



ALL COUNCILS STRATEGIC PLAN JOINT MEETING NOTES

Thursday, May 28, 2015 6:00 p.m.
Monora Park Pavilion,
500 Monora Park Drive, Mono

Council Members Present:

Township of Amaranth:

Mayor Don MacIver
Deputy Mayor Jane Aultman
Councillor Heather Foster
Councillor Chris Gerrits

Township of East Garafraxa:

Mayor Guy Gardhouse
Councillor Lenora Banfield

Township of Melancthon:

Mayor Darren White
Deputy Mayor Janice Elliott
Councillor Wayne Hannon

Town of Mono:

Mayor Laura Ryan
Deputy Mayor Ken McGhee
Councillor Ralph Manktelow

Township of Mulmur:

Mayor Paul Mills
Deputy Mayor Heather Hayes
Councillor Janet Horner
Councillor Keith Lowry

Town of Orangeville:

Warden Warren Maycock
Mayor Jeremy Williams
Councillor Don Kidd

Town of Shelburne:

Mayor Ken Bennington
Councillor Walter Benotto
Councillor Dan Sample

Staff Present:

Sonya Pritchard, Chief Administrative Officer, County of Dufferin
Pam Hillock, Director of Corporate Services/Clerk, County of Dufferin
Scott Burns, Director of Public Works, Dufferin County
Mike Giles, Chief Building Official/Director of Property
Darrell Keenie, Museum General Manager, County of Dufferin

Keith Palmer, Director of Community Services, County of Dufferin
Valerie Quarrie, Administrator Dufferin Oaks, County of Dufferin
Aimee Raves, Deputy Treasurer, County of Dufferin
Michelle Dunne, Deputy Clerk, County of Dufferin

Others: David Clark, Facilitator

1. Welcome and Introductions

Warden Maycock welcomed everyone to the all Council Joint Strategic Plan Workshop.

Councillors from each municipality introduced themselves.

2. Overview of the Strategic Plan Process to Date:

Sonya Pritchard, Chief Administrative Officer provided an overview of the process to date.

3. Strategic Planning Process:

David Clarke, Facilitator provided the definitions and clarified the scope of the project.

4. Review of Draft Strategic Plan:

The Facilitator reviewed the draft plan circulated with the agenda.

5. Feedback and Comments:

The Facilitator lead Council through a discussion centered around the following questions:

- 5.1 Do the four Corporate Priorities and Goals capture the key areas of focus for County Council over the next three years?
- 5.2 Do the Objectives and Actions for each Corporate Priority and Goals reflect the priority issues that need to be addressed over the next three years or do you have further items that could be considered in the Strategic Plan?

Here is a summary of the comments received:

- Would like it to be more goal oriented rather than service
- Articulate the word “leaders”
- Should the plan reference the Official Plan
- Wants to reflect the values of people (employees and municipalities)

- In Vision add resident, “businesses” and partners needs
- Add agricultural sustainability
- Would like to see recognition of community members/partners
- Wording Change in We Make Good Decisions - change “reflective of needs” to “response to needs”
- Add to the wording Drawing on strengths “and experiences” to ensure...
- Acknowledge that some items will take longer than the term of Council
- Develop performance measures – how are we going to measure effectiveness
- Importance of lower tier maintaining their own identity

6. Summary and Next Steps:

The CAO provided a summary of the discussion and described the next steps in the process. The comments provided at the meeting will be incorporated into the draft plan and a revised plan will go to County Council in June.

The meeting ended at 7:33 pm