

**The Corporation of the City of Kawartha Lakes**  
**Minutes**  
**Waste Management Advisory Committee Meeting**

2019-04  
Monday, June 17, 2019  
1:00 P.M.  
Weldon Room  
City Hall  
26 Francis Street, Lindsay, Ontario K9V 5R8

**Members:**  
**Councillor Ron Ashmore**  
**Councillor Emmett Yeo**  
**Councillor Andrew Veale**  
**Brian S. Junkin**  
**Chris Appleton**

**Accessible formats and communication supports are available upon request.**

**1. Call to Order**

Brian Junkin called the meeting to order at 1:04pm. Councillor Ashmore, Councillor Veale, Councillor Yeo, Chris Appleton, Kerri Snoddy, and David Kerr were in attendance.

**2. Adoption of Agenda**

**Moved By** Councillor Yeo

**Seconded By** Councillor Veale

Resolved that the agenda be adopted as circulated.

**Carried**

**3. Disclosures of Pecuniary Interest**

None.

#### 4. **Approval of the Minutes**

**Moved By** Councillor Ashmore

**Seconded By** Councillor Yeo

Resolved that the minutes of the Waste Management Advisory Committee meeting held on Wednesday May 8, 2019 be adopted as circulated.

**Carried**

#### 5. **New Business**

##### 5.1 Public Education

Staff spoke about current initiatives that the City is working on to increase public education on waste management and recycling. One of these is an upcoming press release on what happens to recycling after it leaves the curb which includes an educational video that the City has created in partnership with the City of Peterborough, County of Peterborough, and CHEX TV. Staff also spoke about how through the Waste Strategy Update one of the goals will be to create a public education strategy in 2020 which will outline all of the resources that staff will need to improve public education. The committee would like to see a one page poster included in the tax insert each year which has pictures of items that are recyclable and not recyclable.

**Moved By** Councillor Yeo

**Seconded By** Chris Appleton

Resolved that the update on public education be received as presented.

**Carried**

##### 5.2 Update on Styrofoam and single use plastic Research

Staff provided an update on progress that has been made in researching the possibility of a Styrofoam and single use plastics ban in the City of Kawartha Lakes. Staff have been working with the Kawartha Lakes Environmental Advisory Committee to contact other municipalities to find out what steps have been taken in other areas. Staff also attended a Chamber of Commerce meeting and has sent out questionnaires to local businesses to ask for feedback on how a ban like this would effect them. A report will go to council in Q4 this year with the findings and recommendations.

The committee voiced that a ban like this would need to be at least province or country wide for it to work and that a starting point could be more education for the businesses on how to reduce single use plastics and Styrofoam.

**Moved By** Councillor Ashmore

**Seconded By** Councillor Veale

Resolved that the update on Styrofoam and single use plastics research be received as presented.

**Carried**

### 5.3 Waste Strategy Exercise

Staff provided an update on goals that may be pursued through the Strategy Update this year. Once public feedback is acquired through the survey and public meeting the goals will be finalized.

**Moved By** Councillor Veale

**Seconded By** Councillor Yeo

Resolved that the Waste Strategy exercise information be received as presented.

**Carried**

## 6. Other New Business

### 6.1 Round Table

No items brought forward.

## 7. Adjournment

**Moved By** Councillor Ashmore

**Seconded By** Chris Appleton

Resolved that the Waste Management Advisory Committee Meeting adjourn at 2:30pm.

**Carried**