



Brockville Municipal Accessibility Advisory Committee

Tuesday, May 26, 2015, 1:00 pm
City Hall, Boardroom

Committee Minutes

Roll Call:

Mr. Ryan Billing, Chair
Ms. Colleen Cooke
Ms. Mary Ann Greenwood
Mr. Doug Hone
Mr. Mel Watson

Absent:

Mr. Joseph Boisvenue
Councillor L. Bursey

Staff:

Ms. Lynn Murray, Deputy City Clerk (Recording Secretary)

DISCLOSURE OF INTEREST

Nil.

APPROVAL OF THE AGENDA

Moved by: Doug
Seconded by: Mary Ann

THAT the Agenda for the May 26, 2015 meeting of Brockville Municipal Accessibility Advisory Committee be approved.

CARRIED

CHAIR'S REMARKS

Ryan informed the Committee that Shannon Stilnovich has retired from the Committee due to the fact that she has taken a new job in Smiths Falls and therefore is not eligible to continue as a member.

ADOPTION OF THE MINUTES

Moved by: Mel
Seconded by: Doug

THAT the minutes of the Brockville Municipal Accessibility Advisory Committee meeting dated April 28, 2015 be adopted as amended.

CARRIED

NEW BUSINESS ARISING FROM THE MINUTES

Regarding the "Bus Stop Accessibility" Ryan said that he has sent the photos and database out via Drop Box this morning, for the Committee's reference. He confirmed that he had reviewed the Blue Route and 90% of the information is still accurate. Ryan would like to set up a meeting with Paul McMunn to review the extremely inaccessible spots. He welcomed any other members to join them and will forward them the date and time once it is set.

Ryan reported that he has passed the Committee's views on the Brock Trail upgrades over to Conal Cosgrove in Operations.

DELEGATIONS/PRESENTATIONS

1. Accessible Brockville - Mel

Mel reviewed his presentation for the group.

Ryan felt it would be a good idea for Mel to show this presentation at a Waterfront Committee meeting. He will contact them to hopefully be included on a future meeting agenda.

CORRESPONDENCE & COMMUNICATIONS

1. AODA 10th Anniversary Toolkit

Ryan stated that this would be a good opportunity to draw attention to what the committee has accomplished over the last ten years. He added that they could also take a report to Council to showcase their achievements.

2. Ontario Medal of Good Citizenship
(Ministry of Citizenship, Immigration and International Trade)

Ryan reviewed the attached request for nominations for the Committee.

STAFF REPORTS

Nil.

NEW BUSINESS

1. Wheelchair By-law - City of Cornwall

Ryan remarked that he had briefly reviewed this by-law. He encouraged the other Committee members to read the by-law over the next few weeks and then they will talk more about it at June meeting.

2. Brockville Gymnastics request

Ryan stated that the gymnastics academy has once again requested funds for the installation of automatic doors at the facility. He reminded the Committee that they had allocated funds probably around 2012 for the installation but the project fell through for various upgrades that were being done at the time. Ryan has asked them to obtain quotes and forward the previous quotes to possibly have the companies re-work the numbers. Ryan said he will bring the re worked quotes to the next meeting for a decision from BMAAC. He added that he made it clear that the Committee would only be interested in funding the installation of the doors.

CAPITAL BUDGET - REVIEW

No change

SUB-COMMITTEE AND MEMBER REPORTS/PROJECT UPDATES

Nil.

ADJOURNMENT

Moved by: Mary Ann
Seconded by: Colleen

THAT the BMAAC meeting be adjourned until its next regular meeting scheduled for June 23, 2014.

CARRIED

The meeting adjourned at 2:30 pm.