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## Greetings!

**February 4, 2026**

Thank you for choosing Elbow Lake – we appreciate you! The Elbow Lake Area Chamber of Commerce is excited to look ahead to 2026 as we continue planning meaningful events that support our community and uplift our local businesses. We're delighted to connect with our members, both longtime supporters and those considering joining us. Your continued support plays an important role in keeping our business community strong. Our Board met in December and voted to keep membership dues the same as last year (see the attached sheet for details).

The Chamber is about more than events. We work year-round to foster a welcoming, thriving community and to advocate for local businesses. Membership makes this work possible, and we're excited about what's ahead – including continued new fundraising events such as the Chamber Golf Tournament and the wildly successful Purse & Cooler Bingo, along with our business directory that highlights local businesses while telling the story of Elbow Lake. Our mission remains focused on growth, connection, and unity.

We invite all members to participate in Chamber meetings, held on the second Thursday of each month at 5:00 p.m. at The Knotty Pine, followed by an All-Chamber Social Hour. These gatherings offer a great opportunity to share ideas, ask questions, and help shape the direction of the Chamber.

Our Annual Chamber Board Meeting is tentatively scheduled for Thursday, March 26, 2026. Attendance is encouraged as we'll be discussing ways to better support and serve our members.

We truly want to hear from you. Please reach out to us at [chamber@runestone.net](mailto:chamber@runestone.net) or 218-685-5380. If you prefer a one-on-one conversation, feel free to connect with any of our Board Members listed below. We're here to listen, support, and grow together.

Thank you for being part of the Elbow Lake Area Chamber of Commerce – we look forward to another great year ahead.

**Ashton Hagen**  
President

**Dawn Bumgardner**  
Vice President

**Scott Gronholz**  
Treasurer

**Steve Hensley**  
Secretary

**Matthew Miller**  
Board Member