



RECREATION, PARKS AND CULTURE COMMITTEE MEETING MINUTES
July 18th, 2023
East Ferris Community Centre

PRESENT: Jessie Perron Wendy St. Denis
Donna St. Martin Michelle St. Onge
Pauline Rochefort, Chair Kim Rose, Deputy Clerk
Greg Kirton, Director of Community Services
Kari Hanselman, Clerk

EXCUSED ABSENT: None

OTHERS IN ATTENDANCE: None

1. **Call to Order** – Chair Rochefort called the meeting to order at 3:00 p.m.

2. **Tour of Local Water Access Points, Parks & Arena Kitchen**

Committee members took a tour of the local boat launches and beaches.

3. **Adoption of Agenda**

Motion No. 2023-10

Moved by Donna St. Martin

Seconded by Michelle St. Onge

THAT the draft agenda circulated to the Recreation, Parks and Culture Committee dated the 18th day of July, 2023 be hereby adopted as prepared.

CARRIED

4. **Acceptance of Minutes of the Last Regular Meeting:**

Motion No. 2023-11

Moved by Jessie Perron

Seconded by Wendy St. Denis

THAT the Minutes of the Regular Meeting of the Recreation, Parks and Culture Committee held on April 18th, 2023 be adopted as circulated.

CARRIED

5. **Business Arising from the Minutes**

Chair Rochefort thanked residents for their participation in ParticipACTION this June. Final standings have yet to be released. Canada Day and St. Jean Baptiste Day celebrations were unfortunately cancelled due to high levels of air pollution.



6. Declarations of Conflict of Interest

None for this session

7. Chair's Comments

None for this session.

8. Delegations to Committee

None for this session.

9. Committee Reports

None for this session.

10. Correspondence and Information Items:

a) 2023 Sports Recognition and Sports Hall of Fame Programs – Push for Nominations as the deadline is August 30th

The list of nominees will be brought to the next meeting. Committee members are encouraged to reach out to residents for nominations.

b) Signage Program – Deferred from April Meeting

Motion No. 2023-12

Moved by Jessie Perron

Seconded by Donna St. Martin

THAT the Recreation, Parks and Culture Committee recommends Council extend the Advertising Program to locations outside of the East Ferris Community Centre, such as municipal parks.

CARRIED

c) Update on Volunteer Recognition Program

A recognition event will be held in September.

d) Community Engagement

11. Action Items

None for this session.



12. Other Business

None for this session.

13. In Camera (if required)

None for this session.

14. Adjournment

Motion No. 2023-13

Moved by Donna St. Martin

Seconded by Michelle St. Onge

THAT the Recreation, Parks and Culture Committee meeting adjourn at 5:29 p.m. and meet again on October 17th, 2023 at 3:30 p.m.

CARRIED

CHAIR

RECORDING CLERK