

# The Corporation of the City of Kawartha Lakes

## Minutes

### Waste Management Advisory Committee Meeting

2019-08  
 Monday, October 21, 2019  
 1:00 P.M.  
 Weldon Room  
 City Hall  
 26 Francis Street, Lindsay, Ontario K9V 5R8

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

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**1. Call to Order**

Brian S Junkin called the meeting to order at 1:04pm. Councillor Ashmore, Councillor Veale and Chris Appleton were also in attendance.

**2. Adoption of Agenda**

**Moved By** Councillor Veale  
**Seconded By** Chris Appleton

Resolved that the agenda be adopted as circulated.

**Carried**

**3. Disclosures of Pecuniary Interest**

None.

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

**Moved By** Chris Appleton

**Seconded By** Councillor Veale

Resolved that the minutes be adopted with changes as amended.

**Carried**

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

##### 5.1. Integrated Waste Management Strategy Update Second Draft

Staff explained the changes made to the Integrated Waste Management Strategy Update Second Draft. The committee recommended including additional wording to explain the general auditing statistics. The committee inquired to see if more auditing would be done in 2020 with the aim to get a clearer picture of our diversion statistics as a Municipality. Staff reported that they have a plan to conduct more auditing in 2020, and plan on utilizing summer students and the existing community partnership with Fleming College and the Waste Management program.

**Moved By** Councillor Andrew Veale

**Seconded By** Chris Appleton

Resolved that the overview of the Integrated Waste Management Strategy Update Second Draft be received as presented.

**Carried**

##### 5.2. Update on Construction and Demolition Recycling Pilot

Staff presented a memorandum to the committee with diversion statistics from several Construction and Demolition programs available at the Lindsay and Fenelon Landfills. Highlights include 40.29 tonnes of clean wood waste being diverted from the Lindsay Ops Landfill and 21 tonnes of drywall diverted from Lindsay Ops and Fenelon Landfills. Staff reviewed the possibility of offering a carpet recycling program, however operational challenges were reported with additional need for more manpower and storage space to ensure the carpets meet the collection standards (must be rolled and dry). The committee recommended considering looking at the tipping fees and reductions for separation of loads stating that incentives or penalties draw a good response from the public.

**Moved By** Councillor Andrew Veale

**Seconded By** Chris Appleton

Resolved that the Committee receive the update on the Construction and Demolition Recycling Pilot program as presented.

**Carried**

### 5.3 Update on Single-Use Plastics and Styrofoam Voluntary Ban

Staff reported to the committee regarding the concern that senior management had on the feasibility of enforcing a full ban on styrofoam and single use plastic. Staff reported that the consensus from senior management would be that they would prefer to ease into the voluntary commitment rather than spearhead a full ban on those products at this time.

## 6. Other New Business

### 6.1 Round Table

The Committee discussed a variety of methods of future municipal waste options including the possibility of incineration and anaerobic composting which are being used in surrounding municipalities.

**Moved By** Councillor Ashmore

**Seconded By** Councillor Veale

Resolved that the Committee thanks Heather Dzurko for her years of service as she leaves the City of Kawartha Lakes to pursue other career endeavors.

**Carried**

## 7. Adjournment

**Moved By** Councillor Veale

**Seconded By** Councillor Ashmore

Resolved that the Waste Management Advisory Committee meeting adjourn at 1:52pm.

**Carried**