRICULTURAL ADVISORY
COMMISSION
OPEN MEETING MINUTES**

7:00 PM PT

Thursday, July 2, 2026

Hybrid Meeting

To promote openness, transparency and provide accessibility to the public we provide the ability to attend all RDCK meetings in-person or remote.

Join by Video:

<https://rdck-bc-ca.zoom.us/j/97534145331?pwd=DuyTclwGKeM2lqFR7Zr267aYqtnTSI.1>

Join by Phone:

- 833 955 1088 Canada Toll-Free

Meeting ID: 975 3414 5331

Meeting Password: 846516

In-Person Location: Creston & District Community Complex – Erickson Room
312 19 Avenue North, Creston, BC

COMMISSIONERS

Commissioner Randy Meyer
Commissioner Owen Edwards
Commissioner Larry Rast
Commissioner Dean Eastman
Commissioner Dale McNamar

Electoral Area B, Chair
Electoral Area B
Electoral Area C
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COMMISSIONERS ABSENT

Commissioner David Mutch

Electoral Area B

DIRECTORS

Roger Tierney
Kelly Vandenberghe

Electoral Area B, Director
Electoral Area C, Director

STAFF

Zachari Giacomazzo

Planner

Sadie Chezenko
Robin Baril

Planner
Meeting Coordinator

PUBLIC

Cathy Robinson

Applicant Representative

5 out of 6 voting Commission/Committee members were present – quorum was met.

1. CALL TO ORDER

Chair Meyer called the meeting to order at 7:21 p.m.

2. TRADITIONAL LANDS ACKNOWLEDGEMENT STATEMENT

We acknowledge and respect the indigenous peoples within whose traditional lands we are meeting today.

3. ADOPTION OF AGENDA

MOVED and seconded,
AND Resolved:

The Agenda for the July 2, 2026 Creston Valley Agricultural Advisory Commission meeting, be adopted as circulated.

Carried

4. RECEIPT OF MINUTES

The June 8, 2026 Creston Valley Agricultural Advisory Commission minutes, have been received.

5. STAFF REPORTS

5.1 Agricultural Land Reserve Referral – West Creston Community Hall Society

The Referral Package dated June 17, 2026 from Planner Sadie Chezenko, has been received.

- Applicant gave an overview of the history of the West Creston Fire Hall project.
- The West Creston Hall used to be the West Creston School and was exempted from Agricultural Land.
- The application is for non-farm use.

MOVED and seconded,
AND Resolved:

That the Creston Valley Agricultural Advisory Commission SUPPORT the Agricultural Land Reserve for West Creston Community Hall Society for non-farm use at the property located at 1348 West Creston Road, West Creston, Electoral Area 'C' otherwise described as LOT 818 KOOTENAY DISTRICT (PID: 012-864-803).

Carried

6. PUBLIC TIME

No public present.

7. NEXT MEETING

The next Creston Valley Agricultural Advisory Commission Meeting has not been scheduled yet.

ADJOURNMENT

MOVED and seconded,
AND Resolved:

The Creston Valley Agricultural Advisory Commission meeting be adjourned at 8:31 p.m.

Carried

Digitally approved by:

Randy Meyer, Chair