



TOWN OF AMHERSTBURG
PARKS AND RECREATION ADVISORY COMMITTEE MEETING
MINUTES

Tuesday, July 18, 2023

6:00 P.M.

Council Chambers

271 Sandwich Street South, Amherstburg, ON, N9V 2A5

PRESENT

Shirley Curson Prue, Chair
Brinton Sharman, Vice Chair
Councillor Donald McArthur
Councillor Molly Allaire
Giovanni (John) Maceroni (*Electronic Participation*)
Leya Foster (*Electronic Participation*)
Wes Ewer

Kevin Fox, Clerk (*Electronic Participation*)
Annette Zahaluk, Staff Liaison
Karly Kennedy, Recording Secretary

ABSENT

Councillor Peter Courtney (*Regrets*)

1. CALL TO ORDER

The Chair called the meeting to order at 6:00 pm.

2. ROLL CALL

3. DISCLOSURE OF PECUNIARY INTEREST & GENERAL NATURE THEREOF

There were no disclosures of pecuniary interest noted.

4. LAND ACKNOWLEDGMENT

The following land acknowledgment was read, “We will begin by acknowledging that the land on which we gather is the traditional territory of the Three Fires Confederacy of First Nations (comprising the Ojibway, the Odawa, and the Potawatomie Peoples), and of the Huron-Wendat and Wyandot Peoples. We recognize the land as an expression of gratitude to those whose traditional territory we reside on, and a way of honouring the Indigenous people who have been living and thriving on the land since time immemorial. We value the significant historical and contemporary contributions of local and regional First Nations and all of the Original Peoples of Turtle Island.”

5. MINUTES OF PREVIOUS MEETING

5.1 Parks and Recreation Advisory Committee Meeting Minutes - May 16, 2023

Moved By W. Ewer

Seconded By Councillor Allaire

That the minutes of the Parks and Recreation Advisory Committee meeting of May 16th, 2023 **BE ADOPTED.**

Motion Carried

(Giovanni (John) Maceroni and Leya Foster entered the meeting at 6:03 pm)

6. ORDER OF BUSINESS

6.1 Review of 2018 Parks Master Plan

6.2 Priorities of Parks Master Plan

7. UNFINISHED BUSINESS

7.1 New Recreation Programming Ideas: Update

8. NEW BUSINESS

8.1 Recreation Leadership Awards

Moved By Councillor Allaire

Seconded By W. Ewer

That future Recreation Leadership Awards **BE PRESENTED** by members of the Parks and Recreation Advisory Committee at convocation ceremonies.

Motion Carried

9. ADJOURNMENT

Moved By W. Ewer

Seconded By Councillor McArthur

That the Committee **ADJOURN** at 8:05 p.m.

Motion Carried

Committee Chair
Shirley Curson Prue

Recording Secretary
Karly Kennedy