

MINUTES

Timiskaming Health Unit Board of Health

Regular Meeting held on May 1, 2024 at 6:30 PM

THU KL Boardroom / Microsoft Teams

1. The meeting was called to order at 6:30 p.m.

2. **ROLL CALL**

Board of Health Members

Stacy Wight	Chair, Municipal Appointee of Kirkland Lake
Jesse Foley	Vice-Chair, Municipal Appointee for Temiskaming Shore (<i>video</i>)
Mark Wilson	Municipal Appointee for Temiskaming Shores (<i>video</i>)
Jeff Laferriere	Municipal Appointee for Temiskaming Shores (<i>video</i>)
Curtis Arthur	Provincial Appointee (<i>video</i>)
Carol Lowery	Municipal Appointee for Town of Cobalt, Town of Latchford, Municipality of Temagami, and Township of Coleman (<i>video</i>)
Paul Kelly	Municipal Appointee for Township of Larder Lake, McGarry & Gauthier
David Lowe	Provincial Appointee
Steve McIntyre	Municipal Appointee for Township of Armstrong, Hudson, James, Kerns & Matachewan (<i>video</i>)
Casey Owens	Municipal Appointee for Town of Kirkland Lake
Todd Steis	Provincial Appointee
Cathy Dwyer	Provincial Appointee (<i>video</i>)
Guy Godmaire	Municipal Representative for Township of Brethour, Harris, Harley & Casey, Village of Thornloe

Regrets

Vacant	Municipal Appointee for Township of Chamberlain, Charlton, Evanturel, Hilliard, Dack & Town of Englehart
Rachelle Cote	Executive Assistant

Timiskaming Health Unit Staff Members

Dr. Glenn Corneil	Acting Medical Officer of Health/CEO
Randy Winters	Director of Corporate and Protection Services
Erin Cowan	Director of Strategic Services and Health Promotion

3. **APPROVAL OF AGENDA**

MOTION #31R-2024

Moved by: Paul Kelly

Seconded by: Casey Owens

Be it resolved that the Board of Health adopts the agenda for its regular meeting held on May 1, 2024, as presented.

CARRIED

4. **DISCLOSURE OF PECUNIARY INTEREST AND GENERAL NATURE**

None.

5. **APPROVAL OF MINUTES**

MOTION #32R-2024

Moved by: David Lowe

Seconded by: Todd Steis

Be it resolved that the Board of Health approves the minutes of its regular meeting held on April 3, 2024, as presented.

CARRIED

6. **BUSINESS ARISING**

None noted.

7. **REPORTS OF MOH/CEO**

Dr. Corneil provided a summary of the local situation and other related updates.

8. **HUMAN RESOURCES & FINANCE UPDATE**

Randy Winters provided an update for information purposes.

9. **NEW BUSINESS**

a. **PHU-THU Merger Update**

Dr. Corneil provided the following update:

- Overview shared on merger documentation provided: risks/merger benefits. Available to use as a resource.
- PHU passed a resolution to relook at the board composition. The board discussed the provincial appointee role and the ministry requirement for every Board of Health to have provincial appointees. Also discussed the impact it would have on the governance if changes were to occur to the composition. Other board composition information is being gathered for the BOH working group to consider.
- Expecting more questions from the ministry regarding the merger budget application.

- All-staff communications continue to be issued monthly.
- All management staff are scheduled to meet in person on May 10, 2024.
- A virtual all-staff meeting is scheduled on June 17, 2024 and an all-staff meeting is scheduled on September 10, 2024.

b. **2024 Q1 Board Report**

The report was distributed for information purposes.

c. **Board Member Resignation**

Chair Wight informed the board of the recent resignation of the member representing Charlton/Dack, Town of Englehart, Chamberlain, Evanturel and Hilliard. Currently awaiting a replacement.

10. **CORRESPONDENCE**

MOTION #33R-2024

Moved by: Jeff Laferriere

Seconded by: Mark Wilson

Be it resolved the Board of Health acknowledges receipt of the correspondence for information purposes.

CARRIED

- Dr. Corneil provided some highlights of the [Ontario’s Chief Medical Officer of Health’s 2023 Annual Report](#) and how THU is using this resource in conjunction with the CSWB and TDAS initiatives.
- THU received an invite from Temiskaming Shores Public Library for a collaborative approach to homelessness in our community. A THU representative was scheduled to attend this meeting.

11. **IN-CAMERA**

None noted.

12. **RISE AND REPORT**

N/A

13. **DATES OF NEXT MEETINGS**

The next regular meeting will be held on June 12, 2024 at 6:30 pm in New Liskeard.

14. **ADJOURNMENT**

MOTION #34R-2024

Moved by: Carol Lowery

Seconded by: Curtis Arthur

Be it resolved that the Board of Health agrees to adjourn the regular meeting at 7:12 pm.

CARRIED

Stacy Wight, Board Chair

Randy Winters, Recorder



#10 (i)

Minutes of the Community Policing Committee held on Thursday, April 18th, 2024 at 6:00 p.m. in person in the meeting room.

1. Opening of the Meeting by the Chair of the Committee

The Chair called the meeting to order at 6:00 p.m. and welcomed those in attendance.

2. Roll Call: The Chair took a roll call

<u>Attendance:</u>	<u>Present</u>	<u>Absent</u>
Chair Councillor Francine Plante	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Co-Chair Councillor Louanne Caza	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Bastiaan Koomans	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Merdy Armstrong	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Danial Quevillon	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Mayor Bonita Culhane	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>

Sergeant Daniel Senf
Deputy Clerk: Melanie Jensen
Members of the audience present: 5

3. Adoption of the Agenda and Addendum:

Moved by Daniel Quevillon **10/2024**
Seconded by Bastiaan Koomans **Adoption of Agenda**

THAT the agenda for the Community Policing Committee Meeting held on March 18th 2024, be adopted.

Carried

4. Disclosure of Pecuniary of Interest: None

5. Minutes of Previous Meetings:

Moved by Bastiaan Koomans
Seconded by Daniel Quevillon

11/2024
Previous Minutes

THAT the minutes of the Meeting of the Community Policing held on February 15th , 2024 be adopted.

Carried

6. Matters arising from the minutes: None

7. Deputations / Delegations :

- Presentation on Bear Wise that can be seen heard online.

8. Correspondance, Information : None

9. Members Update Reports:

- Members verbally gave a verbal report.

10. New Business:

- a) Bike Rodeo: members discussed some details of the next event the Bike Rodeo.

11. a) Submitted Questions : None

b) Audience Questions :

A question period was held.

12. Closed Meeting: None

13. Adjournment:

Moved by Daniel Quevillon
Seconded by Bastiaan Koomans

12/2024
Adjournment

That this meeting be adjourned at 6:39 p.m.

Carried



Chair Councillor Francine Plante



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Chair Councillor Annie Keft	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Co-Chair Councillor Louanne Caza	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Bastiaan Koomans	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Merdy Armstrong	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Daniel Quevillon	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Mayor Bonita Culhane	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>

Sergeant Daniel Senf
Deputy Clerk: Melanie Jensen
Members of the audience present: 4

3. Adoption of the Agenda and Addendum:

Moved by Louanne Caza
Seconded by Bastiaan Koomans

13/2024
Adoption of Agenda

THAT the agenda for the Community Policing Committee Meeting held on July 18th 2024, be adopted with the addition of item 10 (b) Graffiti.

Carried

4. Disclosure of Pecuniary of Interest: None

5. Minutes of Previous Meetings:

Moved by Bastiaan Koomans
Seconded by Louanne Caza

14/2024
Previous Minutes

THAT the minutes of the Meeting of the Community Policing held on April 18th , 2024 be adopted.

Carried

6. Matters arising from the minutes: None

7. Deputations / Delegations :

- Presentation on ATV and UTV.

8. Correspondance, Information : None

9. Members Update Reports:

- Members verbally gave a verbal report.

10. New Business:

- a) Award Ceremony: Members discussed having a dinner to recognize some residents. More details to follow.
- b) Graffiti: Deputy-Clerk mentioned that there has been graffiti in our township lately and that it was reported to the OPP.

11. a) Submitted Questions : None

b) Audience Questions :

A question period was held.

12. Closed Meeting: None

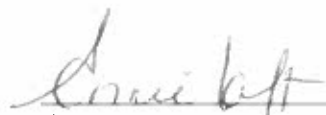
13. Adjournment:

Moved by Bastiaan Koomans
Seconded by Louanne Caza

**15/2024
Adjournment**

That this meeting be adjourned at 7:25 p.m.

Carried



Chair Councillor Annie Keft

#10 (j)

TEMISKAMING MUNICIPAL ASSOCIATION

REGULAR MEETING

May 30, 2024

	MEMBER	MEMBER
Armstrong	Reynald Rivard	
Brethour	Donna Bellinger	
Casey	Bruno Trudel	Guy Labonté
Chamberlain	Kerry Stewart	
Charlton/Dack	Bill Laurila	
Cobalt		
Coleman		
Englehart	Brian Bockys	
Evanturel	Barb Beachey	
Gauthier		
Harley	Clifford Fielder	Sophie MacKewn
Harris	Brian Brownlee	Ron Sutton
Hilliard		
Hudson	Larry Craig	
James	Rodger Donaldson	
Kerns		
Kirkland Lake		
Larder Lake		
Latchford		
Matachewan		
McGarry		
Temagami	Dan O'Mara	
Temiskaming Shores	Danny Whalen	Mélanie Ducharme
Thornloe	Wayne Miller	
Speaker		

May 30, 2024

Meeting opened at 6:35 pm.

Moved by: Dan Whalen

Seconded by: Bill Laurila

That the minutes of the Regular Meeting of April 24, 2024 be approved.

Carried

DELEGATION:

Erika Aelterman (THU) Planet Youth Timiskaming:

- 2023 survey with grade 10 & 11 students on their wellbeing, leisure time, substance usage and school. For full report visit www.TimiskamingYouth.ca.
- Planet Youth Timiskaming is a 5 year project to reduce alcohol and drug use among young people.
- In September 2023, Timiskaming Health Unit signed an agreement with the Planet Youth Guidance program to officially launch Planet Youth Timiskaming.
- Established a steering committee.
- Determined project structure.
- Did youth survey - 5 high schools with 83% overall response. (561 Students)
- Participated in workshops on how to build effective Local Action Teams and another to educate local teachers on how to administer the Planet Youth survey.
- We are at the Community Engagement in the process with 5 more steps coming up next.

Sam Loranger (Thornloe Cheese Factory: No show

Danny Whalen re FONOM:

RESOLUTIONS:

Village of Thornloe (Free Provincial Water Testing)

Moved by: Dan o'Mara

Seconded by: Clifford Fielder

Whereas the Ontario Auditor General's annual report on public health from December 2023 indicates that Public Health Ontario is proposing the phasing-out of free provincial water testing services for private drinking water; and

Whereas free private drinking water testing services has played a pivotal role in safeguarding public health, particularly in rural communities; and

May 30, 2024

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Whereas the removal of free private drinking water testing could lead to a reduction in testing, potentially increasing the risk of waterborne diseases in these vulnerable populations; and

Whereas the tragic events in Walkerton, Ontario underscored the critical importance of safe drinking water.

NOW THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED that the Temiskaming Municipal Association hereby requests the Province reconsider and ultimately decide against the proposed phasing-out of free private drinking water testing services.

FURTHER BE IT RESOLVED that this resolution be sent to Minister of Environment Conservation and Parks, Minister of Health and John Vanthof, MPP Temiskaming-Cochrane.

Carried

Township of Harley (Asset Retirement Obligation)

Moved by: Sophie MacKewn

Seconded by: Larry Craig

WHEREAS the Public Sector Accounting Board (PSAB) establishes accounting standards for the public sector which must be followed by all Ontario municipalities;

AND WHEREAS the Municipal Act, 2001 section 294.1 states that a municipality shall, for each fiscal year, prepare annual financial statements for the municipality in accordance with generally accepted accounting principles for local governments as recommended, from time to time, by the Public Sector Accounting Board of the Chartered Professional Accountants of Canada;

AND WHEREAS PS 3280 is a new accounting standard covering asset retirement obligations (ARO) that was approved by PSAB in March 2018;

AND WHEREAS the standard must be applied by all public sector entities who prepare their financial statements under PSAB, including all Canadian municipalities;

AND WHEREAS many small municipalities do not have accountants or engineers on staff to complete the ARO obligations and this major accounting change will force small municipalities to hire consultants to complete this work and cause a significant financial burden to municipalities;

May 30, 2024

NOW THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED THAT the Temiskaming Municipal Association hereby calls upon the province of Ontario to provide financial assistance to municipalities to complete the ARO;

AND FINALLY THAT a copy of this resolution be forwarded to the Honourable Paul Calandra, Minister of Municipal Affairs and Housing, the Association of Municipal Clerks and Treasurers of Ontario (AMCTO) and the Federation of Ontario Municipalities (FONOM).

Carried

Kirkland Lake: (AORS Funding)

Moved by:
Seconded by:

That the Temiskaming Municipal Association supports the Corporation of the Town of Kirkland Lake in its call to the Ministry of Labour, Training, Immigration and Skilled Trades to fully fund the Municipal Equipment Operator Course;

And further that a copy of this resolution be directed to the Honourable Minister of Labour, Training, Immigration and Skilled Trades; to John Vanthof – MPP Timiskaming-Cochrane; FONOM; the Association of Ontario Road Supervisors (AORS).

Kirkland Lake: (College Funding)

Moved by:
Seconded by:

That the Temiskaming Municipal Association supports the Corporation of the Town of Kirkland Lake urging the Federal Government to reconsider its announced policy changes that will impact publicly funded colleges, such as Northern College and other colleges in small, northern and rural regions of Ontario, by altering the framework through which international students are admitted and managed;

And further that a copy of this resolution be directed to the Honourable Prime Minister of Canada; the Honourable Minister of Employment, Work Force Development and Official Languages; Charlie Angus – MP Timmins-James Bay and FONOM.

May 30, 2024

Kirkland Lake: (Post Graduate Work Permit)

Moved by:

Seconded by:

That the Temiskaming Municipal Association supports the Corporation of the Town of Kirkland Lake urging the Ontario Government to immediately implement the recommendation of the Blue-Ribbon Panel;

And further that a copy of this resolution be directed to the Honourable Minister of Ontario; John Vanthof-MPP Timiskaming-Cochrane and FONOM.

DISCUSSIONS:

Moved by: Barb Beachey

Seconded by: Ron Sutton

That Temiskaming Municipal Association receives and accepts the April 30th, 2024 bank reconciliation as presented by the treasurer.

Carried

May 30, 2024

Moved by: Clifford Fielder

Seconded by: Mélanie Ducharme

The meeting of May 30th, 2024 be adjourned at 7:37 pm.

Carried

Executive meeting on September 19th, 2024 at 12:00 pm at the Thornloe hall.

TMA meeting September 26th, 2024 at 6:30 pm at the Rosaire and Wilfrid Paiement arena

TEMISKAMING MUNICIPAL ASSOCIATION

AGENDA - REGULAR MEETING

DATE: MAY 30, 2024

TIME: 6:30 P.M.

PLACE: Rosaire & Wilfrid Paiement Recreation Centre

1. OPENING OF MEETING

2. ADOPTION OF PRECEDING MINUTES

3. DELEGATIONS:

- Erika Aelterman (THU) Planet Youth Timiskaming
- Sam Loranger (Thornloe Cheese update)
- Danny Whalen (FONOM)

4. RESOLUTIONS:

- Asset Retirement Obligation / Harley Township
- Water Testing Services for private wells
- Kirkland Lake – AORS funding
- Kirkland Lake – College Funding
- Kirkland Lake – Post Graduate Work Permit
- Bank Account

5. DISCUSSIONS:

- MPAC / September
- Open discussion

6. ADJOURNMENT

Register for the 2024 Indigenous Communities & Municipalities Forum, and stay tuned for the full agenda and speaker lineup coming soon!

#10 (K)

Register

2024 Municipal Clerks Forum

Virtual Price: \$359.00+HST

Thursday, Oct 17, 2024, 8:30am - 3:30pm
Zoom

Register for the 2024 Municipal Clerks Forum, and stay tuned for the full agenda and speaker lineup coming soon!

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#10 (m)

Emailed: Premier@ontario.ca

March 15, 2024

Honourable Doug Ford
Premier of Ontario
Legislative Building, Room 28, Queen's Park
Toronto, Ontario
M7A 1A1

Dear Honourable Sir,

Re: Support – Town of Kirkland Lake – Public Private Partnership Senior Government Policy Changes (Supporting Northern College's Request)

The Council of the Corporation of the Township of Evanturel, at the council meeting of March 13, 2024, supported the resolution from the Town of Kirkland Lake, in its support of Northern College, urging the Provincial Government, to immediately implement the Blue-Ribbon Panel recommendations and to actively work with the Federal Government to restore the eligibility of public-private partner colleges, to grant students who successfully complete their program of study, a Post-Graduate Work Permit.

See enclosed a copy of the resolution from the Town of Kirkland Lake.

Also find enclosed a certified true copy of Township of Evanturel Resolution No. 6, passed in open council March 13, 2024, authorizing this support.

Yours truly,

A handwritten signature in blue ink, appearing to read "Virginia Montminy".

Virginia Montminy
Clerk
THE CORPORATION OF THE
TOWNSHIP OF EVANTUREL

Encl:

c.c. John Vanthof – MPP – Timiskaming-Cochrane - jvanthof-co@ndp.on.ca
Federation of Northern Ontario Municipalities (FONOM) - fonom.info@gmail.com
Temiskaming Municipal Association (TMA) - tma@northernontario.ca
Municipalities in the District of Temiskaming - *emailed*

Resolution of Council

Moved by: Councillor Bealby

Date: March 13, 2024

Seconded by: Councillor Belanger

Resolution No: 5

WHEREAS the Federal Government has announced policy changes that will negatively impact publicly funded colleges, such as Northern College and other colleges in small, northern, and rural regions of Ontario, by altering the framework through which international students are admitted and managed;

AND WHEREAS these policy changes have been made without any consultation with post-secondary institutions; and without a clear understanding of the severe financial hardships this will cause to smaller public colleges;

NOW THEREFORE the Council of the Corporation of the Township of Evanturel resolves to support the Corporation of the Town of Kirkland Lake in its resolution urging the Federal Government to reconsider these policy changes;

AND FURTHER that this resolution be directed to the Honourable Prime Minister of Canada; and forwarded to the Honourable Minister of Employment, Workforce Development and Official Languages; Charlie Angus – MP Timmins-James Bay; the Federation of Northern Ontario Municipalities (FONOM); the Temiskaming Municipal Association (TMA); and the municipalities in the District of Temiskaming.

Carried


Derek Mundle - Reeve

DIVISION VOTE

YEAS	NAME OF MEMBER OF COUNCIL	NAYS
	BARBARA BEACHEY, COUNCILLOR	
	GISELE BELANGER, COUNCILLOR	
	ROB MACPHERSON, COUNCILLOR	
	JOHN SIMMENS, COUNCILLOR	
	DEREK MUNDLE, REEVE	
	TOTALS	

Declaration of Pecuniary Interest – Report to Council TWP2019-05 – Form A – Reeve Mundle ; Councillor

Certified to be a true copy of Resolution No. 5 of the Corporation of the Township of Evanturel passed in open Council on the 13th day of March, 2024.

Virginia Montminy - Clerk
Township of Evanturel



The Corporation of the Town of Kirkland Lake
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February 22, 2024

SENT VIA EMAIL ONLY

**RE: Motion – Public Private Partnership Senior Government Policy Changes
(Supporting Northern College's Request)**

At its meeting of February 20, 2024, the Council for the Corporation of the Town of Kirkland Lake resolved the following:

*"Moved by: Mayor Stacy Wight
Seconded by: Councillor Rick Owen*

WHEREAS *there is a growing concern over the inadequate funding of postsecondary education by the Ontario Government, which has placed additional financial pressures on publicly funded colleges, undermined their sustainability and made it more difficult for colleges to respond to the needs of local employers;*

AND WHEREAS *Northern College has developed an important public-private college partnership with PURES College that contributes \$30 million annually in revenue to Northern College, equal to one-third of the Northern College Budget;*

AND WHEREAS *students enrolled in programs offered through the PURES public-private partnership campuses are recognized as students of a publicly funded college and are held to the same high standards of academic rigor, are provided with comparable wrap-around support services to those offered at Northern College and receive a Northern College credential;*

AND WHEREAS *the elimination of Post-Graduate Work Permits by the Federal Government for students graduating from programs offered through the PURES public-private partnership campus would result in an immediate suspension of revenue to Northern College, adversely affect the sustainability of the college and undermining the ability to support local employers;*

AND WHEREAS *the Ontario Government has recently called together a group of experts who have released recommendations in the Blue-Ribbon Panel report that are designed to ensure the long-term sustainability of the postsecondary education sector in Ontario;*

THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED that Council for The Corporation of the Town of Kirkland Lake urge the Ontario Government to immediately implement the Blue-Ribbon Panel recommendations and actively work with the Federal Government to restore the eligibility of public-private partner colleges, to grant students who successfully complete their program of study, a Post-Graduate Work Permit;

AND FINALLY THAT a copy of this resolution be sent to the Honourable Premier of Ontario, the Member of Provincial Parliament for Timiskaming-Cochrane, the Federation of Northern Ontario Municipalities (FONOM), and all municipalities within the District of Timiskaming.

CARRIED".

As so directed, a copy of Council's resolution has been supplied above for your reference.

Please do not hesitate to contact me if I can provide clarification in this regard.

Yours truly,

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to be 'JM', written in a cursive style.

Jennifer Montreuil, Dipl. M.A.
Municipal Clerk

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#10 (m)

Emailed: Sylvia.Jones@ontario.ca

July 16, 2024

The Honourable Sylvia Jones
Minister of Health
College Park 5th Flr
777 Bay St.
Toronto, ON
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Dear Honourable Minister,

Re: Shortage of Physician Care and Access to Physician Care

The Township of Evanturel is a rural municipality in the District of Temiskaming where its residents receive hospital care and emergency services in the catchment area of Blanche River Health – at the Englehart Site and the Kirkland Lake Site; and family physician care from the Englehart Family Health Team.

The shortage of physicians in this area leaves a majority of residents without a family doctor; and the emergency department of the Englehart Site has had to close, at times, as no doctor is available to staff same. The only other hospital in the District, Temiskaming Hospital in Temiskaming Shores, serves the catchment area south of our community.

The Council of the Corporation of the Township of Evanturel urges the Province of Ontario to recognize the physician shortage in the District of Temiskaming, and all of Ontario, to fund health care appropriately; and to ensure every Ontarian has access to physician care.

Find attached a true certified copy of Resolution No. 7 passed in open council July 10, 2024, authorizing this request.

Yours truly,



Virginia Montminy
Clerk

THE CORPORATION OF THE
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c.c. Association of Municipalities of Ontario – amopresident@amo.on.ca

Ontario Medical Association – info@oma.org

John Vanthof – MPP – Timiskaming-Cochrane - JVanthof-CO@ndp.on.ca

Municipalities in the District of Temiskaming - *emailed*

Resolution of Council

Moved by: Councillor Simmons

Date: July 10, 2024

Seconded by: Councillor Belanger

Resolution No: 7

WHEREAS the state of health care in Ontario is in crisis, with 2.3 million Ontarians lacking access to a family doctor, emergency room closures across the province, patients being de-rostered and 40% of family doctors considering retirement over the next five years;

AND WHEREAS Ontario municipal governments play an integral role in the health care system through responsibilities in public health, long-term care, paramedicine, and other investments;

AND WHEREAS the percentage of family physicians practicing comprehensive family medicine has declined from 77 in 2008 to 65 percent in 2022;

AND WHEREAS per capita health-care spending in Ontario is the lowest of all provinces in Canada;

AND WHEREAS a robust workforce developed through a provincial, sector-wide health human resources strategy would significantly improve access to health services across the province;

NOW THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED THAT the Council of the Corporation of the Township of Evanturel urge the Province of Ontario to recognize the physician shortage in the District of Temiskaming and Ontario, to fund health care appropriately and ensure every Ontarian has access to physician care.

Carried Barbara Beachey
Barbara Beachey-Deputy Reeve/Presiding Officer

DIVISION VOTE		
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	GISELE BELANGER, COUNCILLOR	
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	DEREK MUNDLE, REEVE	
	TOTALS	

Declaration of Pecuniary Interest – Report to Council TWP2019-05 – Form A – Reeve Mundle ___; Councillor

Certified to be a true copy of Resolution No. 7 of the Corporation of the Township of Evanturel passed in open Council on the 10th day of July, 2024.

Virginia Montminy – Clerk
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#10 (m)

Emailed: Minister.MLITSD@ontario.ca

March 14, 2024

Honourable David Piccini
Minister of Labour, Training,
Immigration and Skilled Development
14th Floor – 400 University Ave.
Toronto, ON
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Dear Honourable Sir,

Re: Support – Town of Kirkland Lake – Funding AORS Municipal Equipment Operator Course

The Council of the Corporation of the Township of Evanturel, at the council meeting of March 13, 2024, supported the resolution from the Town of Kirkland Lake regarding its request to your Ministry for funding in 2024, through the Skills Development Fund, of a Municipal Equipment Operator Course; developed by the Association of Ontario Road Supervisors (AORS).

See enclosed a copy of the resolution from the Town of Kirkland Lake.

Also find enclosed a certified true copy of Township of Evanturel Resolution No. 4, passed in open council March 13, 2024, authorizing this support.

Yours truly,

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Virginia Montminy
Clerk
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Encl:

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- Association of Ontario Road Supervisors (AORS) - admin@aors.on.ca
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Resolution of Council

Moved by: Councillor Belanger

Date: March 13, 2024

Seconded by: Councillor Simmens

Resolution No: 4

WHEREAS municipal public works departments from across the Province of Ontario provide services to their residents to ensure the health and safety of their communities; and will experience skilled labour shortages, over the next few years, to meet these responsibilities;

AND WHEREAS the Association of Ontario Road Supervisors is working to develop a Municipal Equipment Operator Course to address this issue;

NOW THEREFORE the Council of the Corporation of the Township of Evanturel supports the Corporation of the Town of Kirkland Lake in its call to the Ministry of Labour, Training, Immigration and Skilled Trades to fully fund the Municipal Equipment Operator Course in 2024;

AND FURTHER that a copy of this resolution be directed to the Honourable Minister of Labour, Training, Immigration and Skilled Trades; and forwarded to John Vanthof – MPP Timiskaming-Cochrane; the Federation of Northern Ontario Municipalities (FONOM); the Temiskaming Municipal Association (TMA); the Association of Ontario Road Supervisors (AORS); and the municipalities in the District of Temiskaming.

Carried 
Derek Mundle - Reeve

DIVISION VOTE		
YEAS	NAME OF MEMBER OF COUNCIL	NAYS
	BARBARA BEACHEY, COUNCILLOR	
	GISELE BELANGER, COUNCILLOR	
	ROB MACPIERSON, COUNCILLOR	
	JOHN SIMMENS, COUNCILLOR	
	DEREK MUNDLE, REEVE	
	TOTALS	

Declaration of Pecuniary Interest – Report to Council TWP2019-05 - Form A - Reeve Mundle ; Councillor

Certified to be a true copy of Resolution No. 4 of the Corporation of the Township of Evanturel passed in open Council on the 13th day of March, 2024.

Virginia Montminy – Clerk
Township of Evanturel



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February 22, 2024

SENT VIA EMAIL ONLY

RE: Motion – Municipal Equipment Operator Course (Supporting AORS' Request)

At its meeting of February 20, 2024, the Council for the Corporation of the Town of Kirkland Lake resolved the following:

*"Moved by: Mayor Stacy Wight
Seconded by: Councillor Casey Owens*

WHEREAS municipal public works departments from across the Province of Ontario provide invaluable services to our communities ensuring the health and safety of all residents;

AND WHEREAS if it was not for our municipal public works employees from across the Province of Ontario maintaining our public roads systems, our communities would not be able to function as emergency personnel could not respond to calls, school buses could not get our children to school, residents would not be able to get to work, school or appointments and many more basic functions would not be able to happen;

AND WHEREAS municipal public works departments are already feeling the impacts of a labour shortage, which will only be exasperated over the next three to five years, which will cause levels of service municipalities are able to provide to ensure the health and safety of our residents to decrease;

AND WHEREAS there is currently no provincial-wide course that properly trains potential municipal public works employees, specifically relating to municipal heavy equipment.

THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED THAT The Corporation of the Town of Kirkland Lake supports the work of the Association of Ontario Road Supervisors to develop a Municipal Equipment Operator Course to address this issue;

AND THAT the Town call upon Province of Ontario's Ministry of Labour, Training, Immigration and Skilled Trades to fully fund the Municipal Equipment Operator Course in 2024 through the Skills Development Fund;

AND FINALLY THAT a copy of this resolution be sent to the Honourable Minister of Labour, Training, Immigration and Skilled Trades, Timiskaming-Cochrane Member of Provincial Parliament, the Federation of Northern Ontario

*Municipalities (FONOM), the Association of Ontario Road Supervisors (AORS),
and all municipalities within the District of Timiskaming.*

CARRIED".

As so directed, a copy of Council's resolution has been supplied above for your reference.

Please do not hesitate to contact me if I can provide clarification in this regard.

Yours truly,

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to be 'JM' with a flourish.

Jennifer Montreuil, Dipl. M.A.
Municipal Clerk

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April 5, 2024

SENT VIA EMAIL ONLY

To Whom It May Concern:

RE: Motion – Exotic Animals

At its meeting of April 2, 2024, the Council for The Corporation of the Town of Kirkland Lake resolved the following:

*“Moved by: Mayor Stacy Wight
Seconded by: Councillor Rick Owen*

WHEREAS Ontario has more private non-native (“exotic”) wild animal keepers, roadside zoos, mobile zoos, wildlife exhibits and other captive wildlife operations than any other province;

AND WHEREAS the Province of Ontario has of yet not developed regulations to prohibit or restrict animal possession, breeding, or use of exotic wild animals in captivity;

AND WHEREAS exotic wild animals can pose very serious human health and safety risks, and attacks causing human injury and death have occurred in the Province;

AND WHEREAS the keeping of exotic wild animals can cause poor animal welfare and suffering, and poses risks to local environments and wildlife;

AND WHEREAS owners of exotic wild animals can move from one community to another even after their operations have been shut down due to animal welfare or public health and safety concerns;

AND WHEREAS municipalities have struggled, often for months or years, to deal with exotic wild animal issues and have experienced substantive regulatory, administrative, enforcement and financial challenges;

AND WHEREAS the Association of Municipalities of Ontario (AMO), the Association of Municipal Managers, Clerks and Treasurers of Ontario (AMCTO), and the Municipal Law Enforcement Officers' Association (MLEOA) have indicated their support for World Animal Protection's campaign for provincial regulations of exotic wild animals and roadside zoos in letters to the Ontario Solicitor General and Ontario Minister for Natural Resources and Forestry;

THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED THAT *The Corporation of the Town of Kirkland Lake hereby petitions the provincial government to implement provincial regulations to restrict the possession, breeding, and use of exotic wild animals and license zoos in order to guarantee the fair and consistent application of policy throughout Ontario for the safety of Ontario's citizens and the exotic wild animal population;*

AND FINALLY THAT *a copy of this resolution be forwarded to the Premier of Ontario, Ontario's Solicitor General, Ontario's Minister for Natural Resources and Forestry, MPP Timiskaming-Cochrane, AMO, AMCTO, MLEAO, Timiskaming Municipal Association (TMA), the Federation of Northern Ontario Municipalities (FONOM), and all municipalities within the District of Timiskaming.*

CARRIED”

As so directed, a copy of Council's resolution has been supplied above for your reference.

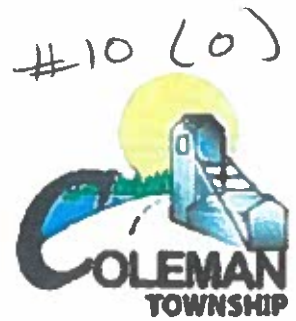
Please do not hesitate to contact me if I can provide clarification in this regard.

Yours truly,

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read 'A. Spilman', with a stylized flourish at the end.

Amberly Spilman
Deputy Clerk/Lottery Licensing Officer

Resolution
Regular Council Meeting



Agenda Number: 11.1.
Resolution Number 24-167
Title: Motion from Township of Harley
Date: Tuesday, May 21, 2024

Moved by: L. Perry
Seconded by: Patrick Rieux

WHEREAS the Public Sector Accounting Board (PSAB) establishes accounting standards for the public sector which must be followed by all Ontario municipalities;

AND WHEREAS the Municipal Act, 2001 section 294.1 states that a municipality shall, for each fiscal year, prepare annual financial statements for the municipality in accordance with generally accepted accounting principles for local governments as recommended, from time to time, by the Public Sector Accounting Board of the Chartered Professional Accountants of Canada;

AND WHEREAS PS 3280 is a new accounting standard covering asset retirement obligations (ARO) that was approved by PSAB in March 2018;

AND WHEREAS the standard must be applied by all public sector entities who prepare their financial statements under PSAB, including all Canadian municipalities;

AND WHEREAS many small municipalities do not have accountants or engineers on staff to complete the ARO obligations and this major accounting change will force small municipalities to hire consultants to complete this work and cause a significant financial burden to municipalities;

NOW THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED THAT The Corporation of the Township of Coleman hereby calls upon the province of Ontario to provide financial assistance to municipalities to complete the ARO;

AND FINALLY, THAT a copy of this resolution be forwarded to the Honourable Paul Calandra, Minister of Municipal Affairs and Housing, the Association of Municipal Clerks and Treasurers of Ontario (AMCTO), the Timiskaming Municipal Association (TMA), the Federation of Ontario Municipalities (FONOM), and all municipalities within the District of Timiskaming.

CARRIED

Certified True Copy

Christopher W. Oslund
CAO/Clerk - Treasurer



Karine Pelletier <kpelletier@mcgarry.ca>

Resolution: Asset Retirement Obligations (ARO)

1 message

Christopher Oslund <coslund@colemantownship.ca>

Tue, Jun 4, 2024 at 11:28 AM

To: "paul.calandra@ontario.ca" <paul.calandra@ontario.ca>, "amcto@amcto.com" <amcto@amcto.com>, TMA Northern Ontario <tma@northernontario.ca>, "fonom.info@gmail.com" <fonom.info@gmail.com>

Cc: "dan.thibeault@armstrong.ca" <dan.thibeault@armstrong.ca>, "brethour@parolink.net" <brethour@parolink.net>, "Krystle.Seymour@harley.ca" <Krystle.Seymour@harley.ca>, "info@chamberlaintownship.com" <info@chamberlaintownship.com>, "info@charltonanddack.com" <info@charltonanddack.com>, "sdalley@cobalt.ca" <sdalley@cobalt.ca>, Christopher Oslund <coslund@colemantownship.ca>, "jdelenardo@englehart.ca" <jdelenardo@englehart.ca>, "clerk@evanturel.com" <clerk@evanturel.com>, "townshipofgauthier@hotmail.com" <townshipofgauthier@hotmail.com>, "harris@parolink.net" <harris@parolink.net>, "twphill@parolink.net" <twphill@parolink.net>, "info@jamestown.ca" <info@jamestown.ca>, "crystallabbe@larderlake.ca" <crystallabbe@larderlake.ca>, "jallen@latchford.ca" <jallen@latchford.ca>, "jennifer.montreuil@tkl.ca" <jennifer.montreuil@tkl.ca>, "clerktreasurer@matachewan.ca" <clerktreasurer@matachewan.ca>, "kpelletier@mcgarry.ca" <kpelletier@mcgarry.ca>, "lbelanger@temiskamingshores.ca" <lbelanger@temiskamingshores.ca>, "thornloe@outlook.com" <thornloe@outlook.com>, "clerk@temagami.ca" <clerk@temagami.ca>, "Sarah.cormier@ontario.ca" <Sarah.cormier@ontario.ca>, Suzie Fournier <sfournier@colemantownship.ca>

Please see attached resolution passed by the Township of Coleman on May 21, 2024.

Yours truly,

Christopher W. Oslund

Chief Administrative Officer

Township of Coleman

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Karine Pelletier <kpelletier@mcgarry.ca>

Request for Council Resolution / Support a Set Aside for Northern Ontario within the OINP

1 message

FONOM Office/ Bureau de FONOM <fonom.info@gmail.com>
Bcc: kpelletier@mcgarry.ca

Tue, Jul 30, 2024 at 3:15 PM

Good afternoon

The FONOM Board would like to share the attached item for your council to review. Could you consider joining the Northern Ontario Chamber of Commerce to attract more skilled labour to the North?

Honourable David Piccini, Minister of Labour, Immigration, Training & Skills Development

Minister.mlitsd@ontario.ca

Thunder Bay Chamber of Commerce

charla@tbchamber.ca

Talk soon, Mac.

FONOM

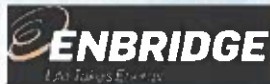
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THE FONOM BOARD INVITE YOU TO THE

NORTHERN HOSPITALITY SUITE

Thank you to our partners



7 - 10 PM | MONDAY, AUGUST 19, 2024

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THE VOICE OF NORTHERN BUSINESS



Timmins
CHAMBER.



Thunder Bay
Chamber
of Commerce

Re: Request for Council Resolution: Support a Set-Aside for Northern Ontario within the OINP

On July 25th, 2024, over 40 organizations from across Northern Ontario came together to formally support an initiative to increase provincially led immigration to Northern Ontario communities. Northern Ontario Chambers of Commerce, Municipalities, Economic Development Agencies, Community Futures Development Corporations, Local Immigration Partnerships, Réseau du Nord, and more are working together to advocate for a Northern Ontario "set-aside" within the Ontario Immigrant Nominee Program (OINP).

As the Government of Ontario has full authority to set the parameters and allocations for the OINP. We are requesting 3,000 nominations, annually, be specifically set aside for immigrants coming to Northern Ontario to fill labour shortages. These 3,000 immigrants would help our communities maintain their current standard of living. Meaning there would be enough people to support vital services in our communities, pay taxes, and keep businesses open.

Currently, Northern Ontario is only receiving between 1-3% of all allocations through the OINP (approximately 100-200 nominees per year for the past 14 years). Meanwhile, the GTA receives approximately 90% of ALL immigration to Ontario. OINP has 21,500 total spots to allocate in 2024, up from 9,000 spots just three years ago. That means there is plenty of room to make a set-aside for Northern Ontario work without detracting from the GTA and other Ontario communities.

We need your help ASAP. To put pressure on the provincial government, **we are requesting your Council pass a resolution formally supporting a 3,000-nomination set-aside within the OINP for Northern Ontario communities.**

The allocation of these 3,000 spots would be spread among communities, ensuring that the benefits of immigration are extended beyond the largest cities in Northern Ontario. Importantly, the set-aside would **work alongside existing programs**, like the federal Rural and Northern Immigration Pilot (and future iterations of it). Also, in-need occupations would be identified specifically for Northern Ontario communities to help address our unique labour shortages.

The federal Rural and Northern Immigration Pilot has brought over 4,000 immigrants to Northern Ontario since its inception five years ago. Targeted, community-level immigration works for Northern Ontario. Help us keep the momentum going.

For questions or more information, please contact:

Charla Robinson, President, Thunder Bay Chamber of Commerce at charla@tbchamber.ca

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Table: Proposed Allocations for Northern Ontario OINP “Set-Aside”

OINP Proposed Northern Ontario Allotments, CMA/CAs and CDs (Rural)		
Geography	Geographic Level	Allocations
Greater Sudbury	CMA	689
Timmins	CA	166
Sault Ste. Marie	CA	310
Thunder Bay	CMA	498
North Bay	CA	290
Kenora	CA	60
Nipissing	District**	52
Manitoulin	District	56
Sudbury	District	72
Greater Sudbury*	District**	0
Timiskaming	District	127
Cochrane	District**	149
Algoma	District**	150
Thunder Bay	District**	95
Rainy River	District	79
Kenora	District**	206

Source: Northern Policy Institute.

Definitions: A census metropolitan area (CMA) must have a total population of at least 100,000. A census agglomeration (CA) must have a core population of at least 10,000. Census divisions (CDs) are intermediate geographic areas between the province/territory level and the municipality.

Note: *The Greater Sudbury CMA overlaps completely with the Greater Sudbury CD. Thus, for simplicity, all the allocations are included under the Greater Sudbury CMA.

**Districts represent the CD population minus the CMA/CA population (if there is a CMA/CA present within the CD). This allows there to be a specific allotment for rural areas

Source: Author's calculations. Based on an allotment of 3,000 spots for Northern Ontario divided amongst regions based on population share. Data obtained from 2021 Census of the Population.

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Sample Motion

WHEREAS employers across Northern Ontario are experiencing a critical shortage of **skilled** workers, contributing to a shrinking labour market with an estimated 50,000 newcomers needed by 2041 to sustain current Northern Ontario population levels; and

WHEREAS, the labour shortage is causing significant economic hardship for Northern Ontario communities, including reduced productivity and business closures; and

WHEREAS population and migration trends to 2021 suggest that Northern Ontario needs **100,000 newcomers by 2041** to sustain current population; and

WHEREAS the success of the federal Rural and Northern Immigration Pilot (RNIP) demonstrates the effectiveness of allocating nomination spots to address regional labour shortages in attracting newcomers to Northern Ontario; and

WHEREAS, the Ontario Immigrant Nominee Program has been expanded from 9,750 nominees in 2022 to a goal of 21,500 nominees in 2024;

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY (town / city) COUNCIL (insert municipality name) to:

Urges the Government of Ontario to address the critical market shortage of skilled labour in Northern Ontario by allocating 3,000 Ontario Immigrant Nominee Program spots to support the region's economic growth and development.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED THAT:

Copies of this resolution be forwarded to: the Ontario Minister of Labour, Immigration, Training & Skills Development; local Members of Provincial Parliament; the Federation of Northern Ontario Municipalities; and the Thunder Bay Chamber of Commerce

REGULAR MEETING
SEPTEMBER 10, 2024

#10 (R)



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☎ 705 567-1414
☎ 705 567-1422
- Larder Lake**
1, 15 Godfrey, C. P. 149
Larder Lake (Ontario) P0K 1L0
☎ 705 643-2442
☎ 705 643-2162
- Virginiatown**
61, rue Connell, C. P. 159
Virginiatown (Ontario) P0K 1X0
☎ 705 634-2223
☎ 705 634-2180

August 6, 2024

To : Virginiatown Mayor & Council

re: Request for use of rooms; McGarry Recreational Center

Dear Mayor & Council,

Le Centre de santé communautaire du Témiskaming (CSCT) is proud to offer clinical and community services in the municipality of Virginiatown.

We much appreciate the current collaboration between the municipality and CSCT to offer community activities that aim to improve the health and wellbeing of the community.

For the coming year, we would like to continue to use the kitchen and community room (XYZ) for a Lunch and Learn activity. The sessions are facilitated by a dietitian and a community worker, with the goal of reducing food insecurity and improving cooking skills. Participants cook and enjoy a healthy meal together and discuss various topics related to healthy eating and nutrition. Participants greatly appreciate this concept and wish to continue in the same way. As always, we make sure to leave the facility impeccable.

The activity takes place 1/month and is offered free of charge to the community. We suggest the following dates (Tuesdays):

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| <input type="radio"/> October 8, 2024 | <input type="radio"/> March 25 |
| <input type="radio"/> November 12 | <input type="radio"/> April 22 |
| <input type="radio"/> December 10 | <input type="radio"/> May 20 |
| <input type="radio"/> January 21, 2025 | <input type="radio"/> June 10 |
| <input type="radio"/> February 18 | |

It would be ideal to have access from 9:30 am until 2:30 pm.

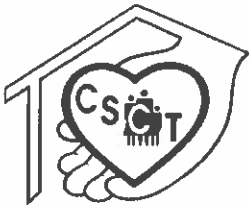
A partnership between various organizations makes it possible to work together for the wellbeing of the community.

A response as soon as possible would be appreciated. You can contact Marie-Lyne Plouffe or Carole Godmaire at 705-567-1414.

Best regards,

Jocelyne Maxwell
Executive Director

*Vaut mieux prévenir
que guérir...*



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*Vaut mieux prévenir
que guérir...*

Le 6 août 2024

Attention : Conseil municipal de Virginiatown

Sujet : demande d'utilisation de salle; centre récréatif McGarry

Chers mairesse et membres du conseil,

Le Centre de santé communautaire du Témiskaming (CSCT) est fier d'offrir des services cliniques et communautaires dans la municipalité de Virginiatown.

Nous apprécions grandement la collaboration actuelle entre la municipalité de Virginiatown et le CSCT afin d'offrir des activités communautaires qui visent le bien-être de la communauté.

Pour l'année à venir, nous aimerions pouvoir continuer à utiliser la cuisine et la salle communautaire (XYZ) pour notre activité de diner causerie. Les sessions sont animées par une diététiste et une travailleuse communautaire, dans le but de réduire l'insécurité alimentaire et améliorer les habiletés culinaires. Les participants ont la chance de cuisiner et déguster ensemble un repas santé en plus de discuter de différents sujets concernant l'alimentation saine et la nutrition. Les participants apprécient grandement ce concept et souhaite poursuivre de la même façon. Comme toujours, nous nous assurons de remettre les lieux impeccables.

L'activité a lieu une fois par mois et est offerte gratuitement à l'ensemble de la communauté. Nous proposons les dates suivantes (mardis):

- | | |
|---------------------------------------|--------------------------------|
| <input type="radio"/> 8 octobre 2024 | <input type="radio"/> 25 mars |
| <input type="radio"/> 12 novembre | <input type="radio"/> 22 avril |
| <input type="radio"/> 10 décembre | <input type="radio"/> 20 mai |
| <input type="radio"/> 21 janvier 2025 | <input type="radio"/> 10 juin |
| <input type="radio"/> 18 février | |

Il serait idéal d'avoir accès dès 9h30 et ce jusqu'à 14h30.

Un partenariat entre les différents organismes permet de travailler ensemble pour le bien-être de la communauté.

Une réponse dans les plus brefs délais serait appréciée. Vous pouvez contacter Marie-Lyne Plouffe ou Carole Godmaire au 705-567-1414.

Cordialement,

Jocelyne Maxwell
Directrice générale



#10 (S)

Karine Pelletier <kpelletier@mcgarry.ca>

Reservation for Community Centre

1 message

Ashley Pascoe <pascoea@timiskaminghu.com>
To: Karine Pelletier <kpelletier@mcgarry.ca>

Tue, Aug 13, 2024 at 1:39 PM

Hi Karine,

Hard to believe but it's already that time of year again we are looking to reserve space for our annual Influenza/Covid clinics. We are hoping that the Community Centre would be available on Oct 15th and 28th 9am-2pm both days if possible?

Thank you,

Ashley Pascoe, RPN (she/her)

Program Assistant

Timiskaming Health Unit

247 Whitewood Avenue, Unit 43

P.O. Box 1090

New Liskeard, ON P0J 1P0

Tel: 705-647-4305 ext: 2260

Toll Free: 1-866-747-4305

Fax: 705-647-5779



Prepared By: The Ontario Clean Water Agency

Prepared for: The Township of McGarry

SYSTEM OVERVIEW

April 1 to June 30, 2024

REVISED

HIGHLIGHTS

Virginiatown-Kearns Drinking Water System

- Looking at the Langelier Index, which is an indicator of corrosivity, through jar testing which will guide process changes at the plant. We have recommended they install a corrosion control system in order to reduce the negative impacts to infrastructure. Adjusting the pH of the water could save the township a significant amount of money and time in water main repairs and replacement. OCWA is compiling information to provide to the Township

McGarry Wastewater Treatment Lagoon

- No significant issues

CAPITAL PLAN PROGRESS

The list of approved capital expenditures for 2024 was provided by the Township. Approved items are in the planning stages if not already underway.

Status of capital work completed in 2024.

CAPITAL WORK – WATER TREATMENT SYSTEM	STATUS
Minor capital Non-routine sampling 2023 Tower pumphouse comm failure	Billed in May

CAPITAL WORK - WASTEWATER LAGOON SYSTEM	STATUS
Minor capital Pro-mag flow meter Rebuild jockey pump and keep as spare	Billed in May

INCIDENTS

Virginiatown DWS:

- April 9 Loss of pressure to 27th Street during planned repair of service line; MOH issued a BWA which was lifted on April 11
 AWQI 164763

McGarry Lagoon:

- APRIL 12 Connel Ave – overflow due to heavy rain
 April 12 at 05:28 to April 13 at 11:40 (30 hrs)
 SAC Ref 1-5OGUB3
- APRIL 12 Kearns SPS spill due to heavy rain
 SAC Ref 1-5P9Y80
 April 12 at 11:05 to April 16 at 11:53 (96h 48 m)
- APRIL 2024 Event # 1-7PWRMU- Total Phosphorous Loading – April average loading is 0.682 kg/d,
 which exceeds the average limit of 0.6 kg/d
 The high loading value is attributed to high average flows of 2,969 m³.

COMPLAINTS

No complaints were documented this quarter.

CALL-OUT SUMMARY

Number of Call-outs this Quarter:	2
Total Call-outs to Date (2024):	2
Annual Call-out Allowance:	8
Details of the Call-outs:	Refer to Appendix A for a call-out summary.

Note: Not all call backs are billed to the Owner; depends on the nature of the call.

REGULATORY

Inspections

- There were no regulatory inspections during the quarter

Quality & Environmental Management System (QEMS)

- There were no audits during the reporting period

Sampling, Testing and Monitoring

- Refer to Appendix A for Quarterly Data Summaries.

Reporting

- No reporting was required this quarter.

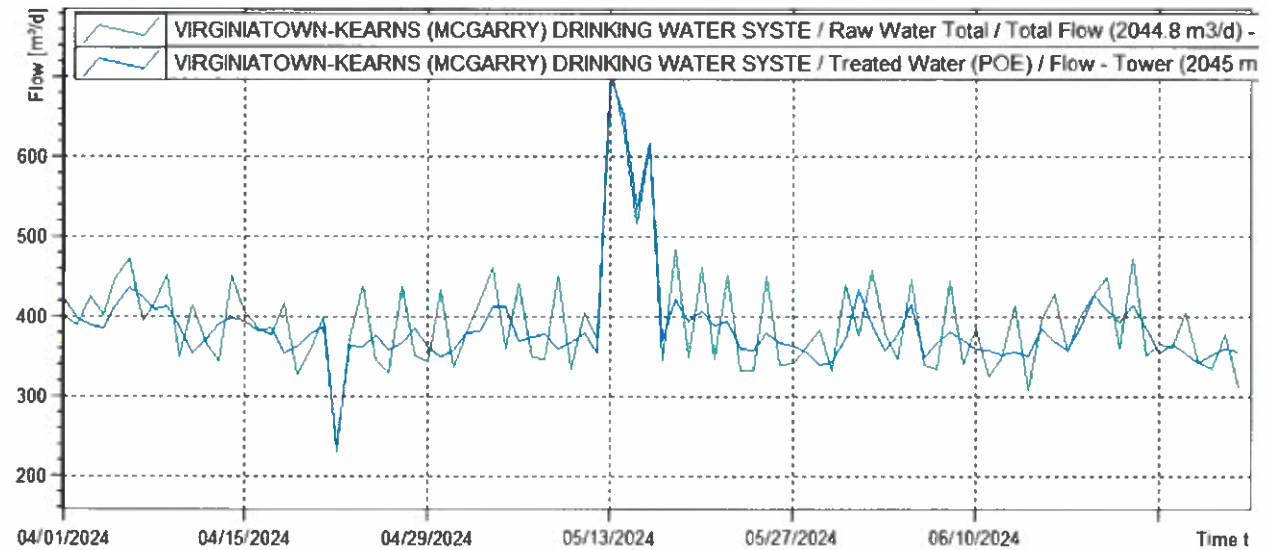
FLOW SUMMARIES

Viriniatown-Kearns Water Treatment Plant (Tower Flows)

	Total Raw Flows (m ³)	Total Treated Flows (m ³)	Average Daily Treated Flow (m ³ /d)	Maximum Treated Flow (m ³ /d)
April	11677	11391	379	436.4
May	12884	12644	407.88	697
June	11389	11236	374.56	434
Compliance	-	-	-	2,045

Raw Flow versus Treated Flow

April 1 to June 30, 2024



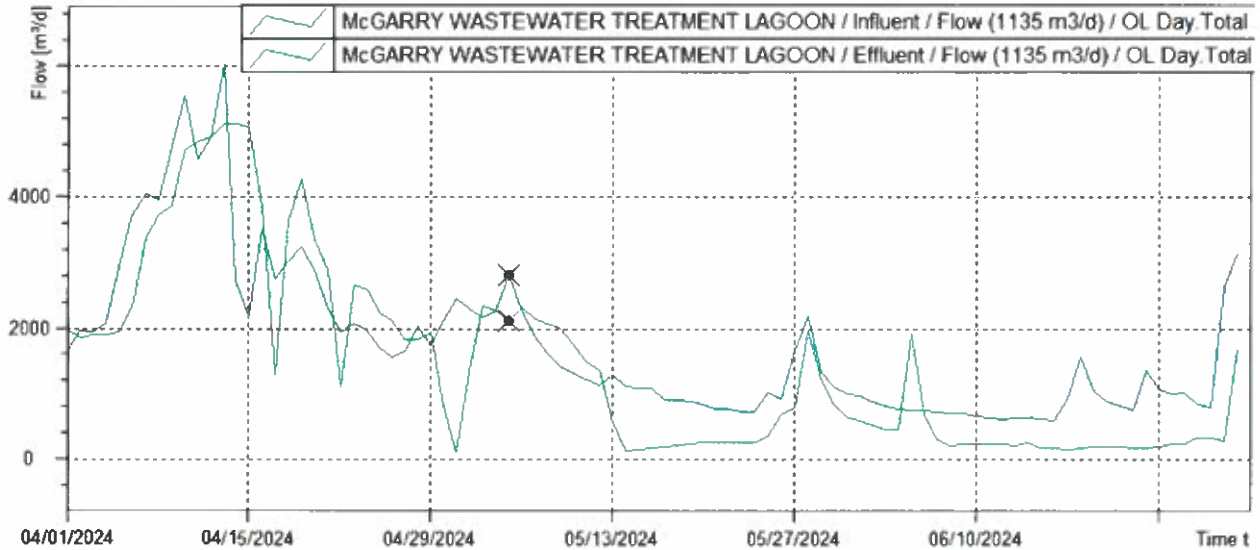
McGarry Lagoon

Year	Total Effluent Flow (m ³)	Total Influent Flow (m ³)	Maximum Influent Flow (m ³ /d)	Average Daily Influent Flow (m ³ /d)
April	89,057	87,572	6,034	2,919
May	31,094	43,502	2,811	1,403
June	11,772	29,657	3,144	988
Compliance	-	-	-	1,135



Influent Flow versus Effluent Flow

April 1 to June 30, 2024



HEALTH AND SAFETY

- All safety equipment at the plant was checked monthly to ensure that they are in good working order.
- Health and Safety Training/Sessions completed this quarter include:
 - ✓ Hoisting and Rigging
 - ✓ Facility Emergency Plan
 - ✓ Environmental Hazards



APPENDIX A
Call Out Summary

Work Order Call Back Details Report

3901705: ALARM - High level SPILL @ Kearns SPS 1022

Asset: 0000115827 METER LEVEL PS

Location: 1022-WLVT-P-PC 1022, V Town Pumping Station, Process, Process Controls

Page Time:	04/13/2024 10:30 AM
Arrive time:	04/13/2024 11:00 AM
Leave time:	04/13/2024 03:00 PM
Finish Time:	04/13/2024 03:00 PM
Report Date:	4/14/24
Reported By:	Steven Gerl
Supervisor:	

Site:	OCWASITE
Priority:	5
Work Type:	CALL
Status:	CLOSE
Classification:	COMPLIANCE
GL Account:	MCGARY:1022-210M

Actual Labor	Task ID	Craft	Labor	Regular Hours	Premium Hours
	OPERATOR		Steven Gerl	00:00	04:00

Log	Date	Created By	Description
	4/14/24	Steven Gerl	ALARM - High level SPILL @ Kearns SPS 1022
<p>found the collection system surcharged. Had to turn off Raw pumps at Kearns SPS; This caused a SPILL into bear creek Sample/ Chlorinate and call MOH and SAC</p>			



Work Order Call Back Details Report

4050620: Virginiatown-Kearns DWS - AWQI 165682 - 5085

Asset: Location: 5085-WTMG 5085, McGarry WTP Pump House

Page Time:	07/21/2024 07:45 PM
Arrive time:	07/21/2024 08:00 PM
Leave time:	07/21/2024 08:30 PM
Finish Time:	07/21/2024 08:30 PM
Report Date:	7/22/24
Reported By:	Iлона Bruneau
Supervisor:	

Site:	OCWASITE
Priority:	5
Work Type:	CALL
Status:	COMP
Classification	COMPLIANCE
GL Account:	MCGARY5085-210M

Actual Labor	Task ID	Labor	Craft	Regular Hours	Premium Hours
		Iлона Bruneau	PCT	00:00	04:00

Log	Date	Created By	Description
	7/22/24	Iлона Bruneau	Virginiatown-Kearns DWS - AWQI 165682 - 5085

Received a call from Testmark Labs regarding a adverse results on a sample collected at 3 - 27th Street. Notified the MOH, SAC, ORO and Public Works. Prepared the AWQI Notification Form (2A) and submit within 24 hours.



APPENDIX B
Quarterly Data Summaries

VIRGINIATOWN-KEARNS (McGarry) DRINKING WATER SYSTEM

Quarterly Data Report

Q1: April 1 to June 30, 2024



Virginiatown-Kearns Drinking Water System	April	May	June	Compliance
Flows				
Total Raw Flow - Max. Daily Volume	472	713	472	Max. = 2044.8
Well 1 Flow - Maximum Daily Volume	472	710	472	Max. = 2044.8
Well 1 Flow - Maximum Flow Rate	1335	1387	1354	Max. = 1420
Well 2 Flow - Maximum Daily Volume	125	109	130	Max. = 1500
Well 2 Flow - Maximum Flow Rate	1094	1105	1182	Max. = 1105
Tower Flow - Maximum Daily Volume	20.58	36.06	9.18	Max. = 2045
Raw Water				
Well 1 Total Coliforms - Maximum	0	0	0	N/A
Well 1 <i>E.coli</i> - Maximum	0	0	0	N/A
Well 2 Total Coliforms - Maximum	0	0	0	N/A
Well 2 <i>E.coli</i> - Maximum	0	0	0	N/A
Well 1 Turbidity - Maximum	0.23	0.3	0.53	N/A
Well 2 Turbidity - Maximum	0.71	1.59	4.59	N/A
Treated Water				
Free Chlorine Residual - Minimum	0.93	0.52	0.52	Min. = 0.10 (CT) ¹
Total Coliforms - Maximum	0	0	0	Max. = 0
<i>E. coli</i> - Maximum	0	0	0	Max. = 0
Nitrate	0.06	-	-	Max. = 10
Nitrite	<0.05	-	-	Max. = 1
Distribution Water				
Free Chlorine Residual - Minimum	0.75	0.37	0.74	Min. = 0.05
Total Coliforms - Maximum	0	0	0	Max. = 0
<i>E.coli</i> - Maximum	0	0	0	Max. = 0
Trihalomethanes (THMs)	2.6	-	-	Max. = 100 µg/L ²

VIRGINIATOWN-KEARNS (McGarry) DRINKING WATER SYSTEM

Quarterly Data Report

Q1: April 1 to June 30, 2024



Distribution Water	January	February	March	
Haloacetic Acids (HAAs)	< 8	-	-	Max. = 80 µg/L ³
Lead – Maximum	2025/26	-	-	Max. = 10 µg/L ⁴
Alkalinity - Maximum	67 – 68	-	-	N/A ⁵

Notes:

- 1 CT is the concentration of chlorine in the water times the time of contact that the chlorine has with the water. It is used to demonstrate the level of disinfection treatment in the water. CT calculations are performed for the Virginiatown-Kearns water plant if the free chlorine residual level drops below 0.10 mg/L to ensure primary disinfection is achieved. Primary disinfection was achieved this quarter.
- 2 Maximum Allowable Concentration (MAC) for Trihalomethanes (THMs) = 100 ug/L (Four Quarter Running Average).
- 3 Maximum Allowable Concentration (MAC) for Haloacetic Acids (HAAs) = 80 ug/L (Four Quarter Running Average).
- 4 Lead testing required every 3 years.
- 5 Alkalinity testing required twice per year. Sampling is done in March/April and September/October of each year.

McGARRY WASTEWATER SYSTEM

Quarterly Data Report

Q1: April 1 to June 30, 2024



Ontario Clean Water Agency
Agence Ontarienne Des Eaux

McGarry Waste Water System	April	May	June	Compliance
Flows				
Influent – Average Daily Flow	2919	1403	988	Average = 1135
Influent – Maximum Daily Flow	6034	2811	3144	N/A
Effluent – Average Daily Flow	2968	1003	392	Average = 1135
Effluent – Maximum Daily Flow	5113	2340	1921	N/A
Influent				
BOD ₅ – Average	9.1	1.9	5.2	N/A
Total Kjeldahl Nitrogen (TKN) – Average	3.2	0.6	8.6	N/A
Total Phosphorus (TP) – Average	0.394	0.317	1.97	N/A
Total Suspended Solids (TSS) – Average	1	4.5	87	N/A
Effluent				
cBOD ₅ – Average	0.9	2.3	7.125	Monthly Average = 25
cBOD ₅ Loading	2.67	2.30	2.79	Monthly Average = 28.4
TSS – Average	< 1.4	< 8.75	< 6.25	Monthly Average = 25
TSS Loading	< 4.15	< 8.77	< 2.45	Monthly Average = 28.4
TP – Average	0.394	0.317	1.97	Monthly Average = 0.5
TP Loading	0.68	0.322	0.16	Monthly Average = 0.6
Total Ammonia Nitrogen (TAN) – Average	0.262	< 0.075	0.493	Monthly Average = 5
TAN Loading	0.778	< 0.075	0.193	Monthly Average = 5.7

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August 19, 2024

Township of McGarry
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Council members,

The members of l'Union Culturelle des Franco-Ontariennes of Virginiatown would like to hold a monthly bingo for the community.

This event will be on Sunday afternoons on September 29th, November 3rd and on December 1st, 2024, from 13h till 15h30.

We kindly ask you if it would be possible to use the meeting room free of charge. This would be extremely helpful to our group if we were able to do so. We will be giving 10% of the profits back to the McGarry Christmas Food Hampers.

We do hope for positive feedback from you.

Yours sincerely,

Paulette Pâquet
President



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Karine Pelletier <kpelletier@mcgarry.ca>

FW: UCFO rent

1 message

mjensen@mcgarry.ca <mjensen@mcgarry.ca>
To: Karine Pelletier <kpelletier@mcgarry.ca>

Tue, Sep 3, 2024 at 8:10 AM

-----Original Message-----

From: noreply@mcgarry.ca <noreply@mcgarry.ca> On Behalf Of Sylvia Fenton
Sent: Sunday, September 1, 2024 1:27 AM
To: mjensen@mcgarry.ca
Subject: UCFO rent

Mme Karine Pelletier, Reeve and members of. Council,

The present group L'Unuion Culturelle des Franco-Ontariennes of Virginiatown wish to enquire why we are required to pay a monthly rent while the XYZ Club do not?

The UCFO is a group of mostly senior women who socialize, strive to perfect and teach the craft of weaving. We have expanded an invitation to all women, French and English speaking of the community to come try their hand at weaving.

It is our goal to ensure weaving does not become a lost craft by sharing and teaching this art so that it can be passed on to generations

We are a long standing non profit group of 45 years in the community and would hope to be afforded the same rent free accommodation as the XYZ.

Respectfully submitted,

On behalf of Paulette Paquet, President U.C.F.O.
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Sylvia Fenton
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Karine Pelletier <kpelletier@mcgarry.ca>

UCFO Rent

1 message

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Sun, Sep 1, 2024 at 1:30 AM

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