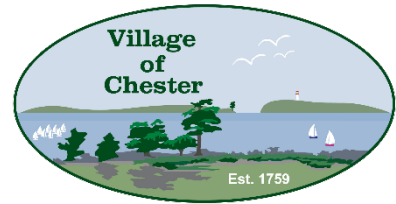


Agenda

Village Commission Monthly Meeting Wednesday, March 18, 2026 @ 6:00 pm



In-Person & Virtual Meeting

Village Commission Boardroom, 27 Pleasant Street, Chester

Zoom <https://us02web.zoom.us/j/81480733054> or [YouTube Live](#)

1.0 Call to Order/Land Acknowledgement

- *As we meet today, we acknowledge that we live in Mi'kma'ki, the traditional and ancestral territory of the Mi'kmaq people. We are all treaty people with a responsibility to each other and to this land.*

2.0 Public Forum

- *In-person or over Zoom: Members of the public are welcome to speak and/or ask questions of the Village Commission (10 min)*

3.0 Approval/Amendment of Agenda

4.0 Approval/Amendment of Minutes

- 4.1 Monthly Commission Meeting: Feb 18, 2026
- 4.2 Special Commission Meeting: Feb 25, 2026

5.0 Business Arising

- 5.1 CFSC: 2026/27 Fire & Emergency Services Budget
– *presentation for approval from Kirk Collicutt and Norm Countway*

6.0 Correspondence

- 6.1 Minister of Emergency Management: Fire Services Modernization Q&As – *for information*
- 6.2 Service Nova Scotia: New FOIPOP Regulations Consultation – *for information*
- 6.3: Assoc. of NS Villages: Board Meeting Mar 19, 2026

7.0 Reports and External Committees

- 7.1 Report from the Chair, incl. Beautification Proposal
- 7.2 Clerk/Treasurer Report

- 7.3 (a) Chester Fire Services Committee: Feb 11, 2026
(b) MODC Fire Advisory Committee: Jan 21, 2026
- 7.4 Lunenburg County Accessibility Committee: Feb 4, 2026
- 7.5 MODC Village Planning Advisory Committee: *Nil*

8.0 New Business

- 8.1 Request for Decision: Operational Spending Pre-approval
- 8.2 Request for Decision: Capital Repairs at 63 Regent St
- 8.3 Request for Decision: Surplus Furniture
- 8.4 Draft 2026/27 Village Operating & Capital Budget: Status and Scheduling

9.0 Commissioner Roundtable

10.0 In-Camera

- Per Section 408B(2) of the *Municipal Government Act*:
(g) legal advice eligible for solicitor-client privilege

11.0 Resumption of Public Meeting

- Report in public session per Section 408B(3) of the *Municipal Government Act*, if applicable

12.0 Adjournment

Next Meeting(s)

- Committee of the Whole (Budget): TBD
- Monthly: Wednesday, Apr 15, 2026, 6:00 pm @ 63 Regent St