



Municipality of West Elgin

Minutes

Recreation Committee

April 21, 2021, 7:00 p.m.

Electronic Participation Meeting via Zoom

Present: K. Neil, Chair
Councillor A. Cammaert
Councillor T. Tellier
M. Perry

Regrets: G. Blanchard

Staff Present: J. Nethercott, Clerk
Emily Jocius
Lee Gosnell

1. Call to Order

Chair Ken Neil called the meeting to order at 7:10 p.m.

2. Adoption of Agenda

Moved: Councillor Tellier

Seconded: M. Perry

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

Carried

3. Disclosure of Pecuniary Interest

No disclosures

4. Minutes

Moved: Councillor Cammaert

Seconded: Councillor Tellier

That the West Elgin Recreation Committee adopts the minutes of March 17, 2021 as printed and circulated.

Carried

5. Business Arising from Minutes

No business arising from the minutes.

6. Staff Reports

6.2 Verbal COVID-19 Update

L. Gosnell provided a verbal update regarding the covid-19 regulations which has brought all indoor and outdoor recreation to a closed until further notice.

6.1 Verbal Operational Update

Lee Gosnell, Manager of Operations and Community Services gave a brief verbal update on the current operations. The province announced new COVID-19 regulations which has prompted a stop in indoor and outdoor recreation until at least May 21, 2021. Currently all recreation programming has been cancelled until the regulations are lifted.

7. New Business

L. Gosnell reported that one Parks and Recreation Operator tested the idea of hosting Roller Blading in the arena throughout the summer. Currently the roller blading would work but we would like to revisit the idea in the summer as the floor conditions may change due to humidity.

Ken Neil reported the West Lorne Optimist playground equipment official grand opening will be on June 19, 2021. The Optimist are hopefully for an outdoor event but will have to plan more closely to the date due to COVID-19 restrictions.

8. Closed Session

Moved: Councillor Cammaert

Seconded: M. Perry

That the West Elgin Recreation Committee hereby processed into closed session at 7:19 p.m. under section 239 (2B) of the *Municipal Act 2001* consideration will be given to personal matters about identifiable individual(s).

Carried

9. Report from Closed Session

The West Elgin Recreation Committee provided direction to Staff with regards to identifiable individuals.

10. Adjournment

Moved: Councillor Tellier

Seconded: Councillor Cammaert

That West Elgin Recreation Committee hereby adjourn at 7:45p.m. to meet again at the call of the chair

Carried

Ken Neil, Chair

Emily Jocius, Recording Secretary