

TOWNSHIP OF SOUTH ALGONQUIN
WASTE MANAGEMENT COMMITTEE MEETING – MINUTES

On Wednesday, September 23, 2020 the Waste Management Committee held a ZOOM meeting, livestreamed to You Tube Channel.

Council Present:

Mayor Dumas
Councillor Sandra Collins
Councillor Joe Florent
Councillor Dave Harper
Councillor Bongo
Councillor Richard Shalla, Chair
Councillor Joey Vermaire

Township Staff Present:

Holly Hayes, CAO/Clerk Treasurer
Dave Gatley, Works Superintendent
Tracy Cannon, Planning & Building Administrator, *Recording Secretary*

Chair of the Waste Management Committee, Councillor Shalla called the meeting to order at 10:32 a.m.

ADDITIONS/AMENDMENTS TO THE AGENDA: None

ADOPTION OF THE AGENDA

Moved by: J. Florent

Seconded by: D. Harper

To adopt the agenda as prepared for the Waste Management Committee meeting of Wednesday, September 23, 2020 as circulated.

DISCLOSURE OF PECUNIARY INTEREST: None declared

UNFINISHED BUSINESS:

Litter Clean up

- Provincial public and corporate cleanups were rescheduled to October 19-25 2020. Due to the current increase in traffic, it was decided that organized cleanup will be deferred to a later date. First step in organizing a cleanup date should be to determine what the structure and guidelines will be. Staff will include this in a future Waste Management Meeting
It was recommended that township should promote clean up throughout the entire year not just once a year.

Madawaska Landfill Site Expansion Update

- H. Hayes has started negotiating with Infrastructure Ontario. They are willing to transfer the Lyell Landfill Site for a fee of \$65,000.00. An agreement has been received and will need to be finalized by March or a Lease Agreement will be required. H. Hayes has calibrated information back to 1999 and will be sending it to the Minister.
Staff to provide a map to the committee of the area the township would be obtaining.

NEW BUSINESS:

Reopening of Reuse Area

- The reuse areas are currently closed due to COVID-19. They will be reopened after staff develops and erects signage and can install hand sanitizer stations.

Provincial Changes to Waste Programs

- T. Cannon, Planning & Building Administrator provided the Committee with a report which included the current changes and future changes to provincial waste programs.

Waste Management By-Law #16-517 and Fees

- Discussion regarding the current schedule of fees and the confusion pertaining to “small trailers” and residential vs commercial fees. This will be deferred at a future Waste Management Meeting.
- Committee is to review the current Waste Management By-Law and send their suggestions to T. Cannon to be discussed at a future Waste Management Meeting.

Household Hazardous Waste Day

- 154 households utilized the annual Household Hazardous Waste Day in Whitney.
- Staff will research if motor oil can be taken to the landfill sites throughout the year.

Moved by: J. Florent

Seconded by: S. Collins

To adjourn the Waste Management Committee meeting of September 23, 2020 at 11:28 a.m.

Councillor Richard Shalla
Waste Management Committee Chairperson

Tracy Cannon, Planning & Building Administrator
Recording Secretary