



TOWNSHIP OF ASSIGINACK

REGULAR MEETING OF COUNCIL

**To Be Held in the Council Chambers
Tuesday, June 21, 2016 at 5:00 p.m.**

Council's Regular Meeting Agenda

For consideration:

1. OPENING

- a) Adoption of Agenda
- b) Disclosure of Pecuniary Interest and General Nature Thereof
Resolutions prepared

2. ANNOUNCEMENTS

3. ADOPTION OF MINUTES

- a) Regular Council Meeting of June 7, 2016 (p.3)
- b) Manitoulin East Municipal Airport Commission Meeting of June 6, 2016 (p.9)
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4. DELEGATIONS

5. REPORTS

6. ACTION REQUIRED ITEMS

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- b) Year to Date Financial Statements as at May 31, 2016 (p.15)
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- d) Southeast Manitoulin Lion's Club Summerfest (p.37)
- e) Lion's Club Lottery Licence Applications: 50/50 Draw, Break Open Tickets (p.40)
- f) Minimum Road Maintenance Standards
- g) Canada 150 Infrastructure Grant Application
Resolutions prepared

7. INFORMATION ITEMS

- a) Vigor Energy Production Report
- b) Township of South-West Oxford
- c) City of Hamilton
- d) Canadian Union of Postal Workers
- e) FONOM Press Release of June 14, 2016
- f) Ministry of Natural Resources: Broad Scale Monitoring Program on Lake Manitou
Resolution prepared

8. BY-LAWS

9. CLOSED SESSION

- a) The security of the property of the municipality or local board
(Municipal Act, 2001, c.25 s.239(2)(a))
Resolutions prepared

10. ADJOURNMENT

THE CORPORATION OF THE TOWNSHIP OF ASSIGINACK

MINUTES OF THE REGULAR COUNCIL MEETING

The Regular Meeting of the Council of the Corporation of the Township of Assiginack was held in the Council Chambers on Tuesday, June 7th, 2016 at 7:00 p.m.

Present: Mayor Paul Moffatt
Councillor Robert Case
Councillor Hugh Moggy
Councillor Les Fields
Councillor Brenda Reid

Staff: Alton Hobbs, CAO
Ron Cooper, PW Superintendent
Jeremy Rody, Clerk

Press: Alicia McCutcheon, Expositor

Others: Gary MacKay, P.Eng, Tulloch

OPENING:

#166-13-16 R. Case – B. Reid

THAT the Regular Meeting of the Council of the Corporation of the Township of Assiginack be opened for business with a quorum of members present at 7:00 p.m., with Mayor Moffatt presiding in the Chair.

CARRIED

AGENDA:

#167-13-16 B. Reid – R. Case

THAT the agenda for this meeting be accepted as presented.

CARRIED

DISCLOSURE OF PECUNIARY INTEREST:

Councillor Reid disclosed a direct pecuniary interest in Agenda Item 6A Payroll as her husband is an employee of the Township and Item 6B Mobile Food Service Inquiry as the applicant is a family member. She did not take part in any discussion, attempt to influence the vote or vote on the matters.

ANNOUNCEMENTS:

Councillor Fields complimented staff on putting together a new and exciting summer program that covers a variety of age groups, events and activities.

Councillor Moggy reported damage to signs at McLean's Park. He asked the contractor removing trees on Township property if they could give the Museum a quote on tree trimming. The CAO informed Council that the Curator received the quote and will coordinate with the contractor to schedule the work.

ADOPTION OF MINUTES:

#168-13-16 R. Case – B. Reid

THAT the minutes of the Regular Council meeting of May 17th, 2016, be accepted.

CARRIED

#169-13-16 B. Reid – R. Case

THAT the minutes of the Assignack Public Library Board meeting of March 21, 2016, be accepted.

CARRIED

#170-13-16 R. Case – B. Reid

THAT the Minutes of the Hilly Grove Cemetery Board meeting of May 13th, 2016, be accepted.

CARRIED

#171-13-16 B. Reid – R. Case

THAT the Minutes of the Sudbury and District Board of Health meeting of April 20th, 2016, be received.

CARRIED

#172-13-16 R. Case – B. Reid

THAT the Minutes of the Sudbury and District Board of Health meeting of May 19th, 2016, be received.

CARRIED

DELEGATIONS:

#173-13-16 B. Reid – L. Fields

THAT WHEREAS Gary MacKay, P. Eng of Tulloch Engineering and Drainage Superintendent for the Township recommends that the culverts on Birch Street be replaced this year;

AND WHEREAS the options available to the Township are a culvert replacement estimated between \$125-150,000 or a new bridge estimated at \$190-225,000;

THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED THAT Council approves a culvert replacement tender for Birch Street, and instructs the engineer to prepare the necessary document to include the following provisions: (1) culvert shall be polymer coated corrugated steel; (2) the contractor must keep one lane open to light traffic; and (3) install a guard rail system to delineate edges.

CARRIED

#174-13-16 B. Reid – R. Case

THAT we thank Gary McKay of Tulloch Engineering for attending this meeting and discussing the available options for the Birch Street culvert.

CARRIED

ACTION REQUIRED ITEMS:

#175-13-16 R. Case – B. Reid

THAT Council authorizes the following Accounts for Payment:

General: \$241,552.58

AND THAT the Mayor and administration be authorized to complete cheques #25553 through #25580, #25582, and #25592 through #25622 as described in the attached cheque register reports.

CARRIED

#176-13-16 B. Reid – R. Case

THAT Council authorizes the following Accounts for Payment:

Payroll: \$59,563.29

AND THAT the Mayor and administration be authorized to complete cheques #25549 through #25552, #25581, and #25583 through #25591 as described in the attached cheque register reports.

CARRIED

#177-13-16 H. Moggy – L. Fields

THAT WHEREAS the Council or the Corporation of the Township of Assiginack does not have a formal by-law to regulate mobile food services;

AND WHEREAS Council has allowed mobile food service businesses to operate on commercial properties in the past;

NOW THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED THAT Council has no objection to the operation of a Belgian Waffle mobile food service by Tammy Reynolds on her residential property located at 96 Queen Street in Manitowaning subject to her receiving all of the necessary Health Unit requirements and certifications.

CARRIED

#178-13-16 L. Fields – H. Moggy

THAT WHEREAS the collective waste diversion statistics of the Township are well below the provincial average and waste disposal statistics are much higher than the provincial average;

THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED THAT Council authorizes staff to draft a tipping fee's schedule for waste, designed to encourage full use of all waste diversion options currently available and a proposal for implementation.

CARRIED

#179-13-16 L. Fields – H. Moggy

THAT Council appoints John Pennie to the Assiginack Museum Advisory Committee.

CARRIED

#180-13-16 H. Moggy – L. Fields

THAT Assiginack Council supports the following Resolution from the City of Timmins regarding the regulation of fuel prices in Ontario:

WHEREAS the price of fuel is critical to the day to day cost of living for all residents of Ontario;

AND WHEREAS the price of fuel plays a large role in establishing a competitive business climate;

AND WHEREAS some regions in Ontario have consistently experienced higher fuel costs that go beyond the cost difference of transporting fuel;

AND WHEREAS the fuel sales industry is quick to raise prices as the price of oil increases but fuel prices do not adjust as quickly when the price of oil decreases;

AND WHEREAS history has shown that fuel prices increase for long weekends and holidays;

AND WHEREAS the Province of Ontario has the ability to regulate fuel prices;

NOW THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED THAT Council for the City of Timmins hereby petitions the Government of Ontario to regulate fuel prices to the levels that are affordable and profitable as in jurisdictions within Ontario that have lower fuel prices;

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED THAT this resolution and the background information are forwarded for support to all Municipalities in Ontario;

AND FURTHER THAT all resolutions of support are returned to the City of Timmins for submission to the Premier of Ontario, the Minister of Finance, the Association of Municipalities of Ontario, Timmins-James Bay MPP Gilles Bisson and the Ontario Good Roads Association.

CARRIED

#181-13-16 L. Fields – H. Moggy

THAT WHEREAS Ontario Regulation 453/07 requires the owner of a drinking water system to complete a Financial Plan for the system;

AND WHEREAS the plan must be approved by resolution indicating that the water system is financially viable;

AND WHEREAS this report is to be given to the Ministry of Municipal Affairs and Housing;

AND WHEREAS we received our most recent report on March 15, 2016 and it indicates that our system is not financially sustainable;

NOW THEREFORE THAT we petition the Ministry of Municipal Affairs and Housing and the Ministry of the Environment and Climate Change for direction as we cannot satisfy the regulation requirement regarding financial sustainability.

CARRIED

INFORMATION ITEMS:

#182-13-16 H. Moggy – L. Fields

THAT we acknowledge receipt of the following correspondence items:

- a) Canada 150 Community Infrastructure Program Northern Ontario
- b) Township of North Wellington
- c) Fort McMurray Resolutions of Support
- d) Manitoulin Planning Board: Notice of Public Meeting
- e) Ontario Good Roads Association
- f) Rural Ontario Municipal Association
- g) Town of Latchford
- h) Blue Sky Economic Growth Corporation

CARRIED

BY-LAWS:

#183-13-16 L. Fields – H. Moggy

THAT By-law #16-07, being a by-law to amend By-law #14-02 being a by-law to establish a Municipal Alcohol Policy, be given its first, second, and third readings and enacted in open Council.

CARRIED

CLOSED SESSION:

#184-13-16 L. Fields – H. Moggy

THAT in accordance with By-law #15-30 and Section 239 of the Municipal Act, as amended, Council proceeds to a “Closed Session” at 7:43 p.m. in order to attend to a matter pertaining to:

- i. 239(2)(a) – The security of the property of the Municipality or Local Board

CARRIED

#185-13-16 H. Moggy – L. Fields

THAT we adjourn from our Closed Session at 7:58 p.m., approve the minutes of the Closed Session of May 17th, 2016 and resume our regular meeting.

CARRIED

CLOSING:

#186-12-16 L. Fields – H. Moggy

THAT we adjourn until the next regular meeting or call of the Chair.

CARRIED

Paul Moffatt, MAYOR

Jeremy Rody, CLERK

8:05 p.m.

These Minutes have been circulated but are not considered Official until approved by Council.

**Manitoulin East Municipal Airport Commission Inc.
Commission Meeting Minutes
June 6, 2016**

Present: M. Gauthier, D. Williamson , D. Orr, P. Skippen, B. Case, G. Dobbs

Meeting called to order by M. Gauthier at 7 PM

Declaration of pecuniary interest- nil

Motion 2016 06 31

Moved by P .Skippen

Second by B. Case

Resolved that the Commission approves the agenda for the meeting of June 6, 2016

Carried

Mntion 2016 06 32

Moved by D. Orr

Second by B. Case

Resolved that the Commission approves the minutes of the meeting of May 2, 2016

Carried.

Motion 2016 06 33

Moved by D. Orr

Second by P. Skippen

Resolved that the Commission accept the managers' report for May 2016.

Carried

Motion 2016 06 34

Moved by B. Case

Second by P. Skippen

Resolved that the Commission accept the treasurers' report for May 2016.

Carried

Mntion 2016 06 35

Moved by P. Skippen

Second by D. Orr

Resolved that the Commission approves the auditors' report for 2015.

Carried

Motion 2016 06 36

Moved by B. Case

Second by P Skippen

Resolved that the Commission submit a "letter of concern" to the appropriate parties protesting the intended download of the maintenance cost associated the airports IFR approaches by Nav Canada.

Motion 2016 06 37

Moved by P. Skippen

Second by B. Case

Resolved that the Commission meeting of June 6, does now adjourn.

Carried

Date : 13/06/2016
Time : 9:46:32 AM

The Township of Assiginack

Payment #	Amount	Date	Batch #	Employee ID	Employee Name	Status	Payment Method
0025623		13/06/2016	06/13COMB	118	COOPER, RONALD	OUTSTANDING	Cheque
0025624		13/06/2016	06/13COMB	122	HOBBS, ALTON	OUTSTANDING	Cheque
0025625		13/06/2016	06/13COMB	126	MacDONALD, DEBORAH	OUTSTANDING	Cheque
0025626		13/06/2016	06/13COMB	133	BOND, FREDA	OUTSTANDING	Cheque
0025627		13/06/2016	06/13COMB	173	QUACKENBUSH, CHRYSAL	OUTSTANDING	Cheque
431		13/06/2016	06/13COMB	106	WOOD, STEVEN	OUTSTANDING	Direct Deposit
432		13/06/2016	06/13COMB	134	VIRTANEN, ANNETTE	OUTSTANDING	Direct Deposit
433		13/06/2016	06/13COMB	140	REID, WALTER	OUTSTANDING	Direct Deposit
434		13/06/2016	06/13COMB	152	PRAIRIE, JANET	OUTSTANDING	Direct Deposit
435		13/06/2016	06/13COMB	155	BECK, WILLIAM	OUTSTANDING	Direct Deposit
436		13/06/2016	06/13COMB	163	MACDONALD, ROBERT	OUTSTANDING	Direct Deposit
437		13/06/2016	06/13COMB	164	MIDDAUGH, WAYNE	OUTSTANDING	Direct Deposit
438		13/06/2016	06/13COMB	168	STRONG, GERRY	OUTSTANDING	Direct Deposit
439		13/06/2016	06/13COMB	169	MAGUIRE, KELSEY	OUTSTANDING	Direct Deposit
440		13/06/2016	06/13COMB	186	RODY, JEREMY	OUTSTANDING	Direct Deposit
441		13/06/2016	06/13COMB	205	MOFFAT, PAUL	OUTSTANDING	Direct Deposit
442		13/06/2016	06/13COMB	206	CASE, ROBERT	OUTSTANDING	Direct Deposit
443		13/06/2016	06/13COMB	211	MOGGY, HUGH	OUTSTANDING	Direct Deposit
444		13/06/2016	06/13COMB	214	FIELDS, LESLIE	OUTSTANDING	Direct Deposit
445		13/06/2016	06/13COMB	216	REID, BRENDA	OUTSTANDING	Direct Deposit
446		13/06/2016	06/13COMB	301	ROBINSON, DEBBIE	OUTSTANDING	Direct Deposit
447		13/06/2016	06/13COMB	314	WOOD, JOAN	OUTSTANDING	Direct Deposit
448		13/06/2016	06/13COMB	322	OBRIEN, JOSEPH	OUTSTANDING	Direct Deposit
449		13/06/2016	06/13COMB	323	WHITE, JACQUELINE	OUTSTANDING	Direct Deposit

Total : \$18,978.96

The Township of Assiginack
 CHEQUE DISTRIBUTION REPORT
 Payables Management

Ranges: From: To: From: To:
 Vendor ID First Last Chequebook ID First Last
 Vendor Name First Last Cheque Number 0025628 0025666
 Cheque Date First Last

Sorted By: Cheque Number

Distribution Types Included: All

ChqNo:	0025628	Date:	13/06/2016	Vendor:	ACKLANDS GRAINGER	Amount:	\$390.21
	InvNo: 9120079059		InvDesc: fd-scba reparis			InvAmt:	\$390.21
ChqNo:	0025629	Date:	13/06/2016	Vendor:	ALLEN'S AUTOMOTIVE GROUP	Amount:	\$33.22
	InvNo: 580274		InvDesc: gas for lawnmower			InvAmt:	\$33.22
ChqNo:	0025630	Date:	13/06/2016	Vendor:	ARCHER ADVERTISING	Amount:	\$316.34
	InvNo: 6268		InvDesc: admin-windowed envelopes			InvAmt:	\$316.34
ChqNo:	0025631	Date:	13/06/2016	Vendor:	ASSIGINACK HORTICULTURAL SOCIETY	Amount:	\$1,000.00
	InvNo: 2016 DNATION		InvDesc: 2016 donation			InvAmt:	\$1,000.00
ChqNo:	0025632	Date:	13/06/2016	Vendor:	ASSIGINACK PUBLIC LIBRARY	Amount:	\$9,171.25
	InvNo: 2016 WND QTR LEVY		InvDesc: 2016 2nd qtr levy			InvAmt:	\$9,171.25
ChqNo:	0025633	Date:	13/06/2016	Vendor:	BEACON IMAGES	Amount:	\$446.35
	InvNo: 09-3508C		InvDesc: deer show-posters/rack cards			InvAmt:	\$446.35
ChqNo:	0025634	Date:	13/06/2016	Vendor:	BELL CANADA	Amount:	\$31.92
	InvNo: 2016 06 01		InvDesc: toll free line			InvAmt:	\$31.92
ChqNo:	0025635	Date:	13/06/2016	Vendor:	COMPUTREK	Amount:	\$1,396.23
	InvNo: 12966		InvDesc: may reconc. - it repairs			InvAmt:	\$1,017.00
	InvNo: 12967		InvDesc: may backup fees			InvAmt:	\$112.55
	InvNo: 12905		InvDesc: june server mgmt			InvAmt:	\$266.68
ChqNo:	0025636	Date:	13/06/2016	Vendor:	DIAMOND SOFTWARE INC.	Amount:	\$107.35
	InvNo: D25078		InvDesc: admin-reinstall (1) GP comp.			InvAmt:	\$107.35
ChqNo:	0025637	Date:	13/06/2016	Vendor:	ELWIN SHAW	Amount:	\$425.00
	InvNo: 27		InvDesc: mcleans park-porta.rental			InvAmt:	\$425.00
ChqNo:	0025638	Date:	13/06/2016	Vendor:	EXP SERVICES INC.	Amount:	\$6,959.39
	InvNo: 318805		InvDesc: forcemain review			InvAmt:	\$4,419.71
	InvNo: 318929		InvDesc: wdo datacall			InvAmt:	\$655.40
	InvNo: 318702		InvDesc: landfill expansion			InvAmt:	\$1,884.28
ChqNo:	0025639	Date:	13/06/2016	Vendor:	GERRY STRONG	Amount:	\$153.85
	InvNo: JUNE 13 2016		InvDesc: bldg insp mileage			InvAmt:	\$153.85
ChqNo:	0025640	Date:	13/06/2016	Vendor:	HYDRO ONE NETWORKS INC.	Amount:	\$11,380.99
	InvNo: JUNE 1 2016 DEPOT		InvDesc: recycling depot			InvAmt:	\$343.02
	InvNo: JUNE 1 2016 PW		InvDesc: pw			InvAmt:	\$747.23
	InvNo: MAY 27 2016 MTG WTP		InvDesc: mtg wtp			InvAmt:	\$5,981.58
	InvNo: MAY 26 2016 PW		InvDesc: pw-microfit			InvAmt:	\$6.10

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InvNo: MAY 27 2016 LAGOON InvDesc: lagoon InvAmt: \$2,234.82
 InvNo: JUNE 3 2016 OFFICE InvDesc: office InvAmt: \$319.89
 InvNo: JUNE 6 2016 InvDesc: ice plnt(actual 3 month read) InvAmt: \$1,748.35

ChqNo:	0025641	Date:	13/06/2016	Vendor:	MANITOULIN HEALTH CENTRE	Amount:	\$3,000.00
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InvNo: 2016 DONATION InvDesc: 2016 physician recruitment InvAmt: \$3,000.00

ChqNo:	0025642	Date:	13/06/2016	Vendor:	MANITOWANING MILL & HOME BUILDING CENTRE	Amount:	\$2,120.26
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InvNo: 0083542 InvDesc: arena-chairs (2015 budget) InvAmt: \$2,032.87
 InvNo: 0083553 InvDesc: arena-batteries InvAmt: \$10.72
 InvNo: 0084944 InvDesc: water barrels-paint InvAmt: \$50.82
 InvNo: 0085402 InvDesc: water barrels-paint InvAmt: \$16.94
 InvNo: 0085409 InvDesc: bwt-toilet supply tube InvAmt: \$4.01
 InvNo: 0085423 InvDesc: bwt-flex supply InvAmt: \$4.90

ChqNo:	0025643	Date:	13/06/2016	Vendor:	MANITOULIN TRANSPORT	Amount:	\$81.39
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InvNo: 22614021 InvDesc: arena-freight zamb. blades InvAmt: \$81.39

ChqNo:	0025644	Date:	13/06/2016	Vendor:	MANITOWANING FRESHMART	Amount:	\$17.84
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InvNo: 00225810 InvDesc: admin-cutlery InvAmt: \$13.85
 InvNo: 00220714 InvDesc: admin-water refill InvAmt: \$3.99

ChqNo:	0025645	Date:	13/06/2016	Vendor:	MINISTER OF FINANCE	Amount:	\$22,607.00
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InvNo: 17260516143 InvDesc: april policing costs InvAmt: \$22,607.00

ChqNo:	0025646	Date:	13/06/2016	Vendor:	MINISTER OF FINANCE	Amount:	\$2,012.52
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InvNo: MAY 2016 InvDesc: may eht remittance InvAmt: \$2,012.52

ChqNo:	0025647	Date:	13/06/2016	Vendor:	MINISTER OF FINANCE	Amount:	\$90.83
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InvNo: JUNE 13 2016 InvDesc: salary garnishment InvAmt: \$90.83

ChqNo:	0025648	Date:	13/06/2016	Vendor:	NORTHERN COMMUNICATION SERVICES INC	Amount:	\$54.33
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InvNo: 21216-06012016 InvDesc: june 911 services InvAmt: \$54.33

ChqNo:	0025649	Date:	13/06/2016	Vendor:	NORTH EASTERN MANITOULIN & THE ISLANDS	Amount:	\$280.24
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InvNo: IVC0005265 InvDesc: first aid training InvAmt: \$280.24

ChqNo:	0025650	Date:	13/06/2016	Vendor:	OMERS	Amount:	\$13,052.20
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InvNo: MAY 2016 InvDesc: may omers remittance InvAmt: \$13,052.20

ChqNo:	0025651	Date:	13/06/2016	Vendor:	ONTARIO BLUEWATER VISITORS GUIDE	Amount:	\$84.75
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InvNo: 61 InvDesc: 2016 advertising InvAmt: \$84.75

ChqNo:	0025652	Date:	13/06/2016	Vendor:	PETTY CASH	Amount:	\$181.24
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InvNo: JUNE 10 2016 InvDesc: petty cash replenishment InvAmt: \$181.24

ChqNo:	0025653	Date:	13/06/2016	Vendor:	RECEIVER GENERAL	Amount:	\$27,840.73
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InvNo: MAY 2016 InvDesc: may source deductions InvAmt: \$27,840.73

ChqNo:	0025654	Date:	13/06/2016	Vendor:	RIVERSIDE ENTERPRISES	Amount:	\$6,786.53
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InvNo: 16593 InvDesc: may recycl. transport InvAmt: \$3,123.32

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InvNo: 16594 InvDesc: empty steel bins (2) InvAmt: \$994.40
 InvNo: R10196 InvDesc: rec.depot - mattress transport InvAmt: \$2,668.81

ChqNo:	0025655	Date:	13/06/2016	Vendor:	SHAW SEPTIC SERVICES	Amount:	\$384.20
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InvNo: 160506 InvDesc: mcleans park-pump tank InvAmt: \$192.10
 InvNo: 160516 InvDesc: high falls-pump tank InvAmt: \$192.10

ChqNo:	0025656	Date:	13/06/2016	Vendor:	SUPERIOR PROPANE INC.	Amount:	\$35.60
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InvNo: 11497496 InvDesc: pw-cylinder rental InvAmt: \$11.87
 InvNo: 11497497 InvDesc: arena-cylinder rental InvAmt: \$23.73

ChqNo:	0025657	Date:	13/06/2016	Vendor:	MHC SWEET SLUMBERS CAMPAIGN	Amount:	\$1,000.00
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InvNo: 2016 DONATION InvDesc: 2016 donation InvAmt: \$1,000.00

ChqNo:	0025658	Date:	13/06/2016	Vendor:	THOMPSON ELECTRIC	Amount:	\$675.74
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InvNo: 4790 InvDesc: po-replace exterior light InvAmt: \$675.74

ChqNo:	0025659	Date:	13/06/2016	Vendor:	WAT SUPPLIES	Amount:	\$293.04
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InvNo: 136332 InvDesc: po-t.tissue/deodorizer InvAmt: \$77.00
 InvNo: 136704 InvDesc: po-mop heads InvAmt: \$67.16
 InvNo: 137472 InvDesc: library-t.tissue/p.twls InvAmt: \$148.88

ChqNo:	0025660	Date:	13/06/2016	Vendor:	WILLIAM BECK	Amount:	\$37.64
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InvNo: 702-1370242-1385052 InvDesc: marina-cash box InvAmt: \$37.64

ChqNo:	0025661	Date:	13/06/2016	Vendor:	WORKPLACE SAFETY & INSURANCE BOARD	Amount:	\$2,836.67
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InvNo: MAY 2016 InvDesc: may wsib remittance InvAmt: \$2,836.67

ChqNo:	0025662	Date:	13/06/2016	Vendor:	XEROX CANADA LTD.	Amount:	\$108.08
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InvNo: F49217380 InvDesc: copier usage InvAmt: \$108.08

ChqNo:	0025663	Date:	13/06/2016	Vendor:	BEACON IMAGES	Amount:	\$480.25
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InvNo: 09-35939C InvDesc: assiginack rack cards InvAmt: \$480.25

ChqNo:	0025664	Date:	13/06/2016	Vendor:	EASTLINK	Amount:	\$1,881.07
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InvNo: 00976397 InvDesc: mtg wtp InvAmt: \$148.87
 InvNo: 00976358 InvDesc: man streams InvAmt: \$147.22
 InvNo: 00976173 InvDesc: admin InvAmt: \$618.51
 InvNo: 00976413 InvDesc: pw InvAmt: \$204.24
 InvNo: 00976395 InvDesc: norisle (fischer fund) InvAmt: \$69.91
 InvNo: 00976371 InvDesc: fd-interconnect InvAmt: \$78.90
 InvNo: 00976385 InvDesc: fd-tel InvAmt: \$103.76
 InvNo: 00976386 InvDesc: arena InvAmt: \$130.83
 InvNo: 00976409 InvDesc: marina InvAmt: \$78.90
 InvNo: 00976412 InvDesc: bwt InvAmt: \$78.90

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InvNo: 00976374 InvDesc: info booth InvAmt: \$142.13

InvNo: 00976399 InvDesc: ss wtp InvAmt: \$78.90

ChqNo:	0025665	Date:	13/06/2016	Vendor:	MANITOULIN TRANSPORT	Amount:	\$60.20
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InvNo: 23124191 InvDesc: arena-freight zamb.blades InvAmt: \$60.20

ChqNo:	0025666	Date:	13/06/2016	Vendor:	WALTER REID	Amount:	\$32.73
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Report Total:

\$117,847.18

Memo

To: Reeve & Council
CC: Alton, Jeremy, Ron
From: Deb
Date: June 9, 2016
Re: Financial Statements as at May 31, 2016

Please find attached the financial statements for the year to date as at May 31, 2016.

As always, if you have any questions, please feel free to come and see me.

Thank you,



Deb MacDonald
Treasurer



The Township of Assiginack
CORPORATE SUMMARY
For the Five Months Ending May 31, 2016

	May	YTD	2016 Budget	% of Budget
Expenditures				
General Government	\$88,049.15	\$359,628.80	\$796,489.82	45%
School Board Levy		91,103.19	354,480.00	26%
Protection Services	58,278.70	118,474.42	414,847.20	29%
Transportation Services	92,209.90	302,437.08	832,910.00	36%
Environmental Services	53,412.04	227,551.31	543,966.25	42%
Health Services	40,484.00	113,452.00	236,904.00	48%
Social and Family Services	31,181.67	85,009.18	170,020.00	50%
Recreation and Cultural Service	37,736.64	92,029.11	221,695.00	42%
Planning & Development	6,539.93	13,603.47	15,800.00	86%
Capital out of Current	10,004.44	126,120.62	781,760.57	16%
Expenditures Total	417,896.47	1,529,409.18	4,368,872.84	35%
Revenues				
General Government	13,382.93	60,968.72	162,483.61	38%
General Revenue		1,538,765.32	3,160,572.50	49%
School Board Levy		181,324.93	354,480.00	51%
Protection Services	1,453.00	2,873.00	12,850.00	22%
Transportation Services	1,451.32	1,451.32	8,400.00	17%
Environmental Services	43,486.40	221,360.34	544,466.86	41%
Social and Family Services		18,641.87	18,641.87	100%
Recreation and Cultural Service	462.62	15,880.57	26,300.00	60%
Planning & Development		539.54		0%
Capital out of Current	500.00	78,173.92	80,678.00	97%
Revenues Total	60,736.27	2,119,979.53	4,368,872.84	49%
Net Levy				
General Government	74,666.22	298,660.08	634,006.21	47%
General Revenue		(1,538,765.32)	(3,160,572.50)	49%
School Board Levy		(90,221.74)		0%
Protection Services	56,825.70	115,601.42	401,997.20	29%
Transportation Services	90,758.58	300,985.76	824,510.00	37%
Environmental Services	9,925.64	6,190.97	(500.61)	(1,237%)
Health Services	40,484.00	113,452.00	236,904.00	48%
Social and Family Services	31,181.67	66,367.31	151,378.13	44%
Recreation and Cultural Service	37,274.02	76,148.54	195,395.00	39%
Planning & Development	6,539.93	13,063.93	15,800.00	83%
Capital out of Current	9,504.44	47,946.70	701,082.57	7%
Corporate Net Levy	357,160.20	(590,570.35)		0%



The Township of Assiginack
GENERAL GOVERNMENT SUMMARY
For the Five Months Ending May 31, 2016

	May	YTD	2016 Budget	% of Budget
Expenditures				
Mayor & Council	\$9,955.79	\$27,009.20	\$60,350.00	45%
Administrator's Office	40,268.08	136,496.57	320,381.00	43%
Clerk's Office	28,552.12	120,698.98	218,658.82	55%
Project and Events Co-ordinator Programs	1,054.04	10,560.37	39,000.00	27%
General Admin - Elections		407.04	2,000.00	20%
Post Office Building	3,335.41	13,250.76	46,900.00	28%
Library Building	3,698.36	10,741.64	24,600.00	44%
Administration Building	538.92	3,370.26	11,100.00	30%
Treasury - Unallocated	646.43	31,608.31	53,500.00	59%
Taxation		5,485.67	20,000.00	27%
Total General Government Expenditures	88,049.15	359,628.80	796,489.82	45%
Revenues				
Clerk's Office	1,115.62	3,414.01	6,700.00	51%
Project and Events Co-ordinator Programs	2,936.94	12,499.25	4,800.00	260%
Post Office Building	3,109.11	15,545.55	37,309.50	42%
Library Building	1,210.48	5,872.72	10,500.00	56%
Treasury - Unallocated	5,010.78	23,637.19	103,174.11	23%
Total General Government Revenue	13,382.93	60,968.72	162,483.61	38%
Net Levy				
Mayor & Council	9,955.79	27,009.20	60,350.00	45%
Administrator's Office	40,268.08	136,496.57	320,381.00	43%
Clerk's Office	27,436.50	117,284.97	211,958.82	55%
Project and Events Co-ordinator Programs	(1,882.90)	(1,938.88)	34,200.00	(6%)
General Admin - Elections		407.04	2,000.00	20%
Post Office Building	226.30	(2,294.79)	9,590.50	(24%)
Library Building	2,487.88	4,868.92	14,100.00	35%
Administration Building	538.92	3,370.26	11,100.00	30%
Treasury - Unallocated	(4,364.35)	7,971.12	(49,674.11)	(16%)
Taxation		5,485.67	20,000.00	27%
General Government Net Levy	74,666.22	298,660.08	634,006.21	47%



The Township of Assiginack
GENERAL REVENUE
For the Five Months Ending May 31, 2016

	<u>May</u>	<u>YTD</u>	<u>2016</u> <u>Budget</u>	<u>% of</u> <u>Budget</u>
Revenues				
Municipal Tax Levy		\$1,214,015.32	\$2,511,072.50	48%
Ontario Community Reinvestment Fund		324,750.00	649,500.00	50%
Total Revenue		1,538,765.32	3,160,572.50	49%
Net Levy				
Municipal Tax Levy		1,214,015.32	2,511,072.50	48%
Ontario Community Reinvestment Fund		324,750.00	649,500.00	50%
General Revenue Net Levy		1,538,765.32	3,160,572.50	49%



The Township of Assiginack
SCHOOL BOARD SUMMARY
For the Five Months Ending May 31, 2016

	<u>May</u>	<u>YTD</u>	<u>2016</u> <u>Budget</u>	<u>% of</u> <u>Budget</u>
Expenditures				
English Language Public School		\$91,103.19	\$354,480.00	26%
Total School Board Expenditures		91,103.19	354,480.00	26%
Revenues				
English Language Public School		179,285.37	354,480.00	51%
French Language Public School		2,039.56		0%
Total School Board Revenue		181,324.93	354,480.00	51%
Net Levy				
English Language Public School		(88,182.18)		0%
French Language Public School		(2,039.56)		0%
School Board Net Levy		(90,221.74)		0%



The Township of Assiginack
PROTECTION SERVICES SUMMARY
For the Five Months Ending May 31, 2016

	May	YTD	2016 Budget	% of Budget
Expenditures				
Fire Department	\$11,963.74	\$20,045.45	\$93,250.00	21%
Police Services	21,505.54	66,110.54	271,279.00	24%
9-1-1			1,000.00	0%
Protective Inspection & Control	763.00	1,402.19	3,150.00	45%
Canine Control	21,343.00	21,343.00	22,700.00	94%
Building Department	2,703.42	9,573.24	23,468.20	41%
Total Protection Services Expenditures	58,278.70	118,474.42	414,847.20	29%
Revenues				
Protective Inspection & Control	793.00	793.00	2,350.00	34%
Canine Control	10.00	430.00	500.00	86%
Building Department	650.00	1,650.00	10,000.00	17%
Total Protection Services Revenues	1,453.00	2,873.00	12,850.00	22%
Net Levy				
Fire Department	11,963.74	20,045.45	93,250.00	21%
Police Services	21,505.54	66,110.54	271,279.00	24%
9-1-1			1,000.00	0%
Protective Inspection & Control	(30.00)	609.19	800.00	76%
Canine Control	21,333.00	20,913.00	22,200.00	94%
Building Department	2,053.42	7,923.24	13,468.20	59%
Protection Services Net Levy	56,825.70	115,601.42	401,997.20	29%



The Township of Assiginack
TRANSPORTATION SERVICES SUMMARY
For the Five Months Ending May 31, 2016

	May	YTD	2016 Budget	% of Budget
Expenditures				
Public Works Administration	\$33,599.06	\$86,429.83	\$351,310.00	25%
Operation Centre	16,528.47	44,617.98	53,800.00	83%
Beaver Dams -Flood Control	264.53	1,681.97		0%
Sidewalks		4,200.77		0%
Street Name Signs	316.78	316.78	2,000.00	16%
Street Lighting	1,313.18	5,186.39	13,000.00	40%
Vehicles & Equipment	14,181.79	46,257.55	119,400.00	39%
Small Equipment & Supplies	581.11	2,464.81	3,000.00	82%
Airport		29,350.00	30,000.00	98%
Marina	3,891.43	12,842.94	22,400.00	57%
Roadways:				
Bridges and Culverts		383.20	7,500.00	5%
Brushing		2,457.50	6,500.00	38%
Ditching	2,564.86	2,930.55	13,000.00	23%
Catch Basins, Storm Sewers	976.90	976.90	3,000.00	33%
Sweeping/Flushing/Cleaning	12,760.40	12,760.40	7,000.00	182%
Resurfacing & Patching	3,764.94	5,568.84	104,000.00	5%
Snow Ploughing		32,208.62		0%
Sanding & Salting		3,351.41	35,000.00	10%
Loosetop Maintenance	1,183.84	8,168.03	62,000.00	13%

Total Transportation Services Expenditures	91,927.29	302,154.47	832,910.00	36%
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Revenues				
Marina	1,451.32	1,451.32	8,400.00	17%

Total Transportation Services Revenues	1,451.32	1,451.32	8,400.00	17%
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Net Levy				
Public Works Administration	33,599.06	86,429.83	351,310.00	25%
Operation Centre	16,528.47	44,617.98	53,800.00	83%
Beaver Dams -Flood Control	264.53	1,681.97		0%
Sidewalks		4,200.77		0%
Street Name Signs	316.78	316.78	2,000.00	16%
Street Lighting	1,313.18	5,186.39	13,000.00	40%
Vehicles & Equipment	14,181.79	46,257.55	119,400.00	39%
Small Equipment & Supplies	581.11	2,464.81	3,000.00	82%
Airport		29,350.00	30,000.00	98%
Marina	2,440.11	11,391.62	14,000.00	81%
Roadways	21,250.94	68,805.45	238,000.00	29%

Transportation Services Net Levy	90,475.97	300,703.15	824,510.00	36%
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The Township of Assiginack
ENVIRONMENTAL SERVICES SUMMARY
For the Five Months Ending May 31, 2016

	<u>May</u>	<u>YTD</u>	<u>2016</u> <u>Budget</u>	<u>% of</u> <u>Budget</u>
Expenditures				
Waste Management	\$8,407.07	\$22,249.96	\$105,200.00	21%
Waterworks	45,004.97	205,301.35	438,766.25	47%
Total Environmental Services Expenditures	53,412.04	227,551.31	543,966.25	42%
Revenues				
Sanitary Sewer & WPCP Revenue	12,995.18	64,975.90	143,059.58	45%
Garbage Collection	240.00	3,969.75	19,000.00	21%
Waterworks	30,251.22	152,414.69	382,407.28	40%
Total Environmental Services Revenues	43,486.40	221,360.34	544,466.86	41%
Net Levy				
Waste Management	8,407.07	22,249.96	105,200.00	21%
Sanitary Sewer & WPCP Revenue	(12,995.18)	(64,975.90)	(143,059.58)	45%
Garbage Collection	(240.00)	(3,969.75)	(19,000.00)	21%
Waterworks	14,753.75	52,886.66	56,358.97	94%
Environmental Services Net Levy	9,925.64	6,190.97	(500.61)	(1,237%)



The Township of Assiginack
HEALTH SERVICES SUMMARY
For the Five Months Ending May 31, 2016

	<u>May</u>	<u>YTD</u>	<u>2016</u> <u>Budget</u>	<u>% of</u> <u>Budget</u>
<i>Expenditures</i>				
Cemetery	\$4,000.00	\$4,000.00	\$6,000.00	67%
Land Ambulance	36,484.00	109,452.00	218,904.00	50%
Medical Building			12,000.00	0%
Total Health Services Expenditures	40,484.00	113,452.00	236,904.00	48%
<i>Net Levy</i>				
Cemetery	4,000.00	4,000.00	6,000.00	67%
Land Ambulance	36,484.00	109,452.00	218,904.00	50%
Medical Building			12,000.00	0%
Health Services Net Levy	40,484.00	113,452.00	236,904.00	48%



The Township of Assiginack
SOCIAL & FAMILY SERVICES SUMMARY
For the Five Months Ending May 31, 2016

	<u>May</u>	<u>YTD</u>	<u>2016</u> <u>Budget</u>	<u>% of</u> <u>Budget</u>
Expenditures				
District Social Services Administration Board	\$22,645.84	\$67,937.52	\$135,875.00	50%
Centennial Manor	8,535.83	17,071.66	34,145.00	50%
Total Social & Family Services Expenditures	31,181.67	85,009.18	170,020.00	50%
Revenues				
DSSAB		18,641.87	18,641.87	100%
Total Social & Family Services Revenues		18,641.87	18,641.87	100%
Net Levy				
District Social Services Administration Board	22,645.84	49,295.65	117,233.13	42%
Centennial Manor	8,535.83	17,071.66	34,145.00	50%
Social & Family Services Net Levy	31,181.67	66,367.31	151,378.13	44%



The Township of Assiginack
RECREATION & CULTURAL SERVICES SUMMARY
For the Five Months Ending May 31, 2016

	May	YTD	2016 Budget	% of Budget
Expenditures				
Recreation			\$1,500.00	0%
Summer Programme	140.00	236.00	5,950.00	4%
Arena	22,195.77	52,560.50	120,120.00	44%
Parks	4,423.02	7,845.96	15,700.00	50%
Heritage	7,235.06	8,761.51	22,600.00	39%
Information Booth	260.60	1,116.49	17,640.00	6%
Burn's Wharf Theatre			1,500.00	0%
Library Board	3,482.19	21,508.65	36,685.00	59%
Total Recreation & Cultural Services Expenditures	37,736.64	92,029.11	221,695.00	42%
Revenues				
Summer Programme	2,875.00	2,875.00	4,000.00	72%
Arena	(2,787.18)	12,530.77	22,300.00	56%
Heritage	314.80	414.80		0%
Burn's Wharf Theatre	60.00	60.00		0%
Total Recreation & Cultural Services Revenues	462.62	15,880.57	26,300.00	60%
Net Levy				
Recreation			1,500.00	0%
Summer Programme	(2,735.00)	(2,639.00)	1,950.00	(135%)
Arena	24,982.95	40,029.73	97,820.00	41%
Parks	4,423.02	7,845.96	15,700.00	50%
Heritage	6,920.26	8,346.71	22,600.00	37%
Information Booth	260.60	1,116.49	17,640.00	6%
Burn's Wharf Theatre	(60.00)	(60.00)	1,500.00	(4%)
Library Board	3,482.19	21,508.65	36,685.00	59%
Recreation & Cultural Services Net Levy	37,274.02	76,148.54	195,395.00	39%



The Township of Assiginack
PLANNING & DEVELOPMENT SUMMARY
For the Five Months Ending May 31, 2016

	<u>May</u>	<u>YTD</u>	<u>2016</u> <u>Budget</u>	<u>% of</u> <u>Budget</u>
<i>Expenditures</i>				
Planning	\$6,403.74	\$12,927.74	\$15,800.00	82%
Total Planning & Development Expenditures	6,403.74	12,927.74	15,800.00	82%
<i>Net Levy</i>				
Planning	6,403.74	12,927.74	15,800.00	82%
Planning & Development Net Levy	6,403.74	12,927.74	15,800.00	82%



The Township of Assiginack
CORPORATE CAPITAL SUMMARY
For the Five Months Ending May 31, 2016

	May	YTD	2016 Budget	% of Budget
Expenditures				
General Government	\$2,077.85	\$16,717.17	\$88,625.00	19%
Protection Services		10,532.19	42,128.73	25%
Transportation Services		38,269.33	191,764.00	20%
Environmental Services	6,009.37	30,340.49	364,064.32	8%
Recreation and Cultural Service	1,917.22	30,261.44	95,178.52	32%
Expenditures Total	10,004.44	126,120.62	781,760.57	16%
Revenues				
Transportation Services		39,753.61	41,678.00	95%
Recreation and Cultural Service	500.00	38,420.31	39,000.00	99%
Revenues Total	500.00	78,173.92	80,678.00	97%
Net Levy				
General Government	2,077.85	16,717.17	88,625.00	19%
Protection Services		10,532.19	42,128.73	25%
Transportation Services		(1,484.28)	150,086.00	(1%)
Environmental Services	6,009.37	30,340.49	364,064.32	8%
Recreation and Cultural Service	1,417.22	(8,158.87)	56,178.52	(15%)
Corporate Net Levy	9,504.44	47,946.70	701,082.57	7%

THE CORPORATION OF THE
TOWNSHIP OF ASSIGINACK

2016-2021 Strategic Plan

Live and Grow in Assiginack

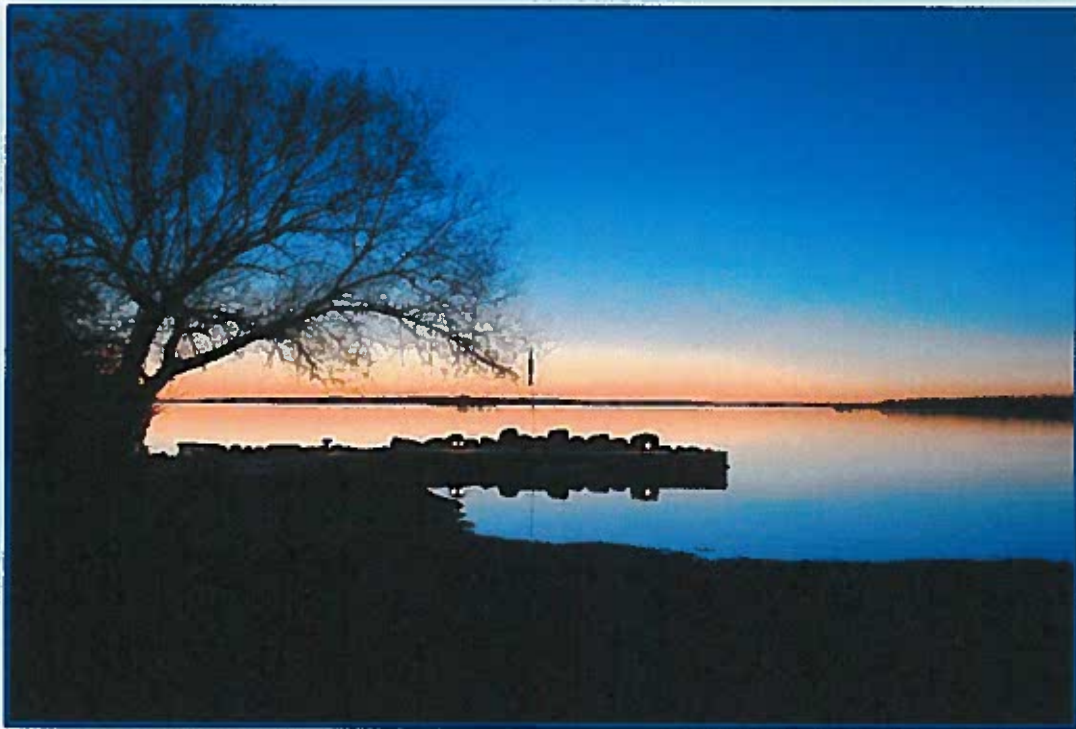


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EXECUTIVE SUMMARY

The Corporation of the Township of Assiginack is a municipal government located on Manitoulin Island in the Province of Ontario. Assiginack Council is committed to promoting and developing an inviting community atmosphere. Council and staff are invested in the development and implementation of this strategic plan.

The 2016-2021 Strategic Plan is the result of consultations with Council, appointed community representatives, citizens, local business people, volunteer and community organizations between November 2015 and March 2016.

Council would to thank the strategic planning committee, residents, businesses and volunteer and community organizations for their input into this process, and look forward to working together with the whole community to achieve a brighter future in Assiginack Township.

This document outlines (1) community identified areas of focus as priorities; (2) measureable indicators that can be used to track progress and success; and (3) strategies for improving our areas of focus.

Areas of focus most valued by the participants were:

Infrastructure

Economic Development

Financial Resources

Quality of Life for All

Assiginack Council and staff will set internal goals and develop initiatives over the next five years using this plan and feedback from the community as guidelines to set priorities.

A WORD FROM THE MAYOR

I would like to thank all of the individuals who were involved in the development of our new Strategic Plan. It has been many years since a Strategic Plan has been produced for our Township, and during this time the Township has seen many changes. To have a viable, attainable strategic plan is to have a sense of direction; Council and the community can visualize the Township moving towards these goals and objectives. I would like to thank LAMBAC for facilitating the entire process from start to finish. The Strategic Planning Committee members from the Community Representatives, Councillors, and Staff, who were challenged in providing valuable insights, deserve a sincere thank you on behalf of the community. And finally, thank you to the businesses, volunteer organizations, and residents who participated by completing surveys and attending stakeholder sessions with LAMBAC. This plan was truly developed by the collective perspectives and input from the whole community. It will be Council and staff's responsibility to ensure the plan is implemented to the benefit of the community.



Paul Moffatt
Mayor

WORDS FROM THE COMMITTEE

"Being part of this process has given me hope for the future of Assiginack and its growth."

"This was an interesting, challenging and exciting process. It forced all of us to dig deep into our values, hopes and dreams for our community. I congratulate and appreciate all participants who shared their visions for the future and I believe that this plan now gives a focus as well as structure in moving positively and strategically into our collective future."

"I learned a lot about our community."

INTRODUCTION

The Township of Assiginack Council has committed to producing a strategic plan that represents the community at large and is a valuable tool to be used by Council over the next 5 years. It has been a number of years since Assiginack Council has updated its Strategic Plan. These plans are often requirements of provincial and federal grant applications. This document serves as a showcase of Council's plan to achieve specific goals for the community. The Strategic Plan will be implemented and reviewed quarterly until the plan is updated in the next term of Council.

VISION

Assiginack is a dynamic family oriented community that is proactive and forward thinking. We see ourselves as the primary Manitoulin destination for community spirit, involvement, friendliness, and growth.



MISSION

To provide opportunities and efficient public services to Assiginack Township within a fiscally responsible structure.

THE STRATEGIC PLANNING PROCESS

The Strategic Planning Process initiated in November of 2015; preliminary meetings were held between the Township and LAMBAC to coordinate and plan for a complete project timeline. The Township advertised locally for community minded citizens to join the Strategic Planning Committee, this committee was comprised of 3 representatives from the following groups: Council members, Community members, and staff. In December 2015, the members of the Strategic Planning Committee completed a Pre-Visioning Session Questionnaire. The results of the Questionnaire provided many similar themes and trends, which laid the foundation for the Vision and Mission statements in this plan.

In January 2016, the Strategic Planning Committee had its first meeting. LAMBAC representatives formulated exercises to yield responses from the Committee that would be used to develop Vision and Mission Statements as well as Goals and Objectives for the Strategic Plan. LAMBAC held similar sessions with Township department heads to further develop and validate the groundwork done by the Committee and to collect other opinions and identify additional themes and trends.

Following these data collection sessions, staff were able to draft the Strategic Plan based on all of the information collected from the Committee and staff sessions. The plan was then presented to local businesses and volunteer community organizations that serve Assiginack. During these sessions, LAMBAC facilitated exercises to validate the themes that the Committee used to create the Strategic Plan. The local businesses and volunteer organizations provided valuable insights not previously identified and were incorporated into the final plan.

The Strategic Planning Committee was presented with the plan and final comments and revisions were made. The Strategic Plan was approved by Council at the **June 21, 2016** regularly scheduled Council meeting. The Plan is now available to the public and being implemented by staff and Council.

CORE VALUES

Our Core Values are the most valued aspects of the community. All of the stakeholders of this process identified that Assiginack could benefit from **Growth** therefore it is a core value of the Strategic Plan. The community can achieve success if the Township focuses on its core values.

- ✦ **Growth** – Governing the community to enhance growth for all in Assiginack
- ✦ **Integrity** – Accountable and knowledgeable staff working with the community
- ✦ **Services** – Essential and convenient services located in our own community
- ✦ **People** – Volunteers, close-knit residents, caring families, community spirit
- ✦ **Natural Environment** – Waterways, recreation, rural Assiginack

GUIDING PRINCIPLES

The guiding principles outlined below can be described as key success behaviours for Council and staff to follow in carrying out the mission statement and making their vision statement become a reality.

- ✦ To work for the community, with the community.
- ✦ To be open and transparent in what is done and how it is accomplished.
- ✦ To be accountable and fiscally responsible.
- ✦ To work as a team with honesty and integrity.
- ✦ To be committed to delivering reliable services.

AREAS OF FOCUS

These are the four areas of Township responsibility that have been identified as the basis for setting Goals and Objectives. The Township's Goals and Objectives are focused on improving and maintaining infrastructure, enhancing economic growth and development, effectively management of our financial resources, and delivering services and programs that meet the needs of our community while attracting a broad array of new residents to the community.

- ✦ Infrastructure
- ✦ Economic Development
- ✦ Financial Resources
- ✦ Quality of Life for All

GOALS & OBJECTIVES

1. Maintain affordable living for residents

Objectives

- # Deliver the best possible municipal services within our means.
- # Establish an asset maintenance schedule in conjunction with Asset Management Plan.
- # Sustain, improve, and develop current and new infrastructure.

2. Grow the local economy

Objectives

- # Encourage and provide opportunities for local young adults to return.
- # Create and maintain a good working relationship with local businesses.
- # Promote the Township of Assiginack as a place to do business.
- # Support continuing education opportunities.

3. Promote the Township of Assiginack to attract a cross-section of the population

Objectives

- # Develop a new municipal website.
- # Establish a social media marketing plan.
- # Support continuing education opportunities.
- # Promote arts, culture, and heritage growth.
- # Provide access to health care and senior services.

4. Create a connected community

Objectives

- # Communicate the services and opportunities available to the community.
- # Provide family oriented activities to the community.
- # Promote multi-generational skills exchange programs.

NEXT STEPS

The plan will be implemented by Council and staff using specific strategies and tactics to achieve the goals and objectives listed above. Council and staff will review the plan on a quarterly schedule.

The plan will be consulted during the annual budgeting process with special attention given to land use planning applications, asset management planning, and economic development initiatives.

This plan is a necessary step in most if not all funding applications for capital projects therefore maintaining it in a current status will benefit the community in both planning and budgeting.

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SOUTHEAST MANITOULIN LION'S CLUB

P.O. # 330

MANITOWANING, ONTARIO

POP 1N0

June 6, 2016

Township of Assiginack

Manitowaning, Ontario

POP 1N0 ATTN : Council of the Whole

Re : Manitowaning Summerfest Weekend

July 15, 16 and 17 2016

Dear Council:

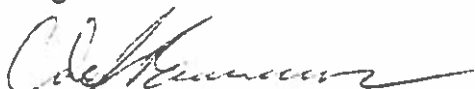
The Southeast Manitoulin Lions Club would like to request that the following dates our annual Summerfest weekend be declared as a community event/festival, July 15, 16, and 17, 2016.

We are requesting the use of the fair grounds and the arena for this weekend long event. As well, the helping hand of the township workers helping us with setup for the success of the weekend activities.

Should you have any concerns or questions, don't hesitate to contact me at 705 859 3737.

As always, we would like to thank you in advance for helping us make this annual event a success for the Lion's Club and the community.

Regards



Cole Bowerman

South East Manitoulin Lions Club

EAST MANITOULIN LIONS CLUB
SCHEDULE

ITEM	TIMING	DETAILS	ACTION AGENT	PHONE #
FRIDAY JULY 15/16				
BALL TOURNAMENT	6 TO 10 PM		ryan stewart	368-3810
MUSIC IN PAVILLION	7 TO 10 PM	crooked hookers	helen	859-3383
BAR IN PAVILLION	6 TO 10 PM	set up at 5	gary/alex	603-0071
BAR AT BALL DIAMOND	6 TO 10 PM	set up at 5	gary/alex	859-3502
BARBACUE	5 TO 10 PM		kendra	862-1825
DARTS AT PAVILLION	7 TO 10 PM		dorothy	859-3503
BALL HOCKEY IN ARENA	7 TO 10 PM		FRANK/lisa	348-1793
50/50 draw ticket sales	all weekend		mark	859-2340
GATES	FOR ALL EVENTS	Friday music/ Saturday grounds/dance/sundayderby	marilyn	368-2578
SATURDAY JULY 16/16				
BALL TOURNAMENT	ALL DAY			
UNITED CHURCH PANCAKE BRUNCH	9 TO 11			
PARADE	10.30		marilyn	368-2578
BED RACES	11.30		dorothy	859-3503
BARBACUE	11 TO 5 / 8 TO 1		kendra	862-1825
BAR AT PAVILLION AND BALL FIELD	12 TO 6	POSSIBLE DRAFT TENT	gary/alex	603-0071
DARTS	1 TO 4		dorothy	
HORSE PULL	3 TO 5		alex	859-3502
KIDS GAMES	1 TO 5	TIC TAC TOE; POTATOE RACES; BOUNCY TENT	LISA AND DOUG	
WATER SLIDE	1 TO 5		dorothy	859-3503
WASHER TOSS	2 TO 5		mark	859-2340
EUCHRE TOURNEY	2 TO 5		noreen parkinson/mari	368-3256
MUSIC IN PAVILLION	2 TO 5		helen	859-3383
SET UP BAR IN ARENA / BAR AT DANCE	7.30		gary/alex	
DANCE	8 TO 1	arrangements for music, sales at door, security	dorothy	
SUNDAY JULY 17/16				
CAR ARRIVALS	10AM			
BAR AT PAVILLION	12 TO 5	registration and inspection	phil / fire dept	
BARBACUE	12 TO 5		gary/alex	
SMASH UP DERBY	1.00		phil/fire dept	
50/50 draw	4	award prize	mark	859-2340

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South East Manitoulin Lions Club

May 28th 2016

Dear Business Owner:

The South East Manitoulin Lions Club Summerfest in Manitowaning is approaching once again. This year's events are being held on July 15th, 16th, & 17th.

We have seen a great deal of success over the past few years. We have tried to direct the events towards a family fun weekend at a reasonable cost. Friday starts with the Jim Case Memorial ball tournament, 4 on 4 floor hockey, and entertainment in the pavilion and beer gardens.

This year we are bring back the "Bed Races" to our Saturday Venue after the parade, also the horse pull, 3 bouncy castles for different ages, lots of kids games, water slide on the winter sliding hill euchre in the arena, darts outside the arena. More items are added as we get conformation from organizations.

Your advertising dollar also goes toward some of the prizes as well as adds in the Manitoulin Expositor, 103 the Island Radio Station, Wiky TV 5, and large posters and personal posters for your business.

We wish to thank you for your generous donation and hope you will be able to take in some of the events as well as the smash up Derby on Sunday.

Yours truly,

Dorothy Chapman Acting Vice President



Alcohol and Gaming
Commission of Ontario

Gaming Registration and
Lotteries
90 Sheppard Ave. E. Suite 200
Toronto ON M2N 0A4

Commission des alcools
et des jeux de l'Ontario

Inscription pour les jeux
et loteries
90 av. Sheppard Est. bureau 200
Toronto ON M2N 0A4

416-326-8700 1-800-522-2576 toll free in Ontario / sans frais en Ontario

Group Identification Number (GIN)
Numéro d'identification d'organisme (NIO)

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Application to Manage and
Conduct a Raffle Lottery
Demande de permis pour administrer
et conduire une tombola (tirage)

We, the undersigned, as two principal officers of record (organization)

Southeast Manitoulin
Lions Club

Address P.O. Box 330
Manitowaning, ON P0P 1N0

apply for a licence to manage and conduct a Raffle Lottery from the
premises municipally known as

Manitowaning Arena + Fair Grounds

and situated in the Municipality of

Assiginack

between the dates specified, and for the charitable or religious objects
and purposes, and in the manner described herein.

1. The Charitable or religious objects or purposes to which proceeds
are to be donated are described as

Southeast Manitoulin Lions Club

2. The total value of all prizes to be awarded in the Raffle Lottery for
which this application is made will be \$...500 (max)...cash
value, or merchandise or articles at equivalent market retail value.
Merchandise prizes are described as

50/50 cash Draw

3. Closing date for the sale of the tickets will be July 17th 2016
and the draw for a winner or winners will be made at (address)

Assiginack Fair Grounds

on (date) July 17th 2016 at (time) 4:00 pm

If a series of draws, beginning date
ending date Number of draws

4. A winner or winners will be determined by (describe)

ticket draw

and the name(s) and address(es) of the winner or winners will be
published (describe)

in the Manitoulin Express / SE MANITOULIN
Lions Web Site

5. The total number of tickets to be printed will be 500

and all tickets will be numbered consecutively from 1

to 500 Price per ticket \$ 2.00

Les soussignés, qui sont deux principaux dirigeants de
(organisme)

Adresse

font une demande de permis pour administrer et conduire une
tombola (tirage) dans les locaux connus dans la municipalité sous
le nom de

et situés dans la municipalité de

entre les dates indiquées, à l'intention des oeuvres religieuses ou de
bienfaisance spécifiées et de la manière décrite dans les présentes.

1. Les profits seront répartis aux oeuvres religieuses ou de
bienfaisance suivantes.

2. La valeur totale de tous les prix qui seront attribués dans le cadre
de la tombola (tirage) pour laquelle cette demande est faite sera
de \$ en espèces, ou une valeur équivalente
au détail.
Les prix de valeur au détail consisteront en

3. La date finale pour la vente de billets sera le
et le tirage du ou des gagnant(s) sera fait au (adresse)

le (date) à (heure)

S'il y a plusieurs tirages, première date

dernière date Nombre de tirages

4. Le ou les gagnants seront déterminés (préciser)

et le nom et l'adresse du ou des gagnant(s) seront connus par
(préciser)

5. Le nombre total des billets qui seront imprimés sera de

et tous les billets porteront des numéros consécutifs allant de

..... à Prix du billet \$.

Certificate / Attestation

We (name)/Nous soussignés(nom)

of (organization) /de organisme) Southeast Manitoulin Lions Club

of (municipality)/de (municipalité) Assiginack of the county of/ du comté de Canada

jointly and severally, hereby certify that/attestons collectivement et individuellement que:

- 1) We have read, and have in our possession, and agree to comply with, the provisions of Schedule A-Terms and Conditions under which the Lottery Licence is issued.
- 2) We have read over this application.
- 3) All facts stated and information furnished herein are true and correct.
- 4) We are the holders of the offices with descriptive title as set out and appearing under our respective signatures below.
- 5) If a licence is granted, we undertake to comply with all the terms and conditions of such licence.

- 1) Nous avons lu les dispositions de l'annexe A- modalités inhérentes à la délivrance d'un permis de tombola (tirage), que nous les avons en notre possession et que nous acceptons de nous y conformer,
- 2) Nous avons lu la présente formule.
- 3) Tous les faits indiqués et les renseignements fournis dans les présentes sont véridiques et exacts.
- 4) Nous assumons les fonctions correspondant aux titres spécifiés sous nos signatures respectives ci-dessous.
- 5) Si un permis est délivré, nous engageons à en observer les modalités.

Signed/Signature	<u>Mark J Kuntzi</u>	<u>Alex Lerson</u>
Print Name/Nom en lettres moulées	<u>Mark Kuntzi</u>	<u>ALEX LERSON</u>
Title/Titre	<u>Secretary/Treasurer</u>	<u>MEMBERSHIP CHAIR</u>
Bus. Telephone No. /N°. de tél. d'aff.	<u>705-859-2340</u>	<u>705-859-3502</u>
Date/Date	<u>June 6, 2016</u>	<u>June 6 2016</u>
Witness (sign) /Témoin(signature)	<u>[Signature]</u>	<u>Mark J Kuntzi</u>

PAID

50/50
Draw



**Licensee (Full name and address including Postal Code)
Titulaire de licence (Nom et adresse complète y compris le code postal)**

Southeast Manitoulin Lion's Club
26 Clover Valley Road
Manitowaning, ON
POP 1N0

Type of Lottery Scheme
Genre de loterie

Break Open Tickets

Location/Lieu

Manitowaning Pharmacy – 1 Wellington Street, Manitowaning, ON

Municipality/Municipalité

The Corporation of the Township of Assignack

Specific date(s) of the lottery event(s)
Date(s) spécifique(s) de la loterie

Specific time(s) of the lottery event(s)
Heure(s) spécifique(s) de la loterie

From/de

To/à

June 15, 2016 to June 14, 2017

n/a

n/a

Total value of all prizes in any lottery conducted under this licence not to exceed \$ **\$ 20,070.00** in cash, or merchandise or articles of equivalent market value.

La valeur totale des prix d'une loterie organisée en vertu de la présente licence ne doit pas excéder \$ **\$ 20,070.00** en espèces ou une valeur équivalente en nature.

The licensee must observe all terms and conditions of this licence as agreed to in its application.

L'organisme autorisé doit se conformer à toutes les modalités dont il a convenu dans la demande de licence.

The conduct of this lottery scheme is restricted to the dates, hours and limits specified on this licence.

On doit conduire la loterie selon les dates, heures et limites qui y sont indiquées.

Special Terms and Conditions/Modalités spéciales

Pursuant to application submitted.

Date of Issue/Date de délivrance de la licence

June 15, 2016

Licence Fees/Droits - licence

\$

\$300.96

\$

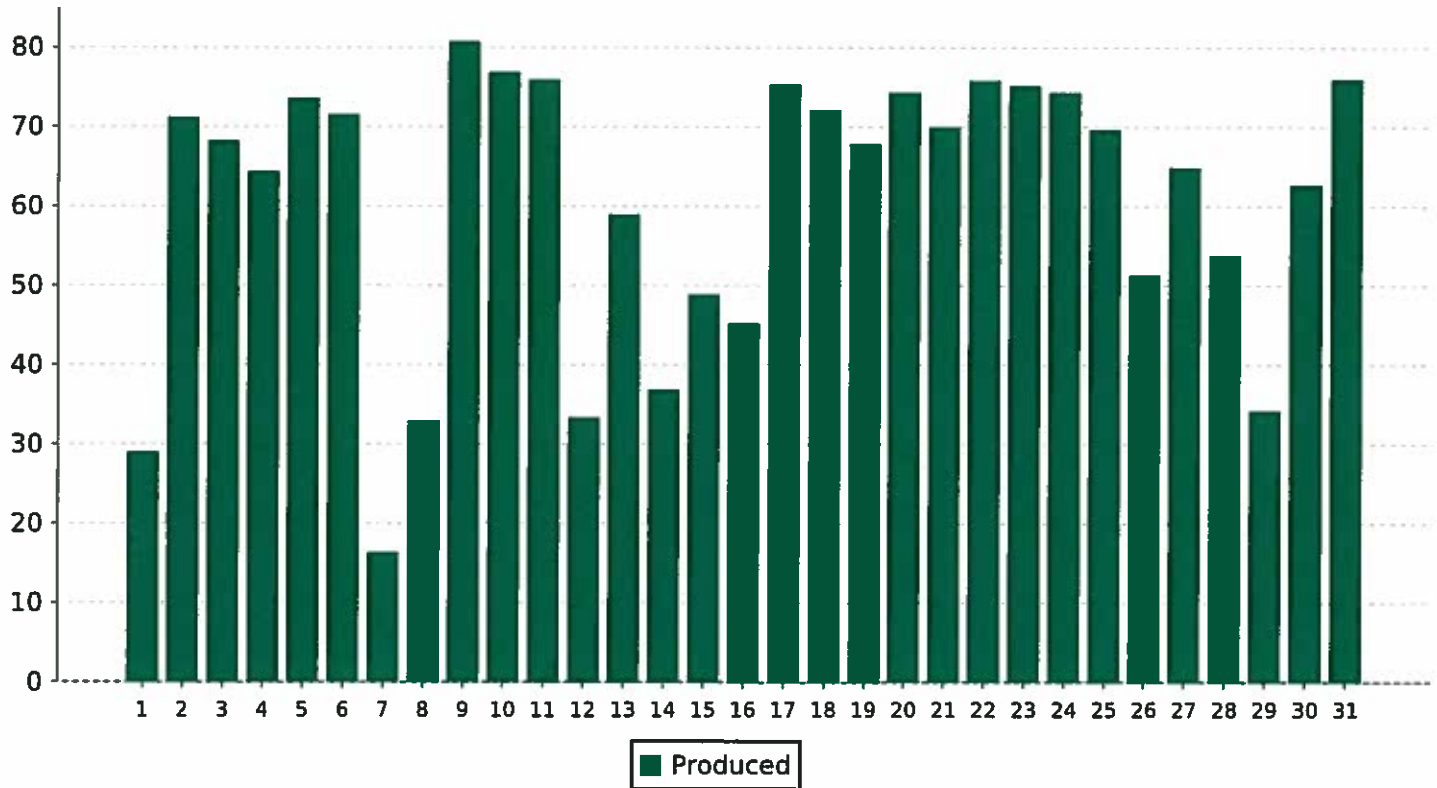
Licensing Officer/Agent de délivrance des licences

Registrar of Alcohol and Gaming
Registrateur des alcools et des jeux

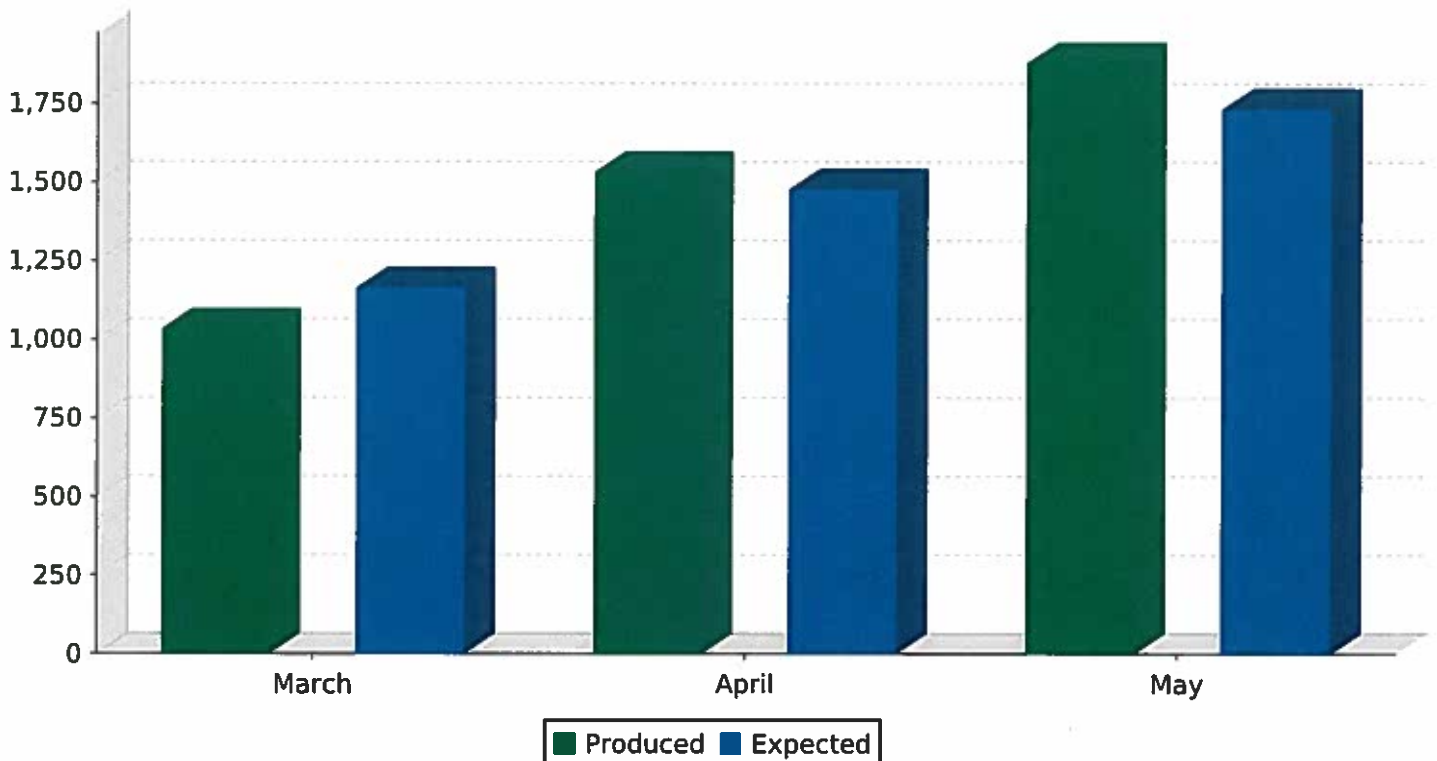
Energy Production Manitowaning Public Works Garage



Last Month - Production

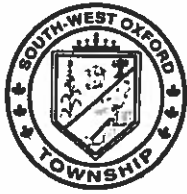


Last 3 Months



Day	Produced
May 01	29.0
May 02	71.2
May 03	68.3
May 04	64.4
May 05	73.6
May 06	71.6
May 07	16.3
May 08	32.9
May 09	80.8
May 10	76.9
May 11	76.0
May 12	33.4
May 13	58.9
May 14	36.9
May 15	48.9
May 16	45.2
May 17	75.3
May 18	72.1
May 19	67.8
May 20	74.4
May 21	70.0
May 22	75.8
May 23	75.2
May 24	74.3
May 25	69.7
May 26	51.2
May 27	64.9
May 28	53.7
May 29	34.3
May 30	62.7
May 31	76.0

Month	Produced	Expected
March 2016	1,034.2	1,166.0
April 2016	1,534.0	1,479.0
May 2016	1,881.6	1,735.0
Total	4,449.0	4,380.0



TOWNSHIP OF SOUTH - WEST OXFORD

R. R. # 1, Mount Elgin, On. N0J 1N0
312915 Dereham Line

Phone: (519) 877-2702; (519) 485-0477; Fax: (519) 485-2932

Thursday, June 2, 2016

Rural Ontario Municipal Association
Attn: Chairperson Ronald Holdman
200 University Avenue
Suite 801
Toronto, ON
M5H 3C6

Dear Board of Directors:

The Council of the Township of South-West Oxford duly moved and carried the following resolution at the regular council meeting held on May 17, 2016:

Resolved that staff be directed to write a letter to ROMA indicating the Township's opposition to the division of the Conferences and that this be sent to all municipalities in Ontario, AMO and Oxford MPP Ernie Hardeman.

Council has expressed concern that two separate conferences...only weeks apart...will have a negative impact on resources without a significant improvement in results. Provincial Ministers and support staff, Members of Provincial Parliament, Council members, municipal staff, vendors as well those sponsoring the conferences will see a doubling of costs as there is now an expectation to appear at two separate events.

The previous partnership provided diversity of content while streamlining costs between two important groups. Council does not see what efficiencies are to be gained by splitting the conferences. There has always been the opportunity to address Rural Ontario issues at the combined conference. It is questionable whether a separate conference will offer rural municipalities a clearer voice when dealing with the Province or other agencies or provide better educational opportunities to members. Diversity in a conference offers a great deal to the participants to bring back to their communities.

Council is hopeful that the ROMA Board of Directors will reconsider and reunite with OGRA for future conferences.

Yours truly,

A handwritten signature in cursive script, appearing to read "Mary Ellen Greb".

Mary Ellen Greb, CAO



OFFICE OF THE MAYOR
CITY OF HAMILTON

June 10, 2016

The Honourable Kathleen Wynne
Premier of Ontario
Legislative Building
Queen's Park
Toronto, ON M7A 1A1

Dear Premier Wynne:

City Council, at its meeting held on June 8, 2016, approved Item 6 of Emergency and Community Services Committee Report 16-005 which reads as follows:

6. Ontario Autism Program Changes (Added Item 10.1)

WHEREAS, Our vision to make Hamilton the best place to raise a child includes ensuring that every child in Hamilton has equal opportunity to grow and develop to meet his or her full potential.

WHEREAS, The Liberal government has introduced a new Ontario Autism Program which will now only provide limited access to Intensive Behaviour Intervention (IBI) for Ontario children with autism aged five or older who no longer qualify for government-funded intensive therapy.

THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED:

- a) That staff identify existing opportunities in recreation programs, individual support resources including access to the innovative sensory room space in order to better serve autistic children and respite service for parents
- b) That Children's and Home Management Services Division identify support options for school age children through children's services as an alternative for families affected by the recent changes to the Ontario Autism Program.
- c) That staff be directed to report back to the Emergency & Community Services Committee on how Community & Emergency Services Department programs and services are meeting the needs of this demographic.

- d) That staff be directed to report back to the Emergency & Community Services Committee regarding the financial impact on the City to fill the void, brought on by the Province's abandonment of parents and children affected by Autism, to provide programs and resources to these families.
- e) That the Mayor, on behalf of Council, send a letter to the Premier of Ontario, the Honourable Helena Jaczek, Minister of Community and Social Services, the Association of Municipalities of Ontario (AMO), and all municipalities in Ontario, to advocate for additional funding for programs and resources for individuals of all ages with Autism and their families.

Your consideration of Council's request is appreciated. We would ask that you reference File #C16-012 when responding to this correspondence.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read "Fred Eisenberger". The signature is fluid and cursive, with a large initial "F" and "E".

Mayor Fred Eisenberger

File #C16-012

Cc: Hon. H. Jaczek, Minister of Community and Social Services
Association of Municipalities of Ontario (AMO)
All Ontario Municipalities

June 6, 2016

Alton Hobbs
CAO & Emergency Management Coord
Township of Assiginack
PO Box 238 25 B Spragge St
Manitowaning, ON P0P 1N0

Alton Hobbs,

Re: Federal government reviewing our public postal service - Have your say!

I am writing to let you know that the federal government is conducting a review of Canada Post. It says that everything but postal privatization is on the table. This means daily mail delivery, restoring home delivery, postage rates, the moratorium on post office closures and more.

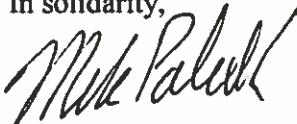
The review will have two phases. The government has appointed an independent task force to collect input from Canadians, do research, gather facts and identify options for the future of our postal service by September 2016. Following this, a parliamentary committee will consult with Canadians on the options identified by the task force and make recommendations to the government by year's end. The government expects to announce its decisions about Canada Post in the spring of 2017. For more information, go to CUPW.ca/canadapostreview and Canada.ca/canadapostreview

While CUPW welcomes the opportunity to look at the future of our public postal service, we have a number of concerns about the review. The review's first phase – the part that determines the options that will be examined – is being held over the summer. As well, there has been very little information and advertising about the review, except in social media. We are concerned people will not learn about the review until it's too late.

CUPW would like to ensure that the views of municipalities are considered. Therefore, we would like you, if at all possible, to provide input to the Canada Post Review. We have attached a resolution for your consideration, information on providing input and some fact sheets on key issues.

Thank you very much for considering our request. There's a lot at stake and we appreciate anything you can do to help. We would also like to take this opportunity to express our gratitude to the many municipalities that supported our campaign to stop the cuts that Canada Post announced in December 2013, including the end of home mail delivery. We had a major victory when Canada Post announced a temporary hold on its plan to eliminate door-to-door delivery. CUPW is confident that we can build on this success and convince the Canada Post Review to recommend against further cuts in favour of new services that generate revenues and allow us to build a universal, affordable and green public postal system for future generations.

In solidarity,



Mike Palecek
National President

c.c. National Executive Committee, Regional Executive Committees, National Union Representatives, Regional Union Representatives, Specialists, Campaign Co-ordinators, Negotiators, CUPW locals



A bank for everyone

Support Postal Banking

Postal banking is the provision of financial and banking services through a post office. It is not a new or radical idea. Postal banks already exist in many parts of the world where they are used to:

- increase financial inclusion
- promote economic development
- and generate revenue to preserve public postal service and jobs

In fact, our post office used to have a national savings bank – up until 1969 – and there is no reason we shouldn't have one today.



Why do we need postal banking?

- 1** Banks are failing to meet the needs of a growing number of Canadians. Thousands of towns and villages across our country do not have a bank. But many of them have a post office that could provide access to financial and banking services.
- 2** Nearly two million Canadians in urban and rural areas desperately need an alternative to predatory payday lenders. A postal bank could be that alternative.

- 3** Canadian banks have raked in enormous profits while cutting service, closing branches and charging some of the highest banking and ATM fees in the world. We deserve better.
- 4** Post administrations around the world, including Canada Post, have seen traditional mail volumes decline in recent years. Many post offices have added or expanded financial services in order to lessen their dependence on declining mail volumes and revenues. Postal banking could help Canada Post make money and increase its ability to provide public postal service and create decent jobs in communities throughout Canada.

Postal banking is lucrative!

New Zealand: Kiwibank generated 81% of New Zealand Post's after tax profits.

Switzerland: PostFinance produced 48% of Swiss Post's operating profits.

Italy: BancoPosta profits allowed the Italian post office to make 57 million Euros in profits (\$86.1 million CAD) in spite of losses incurred by its postal business.

France: La Banque Postale's operating profits of 842 million Euros (\$1271.6 million CAD) made a significant contribution to Le Group La Poste's operating profits of 719 million Euros (\$1085.8 million CAD).

Sources: New Zealand Post, Swiss Post, Poste Italiane and Le Group La Poste, 2014

Postal banking has social & economic benefits

France: Banque Postale has an obligation to provide products and services to as many people as possible. It provides a Livret A or passbook savings account, at no charge, to anyone who requests it. It also provides banking services to the financially vulnerable and financing for social housing, voluntary organizations and microentrepreneurs lacking bank credit.



Brazil: Since its creation in 2002, Banco Postal at Brazil's post office has opened over 6,200 postal bank branches and provided bank accounts to about ten million people. These efforts are largely designed to meet the needs of poor and marginalized populations living in rural and underdeveloped areas.



Italy: BancoPosta offers current accounts, payment services and postal savings products on behalf of Cassa di Risparmio di Roma (CDR). The CDR, which is 80% owned by the Italian government, supports the development of the country

Posteitaliane

by financing the investments of public entities, helping local authorities leverage their real estate assets, investing in social housing, and supporting energy efficiency policies.

We had a postal bank

Canada had postal banking for over a hundred years. The federal government passed legislation establishing a post office savings bank system just after Confederation in 1867 in order to provide a savings service to the working classes and small town residents. This system began operating in 1868 with 81 locations and grew quickly. By 1884, there were 343 post office savings banks, with a balance of \$13 million from almost 67,000 accounts. However, Canada's postal banking system confronted challenges from chartered banks by the 1890s. These banks, facing a recession, became interested in attracting the kind of small-time depositors who used post office savings





Nearly two million Canadians in urban and rural areas desperately need an alternative to predatory payday lenders. We deserve better.

banks and they actively worked to undermine postal banking. In 1898, the chartered banks successfully lobbied the government to reduce the interest rate paid on deposits at postal savings banks from 3% to 2.5%. They also worked to eliminate advertising by postal banks. As time went on, chartered banks and credit unions increased their presence in communities and the post office and government became less interested in maintaining the network. The post office savings bank system was closed down in 1969.

Support for postal banking

Municipalities: Over 600 municipalities have passed resolutions that support postal banking.

Public: Almost two out of every three respondents (63%) to a 2013 Stratcom poll supported Canada Post expanding revenue-generating services, including financial services like bill payments, insurance and banking.

Canada Post: A number of former Canada Post presidents have considered and even promoted the notion of the corporation getting more involved in financial services: Michael Warren, Andre Ouellet, Moya Greene.

Universal Postal Union: The UPU, a United Nations agency, thinks post offices should be looking at expanding financial services. It has produced a global roadmap for the future. This roadmap calls for the continued development of postal networks along three dimensions – physical, financial and digital/electronic.

Federal parties: Most federal parties have expressed either support for or an interest in postal banking. In 2014, the Liberal Party postal critic said the merits of postal banking should be explored in the context of several different options for the future of Canada Post.



Canada Post's secret postal banking study

Canada Post conducted a secret four-year study on postal banking that indicates that adding this service "would be a win-win strategy" for the corporation. This study was obtained through an Access to Information (ATI) request. Unfortunately, 701 of the study's 811 pages were redacted. CUPW has asked Canada Post's President to release the full report, but he has refused.

What would a postal bank look like?

There are many different models of postal banking. Some postal administrations set up their own bank. Others act as a financial intermediary by providing services in partnership with banking and other financial institutions, such as credit unions. In this instance, they work with one or a number of institutions, which operate nationally or in different regions. Some postal banks deliver a broad range of financial services, while others provide a more limited offering.

Services provided by postal banks:

- Savings and checking accounts
- Online banking
- Bank machines
- Credit cards, debit cards, pre-paid cards
- Money transfers, including remittances
- Insurance (home, auto, travel, etc.)
- Loans and mortgages
- Investment products (RRSPs, mutual funds, annuities)
- Foreign currency
- Other services such as financial counselling

Government review of Canada Post

CUPW wants the government review of Canada Post to recommend the addition of financial and banking services at Canada Post, or at a minimum, a task force to determine how to deliver new financial and banking services through our postal service.

Please consider making this recommendation to the review.

For more information:

A postal bank for everyone – Support Postal Banking
www.cupw.ca/PostalBanking

Why Canada Needs Postal Banking
<https://www.policyalternatives.ca/publications/reports/why-canada-needs-postal-banking>

The Banks Have Failed Us: Postal Banking To The Rescue
<http://www.cupw.ca/postal-banking-rescue>

Rural Canada is underserved by financial services: Why post offices need to offer banking services
http://cpaa-acmpa.ca/pub/files/banking_services_SEPT23Eng.pdf

Banking on a future for posts
<http://www.cupw.ca/campaign/resources/banking-future-posts>





A Canada Post for Everyone



Daily door-to-door delivery: It's not just more convenient. It's better for the environment.

Canada Post delivers billions of letters and parcels to homes and businesses every year. Many Canadians consider it a trusted and valuable service.

But did you know that home mail delivery is the most environmentally friendly way of moving letters and parcels from sender to receiver? And it's greener when it's done five or six days a week.

Why Canada Post is the greener option

The boom in online shopping means that millions more parcels are being delivered by Canada Post and other delivery companies. That's a lot of cars and trucks on delivery runs.

Last year, the number of parcels delivered by Canada Post alone increased by almost 10%. But with Canada Post, the amount of greenhouse gas emissions barely increases. Why? Because, unlike other delivery companies, Canada Post already has people delivering mail and parcels to every neighbourhood in the country on a daily basis.

From an environmental perspective, Canada Post is the best delivery option. According to a 2011 report, getting a parcel delivered by Canada Post can cause up to 6 times less CO2 emissions than an overnight delivery by a courier, and 3 times less than having a customer make a 5-km trip to pick it up in a store.

Why daily delivery is the greener option

If we cut mail delivery back to three days per week, Canada Post would lose its environmental advantage. It would make Canada Post's parcel delivery more expensive, which would result in the corporation losing market share to less environmentally efficient companies.

A vehicle delivering letters and parcels together keeps down the cost and environmental impact of each piece.



**Our daily
door-to-door
delivery network
is part of a
sustainable future
for Canada Post.**

**Let's keep it
greener.**

What if I don't get my mail every day?

Lots of us don't get mail every day. That kind of fluctuation in volume is already built into the delivery system. Having carriers deliver fewer days per week would only make it harder to reduce our carbon footprint.

Businesses of all sizes rely on daily delivery for cash flow and time-sensitive items. So courier companies would step in to fill in the gap, meaning three or more delivery trucks and vans driving the same streets.

Why door-to-door delivery is the greener option

There are many reasons why people hate so-called "community mailboxes":

- they cause more traffic congestion
- lower property values
- thefts, and injuries due to slips and falls

They also cause more people to drive to pick up their mail, creating more pollution. Cars sit idling while residents struggle to open frozen locks and get the mail.

One poll shows that over a third (34.2%) of people drive to pick up their mail from a group mailbox.



A Canada Post for Everyone



Our Postal Service is Under Review: What's In It For You?

The federal government says it wants to ensure that "Canadians receive quality postal services at a reasonable price."

It's asking Canadians for our input. So, how do you think our national postal service should change with the times?

High Quality Service to Meet Our Changing Needs.

People everywhere are sending fewer letters through the mail, which has affected the revenues of post offices around the world. Some postal systems have raised prices or cut services and jobs, as Canada Post did when the Conservatives were in power.

But post offices in many other countries have expanded their services and branched out into new avenues in order to make more money.

It's time for Canada Post to make full use of its presence in every community and add new revenue-generating services. Here are a few options to think about:

Why Not Get More At The Counter?

With 6,300 outlets, Canada Post has the largest retail network in the country. It could be doing a lot more with this network.

Get Your Documents:

Canada Post already processes passport applications and issues fishing and hunting licenses. It could also accept identity card applications, provide identity authentication services, register voters, certify documents, issue permits and much, much more.

Canada Post could also process payments and cheques for federal and provincial governments, and offer government services in places that don't have any.

Get a Bank for Everyone:

Canada Post used to and could still provide financial and banking services like other post offices around the world. We could provide savings and chequing accounts; bank machines; lines of credit, mortgages, money transfers, etc.

Postal banking is profitable in many parts of the world and could reinvest its profits back into our communities. See CUPW's A Bank for Everyone campaign and go to cupw.ca/PostalBanking.

Get Display Space:

Canada Post's retail space could be better used in many locations. Why not rent display space to artists and producers for showcasing their specialty goods for fixed lengths of time? Showcase "Canadiana"? Or help on-line sales of products through a website portal like the Swiss post office?

Why Not Get Better Cell, Internet and Secure Data Service?

Canadians want simple, affordable internet and cell phone service. Canada Post could offer basic cell phone packages. It could also use its infrastructure to provide high-speed internet in rural and remote areas that do not have access to this service. Many post offices in Europe, such as the UK, Italy and France, already offer internet and cell service.

Canada Post could also collect data quickly and frequently for ethical use in transportation, infrastructure and public planning.

Why Not Get More at the Door?

With the largest delivery network in the country, Canada Post could deliver a lot more.

Get More Parcels:

The parcel delivery sector is growing rapidly as a result of e-commerce and internet marketing. It doesn't make sense to have multiple courier companies driving down the same streets every day to deliver parcels.

Canada Post could provide last mile delivery for the entire sector. This would lower prices and be good for the environment because it would reduce our use of fossil fuels, and cut pollution and traffic congestion.

Canada Post already provides last mile for FedEx in rural and small communities.

Get Your Groceries:

Canada Post could partner with large grocery stores to offer home delivery across the country like the Swiss and Danish post offices.

Remember, It's A Canada Post for Everyone

Of course, Canada Post isn't simply about making money. Like other Crown corporations, it is supposed to serve our public interest.

As well as considering revenue-generating services, Canada Post ought to be strengthening and expanding the services it provides to all Canadians. For example:

Get Better Services to Indigenous and Northern Communities:

- Postal Banking
- Food Mail

Get a Greener Canada Post:

- Electric Car Charging Stations at Post Offices
- Made in Canada Electric Postal Fleet
- Door-to-door as the greener option

For more information, visit cupw.ca and deliveringcommunitypower.ca



Get Better Services for Seniors and People with Mobility Issues:

Our population is aging and we need to keep our communities connected.

Canada Post used to have a service called Letter Carrier Alert that allowed letter carriers to monitor seniors and people with disabilities. Many letter carriers still informally check up on their neighbourhoods and the people on their routes. In partnership with municipal governments, communities, health care providers and seniors, we can keep doing this, helping older Canadians to remain in their homes for as long as possible.

La Poste in France is a leader in testing such new roles for the letter carriers. It partners with pharmacies to deliver medicine and works with organizations to check on people who are vulnerable, isolated or disabled.

Japan Post also has a service called "Watch Over" that checks on seniors and reports back to family members for a small monthly fee.

This service costs the equivalent of about \$8.40 US per month. According to the Inspector General of the United States Postal Service, a similar service in the US would generate \$12.6 million in revenues annually if just one per cent of its 12.5 million older adults that live alone signed up.

Japan Post will deliver 4-5 million iPads to seniors by 2020. The iPads will have apps that facilitate check-ins and remind seniors to take their medications, eat and exercise.

CONTACT INFORMATION FOR CANADA POST REVIEW

Step 1: Providing input to the task force now

The task force is collecting input from Canadians through a 'question of the week'. It is also providing a number of ways for people to make general comments (June 23rd deadline for municipalities and organizations, end of July deadline for public):

- Online: Canada.ca/canadapostreview
- Email: TPSGC.ExamendeSPC-CPCReview.PWGSC@tpsgc-pwgsc.gc.ca
- Twitter: Tweet and use #CPReview2016 hashtag
- Facebook: Like, share and comment at [Facebook.com/Canada-Post-Review-521437564704406](https://www.facebook.com/Canada-Post-Review-521437564704406)
- **Instagram:** Share photos and include the #CPReview2016 hashtag
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Please share your input with us at Feedback@cupw-sttp.org or mail to Mike Palecek, President, Canadian Union of Postal Workers, 377 Bank Street, Ottawa, Ontario, K2P 1Y3

What to say?

Tell the task force what you want from your public postal service and what you don't want. Make suggestions on how postal services could be expanded. You can get information on new services and other issues in the weeks to come at CUPW.ca/canadapostreview

Step 2: Providing input to the parliamentary committee in the fall

The government says that details about the parliamentary committee's consultations will be made public as they become available.

Public review on future of Canada Post

Whereas Canada Post announced drastic cutbacks to our public postal service in December 2013, including plans to end home mail delivery in our country.

Whereas there was a huge public outcry in response to the cutbacks and stiff opposition from most federal parties, including the Liberal Party, which promised to halt the delivery cuts and conduct a review of Canada Post, if elected.

Whereas the delivery cuts were halted and our Liberal government is currently conducting a Canada Post Review, starting with an independent task force that will collect input from Canadians, do research, gather facts and draft a discussion paper in September of 2016, identifying viable options for postal service in this country.

Whereas a parliamentary committee will consult with Canadians in the fall of 2016 on the options that have been identified in the task force's discussion paper and then make recommendations to the government on the future of Canada Post.

Whereas it will be crucial for the task force and parliamentary committee to hear our views on key issues, including the importance of maintaining the moratorium on post office closures, improving the Canadian Postal Service Charter, restoring home mail delivery, keeping daily delivery, adding postal banking, greening Canada Post, and developing services to assist people with disabilities and help older Canadians to remain in their homes for as long as possible.

Therefore be it resolved that (name of municipality) provide input to the Canada Post Review task force and make a submission when the parliamentary committee consults with Canadians this fall.



For immediate release:

FONOM Pleased that Northern Liberal MPPs will Hold Cabinet Positions

June 14, 2016 – Kapuskasing, ON - The Federation of Northern Ontario Municipalities (FONOM) is pleased that all four Northern Liberal MPPs will hold important Cabinet portfolios as announced yesterday by Premier Kathleen Wynne at Queen's Park.

The massive midterm Cabinet shuffle saw the addition of seven new members of the Executive Council, Ministries reconstructed and renamed, and a push for gender parity, with 40 percent of Cabinet now being represented by women.

The Honourable Michael Gravelle will remain as the Minister of Northern Development and Mines, a portfolio he has held for several years. As an MPP from Thunder Bay – Superior North, he knows the issues inside and out. "We are pleased to have the continuity of leadership within this portfolio. Minister Gravelle is a true champion for Northern Ontario and is always available to listen to our issues and concerns," said Mayor Alan Spacek of Kapuskasing and President of FONOM.

"While we are disappointed that Minister Mauro will no longer be the Minister of Natural Resources and Forestry, a portfolio which is of utmost importance to FONOM and one that Mauro truly understands, we are pleased to have him as the Minister of Municipal Affairs," said Spacek. The MPP for Thunder Bay – Atikokan held the portfolio for a short time in 2014 and is also a former Thunder Bay City Councillor. "We are confident he can appreciate the challenges facing municipalities, particularly in the North," continued Spacek.

Minister David Oraziotti who represents the riding of Sault Ste. Marie moves into his new role with the Ministry of Community Safety and Correctional Services. This will be a critical file moving forward as the Province has been consulting extensively in an effort to modernize the Police Services Act to reflect the current nature of policing. Policing has changed significantly since the Act was written more than two decades ago. In 2015, the Policing Modernization Task Force of the Association of Municipalities of Ontario (AMO) released a report with key recommendations to update the Police Services Act. As Chair of the Task Force, President Spacek, along with AMO, are looking forward to further discussion with the Ministry on the implementation of the recommendations.

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Sudbury MPP, Glenn Thibeault, was promoted to the Executive Council with the title of Minister of Energy. Energy costs continue to hurt municipalities, families and resource based industries. "We are pleased that this portfolio will be led by a Northerner that truly understands the energy costs in our region," says Spacek.

There were several Ministers that retained their portfolios including Minister of Health and Long-Term Care, Hon. Eric Hoskins; Minister of Agriculture, Food and Rural Affairs, Hon. Jeff Leal; Minister of Transportation, Hon. Steven Del Duca; Minister of Environment and Climate Change, Hon. Glen Murray; and the rebranded Ministry of Economic Development and Growth, Hon. Brad Duguid.

We are looking forward to continuing to work with Cabinet to ensure that Northern Ontario is prosperous for generations to come.

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Dear Seija Deschenes,

**SUBJECT: Broad-scale Monitoring Program work on
Manitou Lake**

From approximately June 20 to September 30, Ministry of Natural Resources and Forestry (MNR) science crews will be conducting netting operations on Manitou Lake. Netting will take five to eight days to complete. Nets are checked and moved daily to a new location.

Notices will be posted at various locations like the public boat launch and retail stores located on the lake during the netting operations. While the lake is being monitored all nets will be clearly marked with orange MNR buoys. Please don't lift the nets or buoys, and avoid recreational activities between and around the buoys.

The broad-scale monitoring program is designed to monitor the current and changing state of fisheries across Ontario. This is year four of the second five-year cycle to collect information for fisheries management. Approximately 58 lakes will be assessed this summer in the Northeast Region. MNR science crews will collect information on fish species, take water samples, and check for invasive species. This information will be used by biologists to evaluate the health of fish populations and make management decisions for Fisheries Management Zones 7, 8, and 10.

Attached is a fact sheet with more information about the broad-scale program. A summary of the first cycle is available on the Fish ON-Line website at Ontario.ca/fishing.

If you have any questions about the fieldwork, please contact Michelle Gillespie at 705 235-1227 or Kevin Leblond at 705 235-1137.

Yours truly,

Dave Etheridge
Co-ordinator
Northeast Biodiversity and Monitoring Unit

Broad-scale Monitoring Program

Monitoring the health of Ontario's inland lakes

Recreational fishing is enjoyed annually by over 1.3 million anglers, and contributes nearly \$2.5 billion to the Ontario economy. The Ministry of Natural Resources and Forestry (MNRF) is working to maintain healthy fish stocks as they are an important environmental indicator. Healthy fish stocks ensure that present and future generations continue to enjoy high-quality fishing and the associated social and economic benefits.

In 2004, MNRF introduced the Ecological Framework for Fisheries Management to enhance fisheries management in Ontario. This new framework helps the ministry manage fisheries for the future by simplifying regulations and providing more public involvement. Increasing our understanding of inland lakes and their fisheries is an important part of this approach.

Broad-scale monitoring

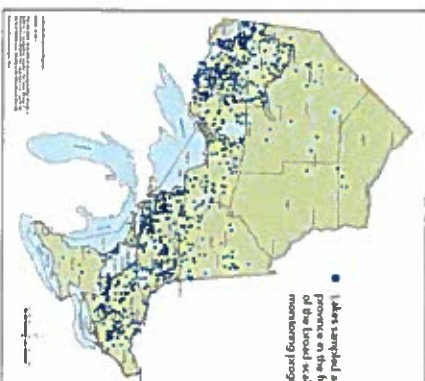
In 2008, MNRF began a long-term program to monitor the health of Ontario's lakes. The broad-scale fisheries monitoring program is improving the ministry's understanding of the current and changing state of fisheries and other aquatic resources, identifying stresses on the resources, and reporting on changes over time such as angling pressure. Lakes are randomly selected in each fisheries management zone for species like lake trout, walleye and brook trout, although the program monitors all species in the lake. Some lakes will be re-surveyed every five years for trend through time analysis.

Fisheries management zones

In January 2008, 20 fisheries management zones (FMZs) replaced the former 37 fishing divisions. These zones are now the unit of management for most lakes in Ontario. Fishing regulations, such as catch limits and seasons, are based on these zones. Fish will also be monitored and assessed at the zone level.



Monitoring highlights...



In 2012, MNRF science staff completed the first five-year cycle of the broad-scale monitoring program. Nearly 630 lakes were sampled across the province.

Approximately 170 lakes will be sampled in 2016, which is year four of the second cycle. Some lakes that were sampled in the first cycle will be resampled, and new lakes will be added to the program.

During these lake surveys, science staff sample fish to estimate abundance, and record characteristics such as length, weight, and age. Some fish are tested for contaminants. See the Guide to Eating Ontario Sport Fish at www.ontario.ca/fishguide. The Ministry of the Environment and Climate Change (MEOCC) is responsible for publishing this information.

Water temperatures, oxygen levels, and water clarity are also recorded. Samples from selected lakes are sent to the MEOCC for water-quality analysis.

Certain lakes are examined for invasive species like spiny waterlilies and rusty crayfish. Invasive species were found in a number of additional lakes in the first cycle.

Broad-scale lake surveys

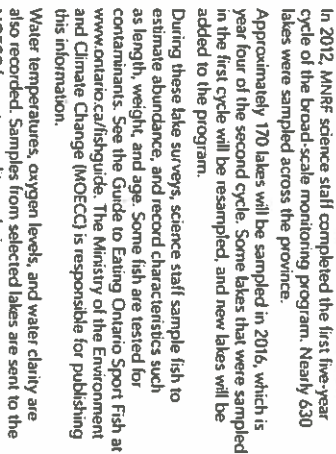


An MNRF science crew pulling in a gill net during a lake survey. Each lake is surveyed with two types of nets: large mesh that captures game fish, and small mesh that captures forage fish. The relative density (fish/net) of each species is calculated by lake and compared with other lakes in the zone.

Science staff across Ontario



Science staff working for the Broad Scale Monitoring Program across Ontario spend time summer conducting fieldwork, travelling from lake to lake setting and sampling fish. They are helping Ontario to put science to work managing our fisheries more effectively.



Fish caught include lake trout, brook trout, walleye, northern pike, common white suckers, yellow perch, rock bass, redear sunfish, whitefish, cisco, emerald shiner, spottail shiner, ninespine stickleback, and round goby.



Most inland lakes can be reached by road or an ATV, but many remote inland lakes require hiking in.



A crew getting equipment ready to fly into a lake. In addition, aerial surveys are flown over selected lakes during the summer, and sometimes again in the winter. The total estimated angling pressure is calculated for each zone.



A crew measuring and recording fish length and weight (as well as other characteristics not shown).

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