

SALMONARM Council Highlights



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RCMP Quarterly Policing Report - July to September 2025

Staff Sgt. Simon Scott reported 2,337 calls for service this quarter, with 1,798 within Salmon Arm, noting overall decreases in property and persons crime but increases in assaults, auto thefts, drug files, and impaired driving. Police conducted 292 traffic stops, removing 24 impaired drivers and addressing several significant investigations, including arrests related to regional auto thefts.

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Assignment of Licenses - ROGERS Rink

Council authorized staff to execute the Assignment of Licenses (Silverbacks License, Audio & Electronic Equipment License, and Hockey School License) from Salmon Arm Sports Inc. to 1555415 BC Ltd. This reassignment follows a change in ownership and has been supported by the Shuswap Recreation Society.

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Rural Sewer Connection - 3610 20 Street NE

Council approved extending sanitary service to 3610 20 Street NE, located outside the Urban Containment Boundary, as no sewer main extension is required. The property owner will pay the full servicing costs and an equivalent Sanitary DCC of \$2,890.

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Municipal Facilities Solid Waste Contract Award

Council awarded the five-year municipal facilities waste collection and disposal contract to Super Save Disposal Inc. for an estimated \$97,486.68 plus taxes (January 1, 2026–December 31, 2030), with an optional two-year extension to 2032.

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Budget Amendments - Water Main Upgrades

Council approved reallocating \$530,000 from the 20 Ave NE at Lakeshore Upgrade budget to support two shovel-ready 2025 water projects experiencing cost pressures:

- Lakeshore Drive Water Main Upgrade (A&W section): Additional \$200,000 (total \$450,000)
- Highway 97B Water Main Upgrade: Additional \$330,000 (total \$1,630,000)

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Snow & Ice Control Policy No. 5.20 - Updated

Council adopted updates to the City's Snow & Ice Control Policy, including expanded regular working hours to support winter operations seven days a week:

- Roads: Mon-Fri 5 AM-9:30 PM, Sat-Sun 5 AM-3:30 PM
- Parks: Daily 5 AM-3:30 PM

Updates clarify service levels, sidewalk clearing timelines, and priority routes.

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Committee Recommendations - Process Guidance

Council received a report from the CAO outlining a standardized courtesy process:

 Committee recommendations presented in minutes will typically be introduced as notices of motion, allowing time for council consideration at the following meeting.

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CORRESPONDENCE



Building Department Statistics - October 2025 & Year-to-Date

Council received the latest statistics on building permits, construction values, and development activity within the City of Salmon Arm.

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