The Corporation of the Town of



TREES AND TRAILS ADVISORY PANEL MEETING AGENDA

Held on Thursday, July 20th at 1:00 PM at Town Hall – 30 King Street East (Council Chambers, Second Floor)

Video Conference Link: Click Here

1.	Call Meeting to Order	
2.	Disclosure of Pecuniary Interest & General Nature Thereof	
3.	Approval of Minutes (Adoption) – June 15 th , 2023	
4.	Public Question/Comment (Only Addressing Reports on the Agenda)	
5.	Disclosure of Additional Items	
6.	Delegations – None	
7.	Presentations by Staff (Others) – None	
8.	Unfinished Business	
	Trail Signage Update – Trail Markers & Lions Trail Signage (Doug/Gerry/Robert)	
	2. Eligible Tree Planting Locations/Commemorative Trees (Doug)	
9.	Correspondence – None	
10.	New Business/Reports	
	Naming Gananoque Trails (Councillor Osmond)	
11.	Discussion of Additional Items – Round Table	
12.	Next Regular Meeting – August 17, 2023 at 1:00 PM	
13.	Questions from the Media	
14.	Adjournment	

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TREES AND TRAILS ADVISORY PANEL MINUTES

On Thursday, June 15th at 1:00 PM Council Chambers – Town Hall, 30 King Street East Gananoque and Webex

COMMITTEE MEMBERS PRESENT		STAFF PRESENT
Chair:	Acting Chair Councillor Anne Marie Koiner	Mitchell Kirby, Urban Forestry Coordinator
Members:	David Frid	David Armstrong, Manager of Public Works (Online)
	Gerry Brown	Robert Kennedy, Facilities Superintendent
	Terry Childs	Lynsey Zufelt, Recording Secretary
	Therese Conway	
Regrets:	Councillor David Osmond	
	Doug Bickerton	
	Calder Schweitzer	

1.	Call Meeting to Order Acting Chair Anne Marie Koiner, Council Representative, called the meeting to order at 1:08 PM		
2.	Disclosure of Pecuniary Interest & General Nature Thereof – None		
3.	Adoption of Minutes		
	TTAP-Motion #23-010 – Adoption of Minutes May, 11th 2023		
	Moved By: David Frid Seconded By: Terry Childs		
	BE IT RESOLVED THAT THE TREES AND TRAILS ADVISORY PANEL ADOPT THE MINUTES OF THE MAY 11^{TH} , 2023 MEETING, AS AMENDED.		
	CARRIED - UNANIMOUS		
4.	Public Question / Comment - None		
5.	Disclosure of Additional Items – None		
	 Member David Frid: Tree Canopy and Natural Vegetation Policy; and Staff Member Robert Kennedy: Maintenance of grass area at corner of Water Street and Stone Street South 		

6.	Delegations – None		
7.	Presentations by Staff (Others) – None		
8.	Unfinished Business		
	Trail Signage Update: Staff advised that the markers & posts have been ordered and are currently awaiting supplier for timeline on signage.		
	2. Eligible Tree Planting Location: Nothing to report at this time.		
9.	Correspondence – None		
10.	New Business/Reports		
	Naming Gananoque Trails: Deferred to next meeting.		
11.	Discussion of Additional Items (Round Table)		
	 a) Tree Canopy and Natural Vegetation Policy – At this time, the Panel Members discussed the current Policy and how it can be improved to meet the Town's needs. Member David Frid and Staff Member Mitchell Kirby will look at next steps and will report back to the Panel at the next meeting. b) Following discussion and consultation with Panel members regarding the grass area along Water Street and Stone Street South, it was determined that Staff will report back to the Panel at the next meeting. c) The Trees and Trails Advisory Panel would like to extend their appreciation and admiration for their work in developing Hal McCarney Park, located at the end of William Street South, and South Street. 		
12.	Next Meeting – Thursday, July 20 th at 1:00 PM		
13.	Questions from the Media – None		
14.	Adjournment		
	TTAP-Motion #23-011 Moved by: Panel Member Gerry Brown Be it resolved that the Trees and Trails Advisory Panel hereby adjourn the June 15 th , 2023 meeting at 1:58 PM CARRIED – UNANIMOUS		
Councillor A	Anne Marie Koiner, Acting Chair Lynsey Zufelt, Recording Secretary		