



Municipality of West Elgin

Minutes

Recreation Committee

May 18, 2022, 7:00 p.m.

West Elgin Community Complex - Hybrid Meeting

160 Main Street

West Lorne

Electronic Hybrid Meeting

Present: K. Neil, Chair
Councillor A. Cammaert
Councillor T. Tellier
Nicole Campbell
Cindy da Costa
Megan Bartlett

Regrets: Destiny Vickers

Staff Present: Emily Jocius

1. Call to Order

Chair Ken Neil called the meeting to order at 7:18p.m.

2. Adoption of Agenda

Moved: Cindy da Costa

Seconded: Councillor Tellier

That West Elgin Recreation Committee hereby adopts the agenda as circulated.

Carried

3. Disclosure of Pecuniary Interest

No disclosures

4. Minutes

Moved: Councillor Tellier

Seconded: Cindy da Costa

That the West Elgin Recreation Committee adopts the minutes of April 20, 2022 as printed and circulated.

Carried

5. Business Arising from Minutes

No business arising from the minutes.

6. Staff Reports

6.1 Canada Day Update 2022

Emily Jocius, Operations and Community Services Coordinators gave the committee an update on current plans for Canada day.

The West Lorne Optimist and Rodney Lions food truck confirmed their attendance for the event. Staff are working on securing craft supplies and picnic games for the event.

Councilor Cammaert brought forth an inquiry from a parent on West Lorne Minor Hockey. The board further discussed that youth sports and organizations should be showcased at a separate event as tying it into Canada Day would take away from the recognition that the sports clubs and organizations deserve.

Moved: Councillor Cammaert

Seconded: Cindy da Costa

That West Elgin Recreation Committee hereby receives the report from Emily Jocius, Operations and Community Services Coordinator for information.

Councilor Cammaert made a motion to support and recognize youth sports and organizations in the community as a separate event.

Carried

6.2 Mental Health Resource Week Recap

E.Jocius provided the committee with an update on the Mental Health Resource week. The committee liked the suggestion made by staff to condense the event and make it one large show case.

That West Elgin Recreation Committee received the report from Emily Jocius, Operations and Community Services Coordinator for information purposes.

6.3 Operational Update

E. Jocius, provided the committee with an update on current recreational opportunities in the community. Staff proposed a sponsored lawn bowling night and the committee directed staff to come back with additional information on the sponsored night.

Moved: Councillor Tellier

Seconded: Councillor Cammaert

That West Elgin Recreation Committee hereby receives the report from Emily Jocius, Operations and Community Services Coordinator.

The West Elgin Recreation Committee hereby direct staff to bring additional information forth to the next committee meeting.

Carried

6.4 Recreational Inquires

E, Jocius provided the committee with recreational inquiries from the community. The committee directed staff to move forward with programming as scheduled and include the mile markers and other large items in the 2023 budget. The committee also directed staff to move forward with planning a roller skating night for the 2022 recreational calendar. Staff is to report back with the event.

That West Elgin Recreation Committee received the report from Emily Jocius, Operations and Community Services Coordinator for information purposes.

7. Adjournment

Moved: Cindy da Costa

Seconded: Councillor Tellier

That West Elgin Recreation Committee hereby adjourn at 8:27 p.m. to meet again on June 15, 2022 at 7:00 p.m.

Carried

Ken Neil, Chair

Emily Jocius, Recording Secretary