

# Agenda

# **Agricultural Advisory Committee**

Meeting Date: October 15, 2020

Meeting Time: 6:00 p.m.

**Location:** Council Chambers

Prepared by: Sarah Merrifield, Executive Assistant Committees of Council

#### A. Call to Order

- Traditional Territory Acknowledgement
- Committee Member Attendance
- Approval of Agenda

**Recommended** (Moved by, Seconded by)

THAT the Agenda of October 15, 2020 be approved as circulated, including any additions to the Agenda.

#### **Declaration of Pecuniary Interest and general nature thereof**

NOTE: In accordance with the *Municipal Conflict of Interest Act* and the Town Procedural By-law 2019-56, Agricultural Advisory Committee Members must file a written statement of the interest and its general nature with the Clerk for inclusion on the Registry.

Previous Minutes (September 17, 2020)

**Recommended** (Moved by, Seconded by)

THAT the Minutes of September 17, 2020 be approved as circulated, including any revisions to be made.

#### B. Staff Reports and Deputations

#### **B.1** Deputations

B.1.1 Mike Cowbrough, Weed Specialist (Field Crops), Chief Inspector (Weed Control Act),

**Ontario Ministry of Agriculture, Food, and Rural Affairs** 

**Re: Wild Chervil Questions from Committee** 

#### **B.2** Public Comment Period (each speaker is allotted three minutes)

NOTE: In accordance with the Town Procedural By-law 2019-56, fifteen minutes is allotted at the Meeting to receive public comments regarding Agricultural Advisory Committee matters included on the Agenda. The speaker shall provide their name and address, and shall address their comments to the Chair. Comments shall not refer to personnel, litigation or potential litigation matters, or regarding matters that are a follow-up to a Public Meeting.

**NOTE:** Committee meetings are currently taking place virtually to assist with social distancing with respect to COVID-19. Comments received from the public that have not been included on the Agenda will be read at the meeting by the Executive Assistant.

- B.3 Staff Reports, if any
- C. Matters for Discussion
- C.1 Memorandum, Wild Chervil Management on Private Property and Follow-up to Q&A from Tom Cowan, Ministry of Environment, Conservation and Parks Director of Operations Shawn Carey
- C.2 Comments from Agricultural Advisory Committee regarding Bayou Cable Park Planning Application for Town Planning Staff and Consideration by Town Council (verbal)

NOTE: at the September 17, 2020 Agricultural Advisory Committee meeting, the following motion was passed:

Moved by: Duncan McKinlay Seconded by: Grant McMurchy

THAT the Agricultural Advisory Committee notifies Council that they wish to provide comments on the Bayou Cable Park application regarding traffic issues at Highway 26/Grey Road 2/Clark St and on the issue of adequate buffering to protect legal uses on adjacent lands, CARRIED.

- **C.3** Transportation Master Plan Update Committee member John Ardiel (standing item)
- C.4 Tree Preservation By-law Update Councillor Matrosovs (verbal)
- C.5 Chair's Report Councillor Matrosovs (verbal)
- C.6 Agricultural Advisory Committee Action Item Tracking
  - Council consideration of potential road swap
  - Truvist and Co-Operative Compliance Review
  - Cyclist and Bicycle Licensing Program
- D. Correspondence

None

#### E. New and Unfinished Business

#### **E.1** Additions to the Agenda

#### E.2 Items Identified for Discussion at the Next Meeting

 Bill 156 and OPP Enforcement of the Same, as it relates to Potential Animal Rights Demonstrations and Potential Harassment of Legal Hunters

## F. Notice of Meeting Dates

November 19, 2020 Town Hall, Council Chambers

## G. Adjournment

**Recommended** (Moved by, Seconded by)

THAT The Agricultural Advisory Committee does now adjourn at (TIME) p.m. to meet again at the call of the Chair.