

6. DELEGATIONS

- (a) **9:30 a.m.** – Councillor Introductions (Ms. Milne’s Grade 4/5 Class)
- (b) **9:40 a.m.** – Student Delegations (Mr. Clarke’s Grade 5 Class – 60 minutes)

Students present a delegation to Council requesting drop-in Hockey, Baseball and Soccer on Sundays. The students suggest a \$2 cost per person or a season pass and that Council provide sporting equipment.

Council Question Period

Councillor Ryan questions if the season pass would be per sport. Gavin notes that it would be per sport.

Councillor Keasey notes that this is a great idea and recommends that the students take part in the current Township Recreation Survey.

Stephanie Starchuck, Program Coordinator questions why the students decided Sunday was the best day instead of Saturday or weekdays. Gavin notes that kids do not have much to do on Sundays. Ms. Starchuck furthers questions why they decided it would be a \$2 charge. Gavin notes that then they could pay to rent the arena.

Students present a delegation to Council requesting a Road Hockey and Tennis Court. The students note that there is currently no asphalt area in Thamesford or Embro to play tennis, road hockey, badminton or basketball. Students provide cost estimates and potential locations throughout Thamesford and Embro.

Council Question Period

Councillor Ryan questions what made the students think to locate them in Embro. Students note that Embro is close so it could be put there as well.

Councillor Forbes notes that perhaps the ice surface could be used when the ice is not in.

Students present a delegation to Council requesting red light awareness and signage to help with safety in Thamesford. The students request that signs be put up on both sides of the street letting people know there is a red light coming up and posting the importance of following red lights in a local newsletter.

Council Question Period

Councillor Keasey questions if the students have seen people not obeying the lights. The students note that they have seen accidents occur. Councillor Keasey further notes that there is no indication that you are coming into a traffic light situation when you are coming down the hill into Thamesford.

Mayor Lupton notes that it is a County Road and we would therefore need approval from the County to move forward with anything.

- (c) **11:15 a.m.** – Darren Fry - SWLF EA Status Update

Darren Fry, Walker Environmental provides an update to Council regarding the Southwestern Landfill (SWLF) Environmental Assessment (EA). Mr. Fry notes that the EA is entering a new phase, they have finalized the work plans and started various studies. Mr. Fry notes that the work plans are the methodology for how each of the 13 studies will be conducted. Mr. Fry further notes that there has been lots of community engagement incorporated into the fieldwork and they will now be coordinating tours of different fieldwork.

Council Question Period

Councillor Keasey questions what the drill that is currently onsite is testing for. Mr. Fry notes that it looks at ground water, geologic conditions being the soil that sits on top of the rock and the rock itself.

Councillor Keasey questions what would be shown in one of the fieldwork tours. Mr. Fry notes that they have created a summary and fieldwork and if there are certain elements that Council is interested in they will coordinate a tour of that work.

Mayor Lupton questions if Walker Environmental is looking into anything other than a landfill. Mr. Fry notes that they are much more than a landfill company and explains the millions of dollars they have invested in various projects regarding composting, green bins, wood waste and converting the wood to alternative products. Mayor Lupton notes that the more that can be recovered the better.

Councillor Forbes questions how the landfill design will change from what was initially proposed. Mr. Fry notes that he does not expect many changes.

Public Question Period

None.

Public in attendance

None.

7. REPORTS FROM STAFF & CORRESPONDENCE REQUIRING DIRECTION

No items.

8. INFORMATION ITEMS

- (a) Landfill Proposal Update
 - i) No items.
 - (b) High Speed Rail Proposal Update
 - i) No items.
 - (c) Committees and Boards Updates.
 - i) No items.
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9. UNFINISHED BUSINESS

No items.

10. COUNCIL QUESTION PERIOD & NEW BUSINESS

- (a) County Council Update – Mayor Lupton
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11. BY-LAWS

No items.

12. PUBLIC QUESTION PERIOD (11:45 a.m. – 12:00 p.m.)

No items.

13. CLOSED MEETING SESSION

No items.

14. CONFIRMATORY BY-LAW

50-17 Confirmatory by-law.

32-10-17 Moved by: Marcus Ryan Seconded by: Ron Forbes

“THAT By-law 50-17, being a by-law to confirm the proceedings of Council held Tuesday, October 17, 2017, be read a first, second and third time this 17th day October, 2017, and further that the Mayor and Clerk are hereby authorized to sign the same and affix the corporate seal thereto.”

Disposition: Carried

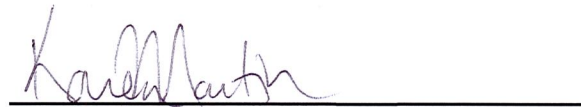
15. ADJOURNMENT

33-10-17 Moved by: Marie Keasey Seconded by: Ron Forbes

“THAT this session of Council be now adjourned and herewith closed at 12:12 p.m. and the next meeting of Council be called for the 7th day of November, 2017, at 9:30 a.m. at AJ Baker Public School.”

Disposition: Carried


MARGARET L. LUYTON
MAYOR


KAREN MAUTH
CLERK