



**COMMUNITY DEVELOPMENT AND TOURISM COMMITTEE MINUTES**  
**Thursday, May 26, 2022 at 3:00 p.m.**

The Committee met at 3:00 p.m. by video conference.

**Members Present:** Councillor Janet Horner (Chair)  
Warden Wade Mills  
Councillor John Creelman (arrived 3:44 p.m.)  
Councillor Bob Currie  
Councilor Guy Gardhouse  
Councillor Chris Gerrits  
Councillor Earl Hawkins  
Councillor Darren White

**Staff Present:** Sonya Pritchard, Chief Administrative Officer  
Michelle Dunne, Clerk  
Rebecca Whelan, Deputy Clerk  
Cody Joudry, Director of Development and Tourism

Chair Horner called the meeting to order at 3:02 p.m.

**LAND ACKNOWLEDGEMENT STATEMENT**

Chair Horner shared the Land Acknowledgement Statement.

**ROLL CALL**

The Clerk verbally took a roll call of Councillors in attendance.

**DECLARATIONS OF PECUNIARY INTEREST**

There were no declarations of pecuniary interest.

**PUBLIC QUESTION PERIOD**

There were no questions from the Public.

## **DELEGATION**

1. COMMUNITY DEVELOPMENT & TOURISM – May 26, 2022 – ITEM #1  
Ontario Plowmen’s Association

Cathy Lasby, Executive Director, Ontario Plowmen’s Association, delegated to Committee to request Dufferin County’s support to host the 2023 International Plowing Match and Rural Expo in the Township of Amaranth.

### **Moved by Warden Mills, seconded by Councillor Gerrits**

**THAT Cathy Lasby, Executive Director, Ontario Plowmen’s Association, be invited to present further information to the June 9, 2022 Council meeting;**

**AND THAT staff report back to the June 9, 2022 Council meeting about the possibility of hosting the 2023 International Plowing Match and Rural Expo.**

**-Carried-**

## **REPORTS**

2. COMMUNITY DEVELOPMENT & TOURISM – May 26, 2022 – ITEM #2  
MoD Strategy Focus Group

A report from the Director of Development and Tourism, dated May 26, 2022, to provide information to the Committee on the upcoming focus group meeting for the MoD Strategic Plan.

### **Moved by Councillor Gerrits, seconded by Warden Mills**

**THAT the Report from the Director of Development and Tourism, dated May 26, 2022, titled MoD: Strategic Plan Focus Group, be received.**

**-Carried-**

3. COMMUNITY DEVELOPMENT & TOURISM – May 26, 2022 – ITEM #3  
Municipal Comprehensive Review (MCR) Update & Timelines

A report from the Director of Development and Tourism, dated May 26, 2022, to provide the Committee an overview of progression of the MCR project and the related public engagement deliverables.

Councillor Creelman joined the meeting at 3:44 p.m.

**Moved by Councillor Gerrits, seconded by Councillor Gardhouse**

**THAT the report of the Director of Development and Tourism, dated May 26, 2022, titled Municipal Comprehensive Review Update and Timelines, be received.**

**-Carried-**

**CORRESPONDENCE**

4. COMMUNITY DEVELOPMENT & TOURISM – May 26, 2022 – ITEM #4  
Township of Amaranth

Resolution from the Township of Amaranth, dated April 26, 2022, regarding hosting the 2023 International Plowing Match in principle.

**Moved by Councillor Currie, seconded by Councillor Gerrits**

**THAT the resolution from the Township of Amaranth, dated April 26, 2022, regarding hosting the 2023 International Plowing Match, be received.**

**-Carried-**

5. COMMUNITY DEVELOPMENT & TOURISM – May 26, 2022 – ITEM #5  
Association of Municipalities of Ontario (AMO) Delegation Requests

Correspondence from the Ministry of Municipal Affairs and Housing, dated May 3, 2022, regarding Association of Municipalities of Ontario (AMO) delegation requests for the 2022 Annual Conference. The Committee discussed requesting a delegation regarding a request for municipalities to be consulted or have input while completing mapping classifications on prime agriculture lands.

**ADJOURNMENT**

The meeting adjourned at 4:14 p.m.

**NEXT MEETING:** Thursday, June 23, 2022 at 3:00 p.m.  
Video Conference

Respectfully submitted,

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Councillor Janet Horner, Chair  
Community Development and Tourism Committee