



TOWN OF AMHERSTBURG
PARKS AND RECREATION ADVISORY COMMITTEE MEETING
MINUTES

Wednesday, November 20, 2024

5:00 P.M.

Council Chambers

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

PRESENT	Brinton Sharman - Vice Chair Councillor Molly Allaire Councillor Peter Courtney Tony Pietrangelo Leya Foster
STAFF PRESENT	Annette Zahaluk - Staff Liaison, Manager Parks and Naturalized Areas Kevin Fox - Clerk Selena Scebba – Recording Secretary
ABSENT	Shirley Curson-Prue – Chair (<i>Regrets</i>) Councillor Donald McArthur (<i>Regrets</i>) Wes Ewer (<i>Regrets</i>)

1. CALL TO ORDER

The Chair called the meeting to order at 5:00 p.m.

2. ROLL CALL

3. DISCLOSURE OF PECUNIARY INTEREST & GENERAL NATURE THEREOF

There were no disclosures of pecuniary interest noted.

4. LAND ACKNOWLEDGMENT

The Clerk read the following land acknowledgment: 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 Meeting Minutes - August 21, 2024

Moved by Councillor Allaire

Seconded by L. Foster

That the Parks and Recreation Meeting Minutes of August 21, 2024 **BE ADOPTED** as amended.

The Vice Chair put the motion.

Motion Carried

6. ORDER OF BUSINESS

6.1 Parks and Recreation Advisory Committee First Meeting of 2025

Moved by T. Pietrangelo

Seconded by Councillor Allaire

That the first Parks and Recreation Advisory Committee meeting of 2025 **BE HELD** on March 19, 2025.

The Vice Chair put the motion.

Motion Carried

6.2 Parks Master Plan Update

6.3 Parks Summit Results Update

7. UNFINISHED BUSINESS

8. NEW BUSINESS

9. ADJOURNMENT

Moved by T. Pietrangelo

Seconded by Councillor Allaire

That the Committee **ADJOURN** at 5:42 p.m.

The Vice Chair put the motion.

Motion Carried

Brinton Sharman - Vice Chair

Selena Scebba - Recording Secretary