

Edson Food Bank Society Meeting - Minutes

January 21, 2026 at 6:30 pm, held at the Food Bank, 4511 5th Avenue

In Attendance: Cathy Schram, Vicky Hill, Shawna Dougherty, Cheryl Luckwell, Luella Wells, Jo-Ann Nault, Ralph Nault, Dani Cooper, Dewayne Scott
Via Google Meets: Amy Pillage, Janet Bellwood

Minutes - meeting minutes from December 17, 2025 - accepted as presented by Dani Cooper

Financial Reports for December- accepted as presented by Jo-Ann Nault

Coordinator Report - accepted as presented by Amy Pillage

New Business:

1. Should larger families get more boxes? *Ralph Nault made the motion that families with 8+ people will get an additional 1/2 hamper, Vicky Hill seconded, carried.*
2. Should we be soliciting donations from the community at this time? *We will revisit this in May*
3. Should we register a booth at the Trade Show this year? (It is at the indoor rodeo arena and will have a dirt floor). *No booth, potentially a donation bin and/or a 50/50 if youth council is willing.*
4. Pick a date for the AGM meeting in May/June - *Wednesday, May 27th 6:30pm, potentially at Kin Shack but will confirm.*
5. We will need to pick a new treasurer at the AGM meeting - *We will spread the word.*
6. Spring into Community Connections Information Fair - do we want to participate? *No*
7. Do we want to advertise in the Edson and Area visitor guide? *No*
8. Party clean up for Volunteer Appreciation Evening - *Cheryl Luckwell motioned to spend up to \$100 (\$25 an hour for 4 hours) to hire a cleaning person for the event, Ralph Nault seconded, carried.*

Meeting adjourned at 7:17pm by Dewayne Scott

Edson Food Bank Society respectfully acknowledges that we are on traditional territories in Alberta of the many First Nations, Métis, and Inuit whose footsteps have marked these lands for centuries. We acknowledge that our offices are located on Treaty 6 Territory, the traditional meeting grounds, gathering place, and traveling route of diverse Indigenous peoples, including the Cree, Blackfoot, Nakota Sioux (Sue), Iroquois, Dene (Den-nay), and Saulteaux (So-toe)/Anishinaabe (A-nish-i-nab-ay).