

September 28, 2026

BC Yukon Command of the Royal Canadian Legion Military Service Book
Council voted in favour purchasing a business card sized advertisement in the BC Yukon Command of the Royal Canadian Legion – 22nd Anniversary Edition of the Military Service Book.

Gantahaz Water – Resident Concerns

A letter was submitted to Council and several Gantahaz residents came forward to express their concern and frustration with the current state of the water services in the Gantahaz subdivision following the implementation of the new water treatment plant. After the discussion, Mayor and Council committed to the following actions:

- Arrangements for the delivery of potable water to Gantahaz residents who need it;
- A monthly update on the Gantahaz Water Treatment Facility provided to residents of the subdivision by registered mail and updates on the District website;
- A third-party brought in to review the water treatment plan;
- Scheduled interviews with each home owner in Gantahaz to discuss water issues;
- Host an Open House for Gantahaz residents about the project, plans moving forward, and to be able to ask questions;
- Staff bring back a report outlining the management of complaints from Gantahaz residents about the water issues; and
- Seek emergency grant funding opportunities to help provide further support.

2026 Emergency Support Services Equipment & Training Grant

Council voted to support the District's application of up to \$30,000 to the Union of British Columbia Municipalities (UBCM) for the Emergency Support Services Equipment & Training Grant.

Recreation Access Program – Policy Update

Council approved the proposed amendments to Council Policy 8.1 Recreation Services Rates & Fees Policy. The amendment will expand the referral options for the Recreation Access Program to include a Northern Health Registered Worker.

2026 – 2030 Council Strategic Priorities

Council voted to amend and adopt the 2026 – 2030 Council Strategic Priorities. The amendment including the addition of a new action to the "Economic Vitality" strategic priority to explore and pursuing new social enterprise opportunities or similar opportunities that will provide long-term benefits to the community similar to that of the McLeod Lake Mackenzie Community Forest. A copy of the updated 2026 – 2030 Council's Strategic Priorities document will be found on our website here in the new few weeks: <https://districtofmackenzie.ca/government-town-hall/council/>

Short-Term Rentals – Draft Regulatory Framework

Council received a report outlining draft amendments for zoning, business licences and municipal ticket information to allow and regulate Short-Term Rental accommodations in Mackenzie. Council voted to authorize Administration to undertake a second phase of public engagement on the proposed Short-Term Rental regulatory framework. A copy of the report can be viewed [here](#).

Airport Lease Transfer

Council voted to defer the decision authorize the assignment, assumption and amendment of the lease held by 623328 BC Ltd. At 1050 Airport Road to Finlay Navigation Ltd, to the October 13, 2026 Regular Meeting of Council.