HIGHLIGHTS OF THE REGULAR COUNCIL MEETINGS
November, 2025

November 10th Regular Council Meeting

Council Remuneration and Expense Policy

Council amended the Remuneration and Expense Policy #19-01-A4 effective November 1st,2025 with increased rates of 2.9% as approved at the Organizational Meeting. The policy specifies rates of remuneration for attending meetings, committee and board meetings, courses, seminars and conventions and expense reimbursement.

Emergency Water Distribution Pump

Council approved the Emergency Pump Replacement Project for up to $50,000. The first $4,000 will come from the 2025 water operating expense contribution to capital, with the remaining costs funded through the water reserve. The existing water distribution pump, installed in 1981, has declining pressure and can no longer reliably maintain flow during emergencies or high-demand periods.

December Meeting Change

Council approved holding a Council meeting on Monday, December 15th, 2025, only. The December 23rd meeting is cancelled.

Holiday Hours - December

Council approved the following office closures:

- **Friday, December 19, 2025:** Office closes at 12:00 p.m. for a staff function.
- **December 24–26, 2025:** Office closed for statutory and general holidays.
- **December 29–31, 2025:** Office closed for staff vacation.
- **January 1, 2026:** Office closed for a statutory holiday.

November 24th Regular Council Meeting

Procedural By-law #557-22

Council completed the first and second readings of Procedural Bylaw #557-22. The third and final reading is scheduled for the December 15th meeting. This bylaw sets a clear, standardized framework for meeting procedures; ensuring that Council, Committees, Administration, the media, and the public can understand the decision-making process, guided by the principles of neutrality, equality, fairness, and democracy.

Statement of Expected Behaviour

The Statement of Expected Behaviour outlines the expected conduct of elected officials and supports respectful, transparent, and accountable governance. Council directed Administration to incorporate their comments into the Statement of Expected Behaviour Policy for their consideration at the December 15th meeting.

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Social Media Policy

Council approved Social Media Policy #16-01-A1 to include updates required under the Access to Information and Protection of Privacy Acts. The policy provides guidelines to establish proper management of the Village of Clive's social media accounts/pages and to facilitate public engagement to ensure consistency and openness.

Alberta Community Partnership (ACP) Municipal Growth Strategy Project

Council approved the Village of Clive's participation in the Town of Bentley's application for a Growth Strategy project under the Intermunicipal Collaboration Component of the Alberta Community Partnership Program. This Growth Strategy, if approved, will help Clive address current challenges, attract new residents and businesses, support local entrepreneurship, and improve commercial infrastructure while promoting environmental stewardship and quality of life. It will also align with the Village's Economic Development goal to foster economic growth and strengthen a vibrant business community.

ABmunis' Property Tax Reimagined

Council directed administration to inform residents of the Alberta Municipalities Property Tax Reimagined Project. The Village of Clive and all municipal governments across Alberta are facing significant challenges in how to pay for local services that their residents want and need. ABmunis has conducted considerable research around property taxes and community funding and are sharing their findings through an information project called Property Taxes Reimagined. Property Taxes Reimagined explains what is happening and raises questions about whether Alberta needs to change how local services are funded. Learn more here: **www.abmunis.ca/property-taxes-reimagined**

2026 Interim Operating and Capital Budgets

Council reviewed the 2026 draft Operating and Capital Budgets and directed administration to incorporate Council's feedback and present the Interim 2026 Operating and Capital Budgets at the December 15, 2025 Council meeting. The proposed budget includes a 4% increase in municipal property tax revenue to cover contractual obligations such as the Royal Canadian Mounted Police funding model and municipal staff wages. It also continues to allocate funds to support the Village's long-term plans for maintaining and renewing infrastructure assets.

NEXT REGULAR COUNCIL MEETING IS
December 15th, 2025 - 6:30PM

Meetings are open to the public.
Attend in person or virtually on Zoom **– Meeting ID: 846 9196 8873**
**** For more details from Village of Clive Council meetings, please refer to the meeting minutes.**
All meeting minutes are posted on the website (www.clive.ca**) after approval.**