

ENVIRONMENT-RECREATION-PROPERTY COMMITTEE REPORT

Friday, February 9, 2007

Report respectfully presented to Council from the ERP Committee meeting held as a Committee of the Whole on Friday, February 9, 2007, in Council Chambers at 2:26 p.m.

The following were present:

Chairperson- Councillor Jim Gibson
Councillor - Jean Charron
Councillor – Robert Reid

Reeve - Tammy-Lea Sonnenburg
Councillor – Dave Foote

- 1 CBO
 - a) Report
 - b) Pool by-law update from CBO. Discussed merits/challenges with pool by-law include enforcement issues. Decided that due to the fact that we are a rural municipality with sparsely populated area that a pool by-law is not required.
 - c) Comments from last meeting – discussed inspection of out-door wood furnaces. This is not a duty of the CBO. The unit itself would have to be CSA approved. The internal water lines would need to be inspected but then you are inspecting from a plumbing perspective not heating, as there is no internal heat source.
- 2 Disposal Site Reports – reviewed, no outstanding issues.
 - a) Monthly report
 - b) Daily use report
 - c) 2005-2006 comparisons
- 3 Unfinished Business
 - a) Gas Tax funds and Accessibility Plan – hall entrance door, washroom changes
 - b) Change in Title from Reeve to Mayor – Clerk to continue to determine why the change may be necessary
- 4 New Business
 - a) Pat Stewart request to purchase garbage bin
 - b) Draft Hall rental contract – Council has requested that this contract be brought up at next Council meeting after members have had time to review it.

Comments - Compensation for Reeve and Council – will bring to next committee meeting

RECOMMENDATIONS

1. That the Township does not proceed with a pool by-law.
2. That the main hall entrance door and all faucets in the washrooms and kitchen be replaced with those that meet accessibility requirements using the gas tax funding.
3. That Pat Stewart be allowed purchase the metal garbage container for a fee acceptable to him.

Meeting adjourned at 3:00 pm.

Chairperson – Councillor Gibson

Clerk – Melinda Reith