

## Committee Work Plan Tool

**Committee Name:** Agricultural Development Advisory Committee

**Work Plan Review for Year: 2022**

Goal	Accomplishments	Measurement for Success
1. Review and advise Council and Ec Dev on matters related to agricultural industry to improve economic environment of the agricultural sector and prosperity of the rural areas	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>a) Reviewed a letter of concern from the Kawartha Lakes Haliburton Federation of Agriculture regarding Wild Parsnip.</li> <li>b) Supported the Spotlight on Agriculture Awards and provided nomination for the Excellence in Agriculture Award.</li> <li>c) Received concerns regarding aerial spraying and confirmed these to be Normal Farm Practices and that educational information provided during the Annual VIP Tour for staff, councillors and candidates, and a presentation for producers be provided by the aerial spraying company that conducted aerial spraying in Manilla in 2022.</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>a) Provided information to the committee and the Federation of Agriculture committee regarding the roadside spraying program to respond to reports of noxious weeds.</li> <li>b) Council supported the Spotlight on Agriculture by sponsoring nomination, and purchasing a table of 10 for the gala event.</li> <li>c) Raise awareness with producers considering aerial spraying and provide information to council and staff regarding spray operations.</li> </ul>
2. Arrange VIP Agricultural Tour, to allow for education and open dialogue in context of modern farming and agri-business.	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>a) VIP Tour held during the third week of September for staff, council members and candidates, with approximately 70 people attending. Three stops included Ron's Bearings, Loka Holsteins, and Victoria County Grains.</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>1. Agricultural education and awareness opportunities maintained for council members, staff and community agencies.</li> </ul>
3. ADAC Members Participate at East Central Farm Show Booth with Ec Dev to increase visibility access to ADAC	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>a) East Central Farm Show was held in early April due to pandemic restrictions delaying the event. Committee members participated in the booth to interact with local farmers and agri-business.</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>a) Visibility for ADAC members at the Farm Show, and increased engagement surrounding agricultural issues.</li> </ul>

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4. ADAC to actively participate in the development of the Comprehensive Rural Zoning By-law	5. Received presentations and provided feedback regarding the development of the Rural Zoning By-law.	a) Comments provided for the first draft of the Rural Zoning By-law.