



COMMUNITY DEVELOPMENT COMMITTEE MINUTES

Tuesday, June 25, 2013

The Committee met at 7:00 p.m. in the Sutton Room, 55 Zina Street, Orangeville

Members Present: Councillor Allen Taylor, Chair
Councillor Ken Bennington
Councillor John Oosterhof
Warden Laura Ryan
Councillor Walter Kolodziechuk, Member from Amaranth
Councillor Darren White, Member from Melancthon
Ed Kroeker (Public Member)
Sharon Smith (Public Member)
Winston Uytenbogaart (Public Member)
Steve Soloman, Member from Grand Valley

Others Present: Councillor Crewson
Councillor Mills

Staff Present: Sonya Pritchard, Chief Administrative Officer
Scott Burns, Director of Public Works
Pam Hillock, Clerk/Director of Corporate Services

Declarations of Pecuniary Interest by Members – None

QUESTION PERIOD

No members of the public were in attendance.

DISCUSSION

1. **COMMUNITY DEVELOPMENT COMMITTEE – June 25, 2013 – ITEM #1**
Dufferin Eco-Energy Park Discussion

The following motion was adopted at the regular meeting of Council held on June 13, 2013:

THAT the County of Dufferin revisit the DEEP initiative including but not limited to the following parameters;

1. **A determination whether solid waste should be imported to make a project economically viable.**

2. **A review of current technologies to determine the viability of a “made in Dufferin” solution for waste.**
3. **Possible long term solution(s) for purchasing disposal services with an Ontario waste processor.**
4. **That a report be presented to County Council addressing the above items no later than December 12, 2013.**

The Committee discussed the above motion and the options for waste disposal in the future such as export, import and creating a local disposal solution. The consensus was that companies would be invited to future meetings to showcase their technologies. Discussion took place regarding a Request for Expressions of Interest.

REPORTS

2. **COMMUNITY DEVELOPMENT COMMITTEE – June 25, 2013 – ITEM #2**
Proposed Provincial Waste Reduction Strategy

A report from the Director of Public Works dated June 25, 2013 to provide

Moved by Councillor Oosterhof, seconded by Councillor White,

THAT Report “Proposed Provincial Waste Reduction Strategy”, from the Director of Public Works, dated June 25, 2013, be received.

-Carried-

3. **COMMUNITY DEVELOPMENT COMMITTEE – June 25, 2013 – ITEM #3**
Co-op student staffing request

A report from the Director of Public Works dated June 25, 2013 with respect to a Co-op student staffing request.

Moved by Councillor Oosterhof, seconded by Warden Ryan,

THAT Report “CDC-2013-06-25 Co-op student staffing request”, from the Director of Public Works, dated June 25, 2013, be received;

AND THAT an additional Waste Services co-op student be hired for the September to December 2013 period.

-Carried-

CORRESPONDENCE

4. **COMMUNITY DEVELOPMENT COMMITTEE – June 25, 2013 – ITEM #4**
Municipal Delegations at AMO Conference 2013

Email correspondence from the Ministry of Municipal Affairs and Housing to remind Municipalities of the July 12, 2013 deadline for the submission of requests

for delegations with Ministers at the Association of Municipalities (AMO) Conference in August 2013. Information about delegations and a link to the request form is now available online at <http://www.mah.gov.on.ca/Page10261.aspx>

The Committee suggested that a meeting be requested with the Minister of Energy and the Minister of the Environment asking for consideration that Energy from Waste be designated as a green energy technology.

5. **COMMUNITY DEVELOPMENT COMMITTEE – June 25, 2013 – ITEM #5**
Township of Mulmur

Correspondence from the Township of Mulmur dated June 10, 2013 with respect to waste management.

Moved by Sharon Smith, seconded by Councillor Oosterhof,

THAT the correspondence from the Township of Mulmur dated June 10, 2013 with respect to waste management be received.

OTHER BUSINESS

6. **COMMUNITY DEVELOPMENT COMMITTEE – June 25, 2013 – ITEM #6**
Correspondence from Ed Kroeker

The committee received on desk an update from Ed Kroeker on the Waste 2 Product & Energy Conference—May 29, 2013, BMO Institute for Learning, Toronto, Ontario. This correspondence will be brought forward to the next meeting.

ADJOURNMENT

There being no further business, the meeting adjourned at 8:30 p.m.

Next Meeting: Date: Tuesday, August 25, 2013 at 7 p.m.
 55 Zina Street, Orangeville

Respectfully submitted,

Councillor Allen Taylor, Chair
Community Development Committee