

Municipal Truth and Reconciliation Committee Meeting Monday, April 25, 2022 at 5:00 pm via Zoom MINUTES

1. CALL THE MEETING TO ORDER AND ATTENDANCE

<u>Chairperson:</u> Darlene Angeconeb

Committee Members: Mayor Doug Lawrance, Lyn-marie Manitowabi, Joyce Timpson

(entered the meeting at 5:17 pm), Aileen Urquhart (entered the meeting at 5:50 pm), Victor Lyon, Mario Rasetti, Candace

Widmeyer

Absent: Chief Clifford Bull – with regrets

Staff: Michelle Larose- Staff Resource

The meeting was called to order at 5:06 p.m.

2. LAND ACKNOWLEDGEMENT

Mayor Lawrance provided the land acknowledgement.

3. APPROVAL OF AGENDA

a. Confirmation of Agenda

Moved By: Candace Widmeyer Seconded By: Lyn-marie Manitowabi

THAT the Agenda for the April 25, 2022 Municipal Truth and Reconciliation Committee

meeting be approved, as presented.

CARRIED

4. DECLARATIONS OF PECUNIARY INTEREST – None



5. ADOPTION OF MINUTES

Moved By: Lyn-marie Manitowabi

Seconded By: Mario Rasetti

THAT the Minutes of the March 21, 2022 Municipal Truth and Reconciliation Committee meeting be approved, as presented.

CARRIED

6. BUSINESS ARISING FROM THE MINUTES

a) Cemetery By-Law Update – Michelle Larose

Michelle updated the Committee and advised that staff would provide a report on the cost of allowing wooden fences and Spirit Houses in the cemetery for a future meeting.

b) Umfreville Park historical information – Mario Rasetti

Mario Rasetti presented his findings about Umfreville

Joyce Timpson will check the Hudson Bay Archives for more information about Umfreville and report back to the Committee with her findings.

Candace Widmeyer will also contact the Ontario Heritage Trust and inquire how they received the information on Umfreville to create the plaque.

7. DELEGATIONS/PRESENTATIONS/COMMITTEE PRESENTATIONS – None

8. ITEMS FOR DISCUSSION

a) Non-Indigenous/Indigenous Relations Article - Mario Rasetti

The Committee discussed the article provide by Mario Rasetti.



b) Equay-Minis Celebration

The Committee decided to have the celebration in conjunction with the Blueberry Festival.

Events will include:

- Sunrise ceremony from 5:00 am to 7:00 am. This will be organized by Victor Lyon and this will be at Rotary Park;
- A breakfast feast. Aileen Urquhart will help with this;
- Canoe paddle around the island from 12:00 pm to 1:00 pm. This will be organized by the Municipality.

The Canoe paddle will be held at the Town Beach. Michelle will follow up with the Blueberry Festival organizers as to what date during the Blueberry Festival is best to have this event and report back to the Committee next month.

Candace Widmeyer will reach out to other organizations about participating in the event once a date has been set.

9. WORK PLAN

There was nothing new to report on the Work Plan this month.

10. NEXT MEETING DATE

The next meeting of the Municipal Truth and Reconciliation Committee will be held on Tuesday, May 24, 2022 at 5:00pm via Zoom

11. ADJOURNMENT

Moved By: Mario Rasetti

Seconded By: Candace Widmeyer

THAT the April 25, 2022, meeting of the Municipal Truth and Reconciliation Committee adjourn at 6:30 p.m.

CARRIED



Adopted as pro	d as presented this day of, 2023.	
Darlene Angeconeb, Chairperson	Megan Pollard, Staff Resource	