



Climate Action Advisory Committee Meeting Minutes

The Climate Action Advisory Committee met in person in the Council Chambers on September 4, 2024 at 5:00 p.m.

Those in attendance were:

Member: Jim Campbell
Member: Owen Gray
Member: Christopher Millar (absent)
Member: Kim Pickett
Member: Jerry Sampson
Member: Allison Fachnie

Councillor: Marty Beelen
Mayor: Doug Measures

Staff: CAO, John Ferguson
Committee Coordinator, Lexi Edwards

1. Approval of Agenda

Resolution:

Moved by Kim Pickett, Seconded by Councillor Beelen, Be It Resolved That the Climate Action Advisory Committee hereby approve the agenda dated September 4, 2024 as presented. Motion Carried.

2. Disclosure of Disqualifying Interest and General Nature Thereof

None.

3. Approval of Previous Minutes

Resolution:

Moved by Kim Pickett, Seconded by Jim Campbell, Be It Resolved That the Climate Action Advisory Committee hereby approve the minutes dated August 7, 2024 as presented. Motion Carried.

4. Guest Speaker Series

The committee discussed their role as an advisory committee and involvement in hosting a guest speaker series for the community.

Resolution:

Moved by Allison Fachnie, Seconded by Owen Gray, Be It Resolved That the Climate Action Advisory Committee hereby ask that Council of the Township of Clearview consider creating a bylaw on boulevard regulations beyond municipal standards. Motion Carried.

5. New Business

5.1 Two Minute Fact Share

Kim Pickett shared that the Washington Post reported Phoenix has recorded temperatures over 100 degrees 100 days in a row for the first time ever.

Jerry Sampson shared a discussion on the land acknowledgement and requested that the land acknowledgement be added to each agenda.

CAO, John Ferguson shared that there are twice as many bees in existence than there are ants.

Councillor Beelen will share his honey at the next meeting and shared some facts about beekeeping.

Jim Campbell shared his experience with bees at a market in Montreal.

Mayor Measures shared some information from his tour at BarBurrito where there is very little freezer space. All food is made fresh, and any waste is shipped to Mississauga to make dog food.

Owen Gray shared his experience growing fruit trees and discussed local peaches being grown in the area with the rise in climate.

6. Next Meeting- October 2, 2024 at 5:00 pm

6.1 Drainage and Stormwater Management Ponds

The Committee Coordinator will distribute a map of the stormwater management ponds in the community and the committee will conduct their own research into a management plan.

7. Adjournment

Resolution:

Moved by Mayor Measures, Seconded by Kim Pickett, Be It Resolved, that the Climate Action Advisory Committee hereby be adjourned at 6:48 p.m. Motion Carried.

Jerry Sampson, Chair

Lexi Edwards, Committee Coordinator

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