

County of Wetaskiwin No. 10 Municipal Policy

Department: Policy No.

11.0 Council 11.0.2

Title Councillor Per Diem

1. Policy Statement:

1.1. The purpose of this Policy is to outline the allowances provided to Councillors for attending meetings, conferences, or performing official duties outside of regularly scheduled Council Meetings.

2. Responsibilities:

- 2.1. Council will set a full day and half day rate (daily rate) for time spent on official duties annually at the Organizational Meeting.
- 2.2. Further review of daily rates will be presented to Council upon receiving Notice of Motion.
- 2.3. The Reeve, Deputy Reeve or CAO will review and approve submitted claims.
- 2.4. Councillors should complete and submit claims within sixty (60) days.
- 2.5. Claims must include details such as the date, nature of the event, and any supporting documentation.
- 2.6. Wherever possible, Administration will attempt to coordinate same day meetings.

3. Guidelines:

- 3.1. Daily rate will be determined as follows:
 - a. Half Day Less than four (4) hours
 - b. Full Day More than four (4) hours
- 3.2 The following appointed Committees are compensated a per diem rate:
 - a. Alternative Land Use Services (ALUS) Partnership (includes Partnership Advisory Committee (PAC)
 - b. Agricultural Service Board
 - c. Assessment Review Board(s)
 - d. Governance Committee
 - e. Planning & Development Committee
 - f. ICF | IC Committees
 - g. IUOE Negotiating Committee
 - h. Parks & Open Space Committee
 - i. Other Ad Hoc Committees as approved by Council.
- 3.3 Councillors will be reimbursed daily rate for attendance at:
 - a. Ambassador Information Session
 - b. EOEP Courses (capped at two per diems per annum)
 - c. Pembina Zone Meetings
 - d. Emerging Trends Seminars
 - e. Required Intermunicipal Meetings

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4. Related Documents:

4.1. Expense Claim Form

Previously Signed

Scott MacDougall, CAO

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Council Resolution