

Minutes of the village of Portage du Fort special Council meeting held August 20, 2026 at the Municipal Office at 6:51 P.M.

Under chairmanship of Pro-Mayor Martin Herault with the presence of the following councillors

Alan Farrell, Kim Elliot, Dominic Bisson, Nicole Thompson, Cody Coughlin.

140-2026 Opening of the Session

Moved by Councillor Alan Farrell to open the session.

Adopted

141-2026 Adoption of the Agenda

Moved by Councillor Cody Coughlin to adopt the agenda.

Adopted

142-2026 Declaration of Conflicts of Interest

None

Mayor did not attend due to conflict of interest

Adopted

143-2026 Hiring of New DG

Councillors Kim Elliot and Martin Herault conducted interviews with three candidates. Interviews were conducted in a professional manner. Candidates were asked the same 16 questions; each question was evaluated on a 5-point score.

Candidates Marybeth Murdock, Naomie Burgess Goyette and Katleen Rivet

Councillors unanimously felt candidate number 2, Naomie Burgess Goyette, was the best choice for the DG position, pending the terms and conditions of the contract.

Adopted

144-2026 Closing of the Meeting

Moved by Councillor Alan Farrell to close the meeting at 7:48 p.m.

Adopted

Pro- Mayor Martin Hereault: _____

Interim Director General Joanne MacDonald: _____

