Peterborough Environmental Advisory Committee Minutes

April 15, 2026

Doris Room

Present	Councillor Duguay (electronic) Jerry Matwey Victoria Papuga, Chair, (electronic) Dylan Radcliffe
Regrets	Councillor Lachica Barb Rimmer
Staff	Ian Boland, Director, Asset Management and Capital Planning James Byrne, Climate Change Specialist Stacy Dedlow, Committee Support Specialist Jasmine Gibson, Planning Ecologist (electronic) Curtis Mei, Manager, Water Resource Systems (electronic)

Call to Order

The Committee Support Specialist called the meeting to order at 5:31 p.m.

Land Acknowledgement

Election of Officers

Chair

Moved by Dylan Radcliffe

That Victoria Papuga be appointed as Chair of the Peterborough Environmental Advisory Committee for 2026.

Carried

Vice-Chair

Moved by Dylan Radcliffe

That Jerry Matway be appointed as Vice Chair of the Peterborough Environmental Advisory Committee for 2026.

Carried

Victoria Papuga assumed the Chair position.

Confirmation of Minutes

Moved by Dylan Radcliffe

That the meeting minutes from the Peterborough Environmental Advisory Committee meeting of December 10, 2025 be approved.

Carried

Disclosure of Pecuniary Interest

There were no disclosures of pecuniary interest.

Consent Agenda

Moved by Dylan Radcliffe

That Report PEAC26-002, Climate Initiatives Update, Report PEAC 26-004, Climate Initiatives Update, Report PEAC26-005, Leading Living Cities Project Summary, and Report PEAC26-007, Climate Initiatives Update are approved on consent.

Carried

Climate Initiatives Update, Report PEAC26-002

That the Peterborough Environmental Advisory Committee approves the recommendation outlined in Report PEAC26-002, dated April 15, 2026, of the Director of Asset Management and Capital Planning (Acting) as follows:

That the report be received for information.

Climate Initiatives Update, Report PEAC26-004

That the Peterborough Environmental Advisory Committee approve the recommendation outlined in Report PEAC26-004, dated April 15, 2026, of the Director of Asset Management and Capital Planning (Acting) as follows:

That the report be received for information.

Leading Living Cities Project Summary, Report PEAC26-005

That the Peterborough Environmental Advisory Committee approve the recommendation outlined in Report PEAC26-005, dated April 15, 2026, of the Director of Asset Management and Capital Planning (Acting) as follows:

That the report be received for information.

Climate Initiatives Update, Report PEAC26-007

That the Peterborough Environmental Advisory Committee approve the recommendation outlined in Report PEAC26-007, dated April 15, 2026, of the Director of Asset Management and Capital Planning (Acting) as follows:

That the report be received for information.

Moved by Dylan Radcliffe

That the Peterborough Environmental Advisory Committee modifies the agenda so item 8.a, is discussed before the presentations.

Carried

Reports

2026 Peterborough Environmental Advisory Committee Meeting Revised Schedule, Report PEAC26-001

Moved by Jerry Matwey

That the Peterborough Environmental Advisory Committee approve the recommendation outlined in Report PEAC26-001 dated April 15, 2026, of the Director, Asset Management and Capital Planning (Acting), as follows:

That the 2026 PEAC revised meeting schedule be approved.

Carried

Moved by Dylan Radcliffe

That staff circulate an email, gather input, and revisit the PEAC schedule at the next meeting.

Carried

Presentations

Integrated Solar PV Canopy and Stormwater Retention Capabilities at Municipal Parking Lots, Report PEAC26-008

Moved by Dylan Radcliffe

That the Peterborough Environmental Advisory Committee approve the recommendation outlined in Report PEAC26-008, dated April 15, 2026, of the Director of Asset Management and Capital Planning (Acting) as follows:

That the presentation from the University of Waterloo research team be received for information.

Carried

Jackson Park Management Plan Project Update, Report PEAC26-003

Moved by Jerry Matwey

That the Peterborough Environmental Advisory Committee approve the recommendations outlined in Report PEAC26-003, dated April 15, 2026, of the Director of Asset Management and Capital Planning (Acting) as follows:

a) **That the presentation be received for information; and**

b) **That the Committee review and provide comment on the content contained in Report PEAC26-003 and presentation and on the project's engagement site.**

Carried

Stormwater Utility Rate Study - Status Update and Upcoming Engagement, Report PEAC26-006

Moved by Dylan Radcliffe

That the Peterborough Environmental Advisory Committee (PEAC) approve the recommendations outlined in Report PEAC26-006, dated April 15, 2026, of the Director of Asset Management and Capital Planning (Acting) as follows:

That the report and presentation from the Manager of Water Resources (Acting) be received for information.

Carried

Moved by Dylan Radcliffe

That the Peterborough Environmental Advisory Committee receives the report with a strong preference for option 3 and the inclusion of Industrial, Commercial, Institutional (ICI) and multi-res.

Carried

Other Business

There were no items of other business.

Next Meeting - May 13, 2026

Adjournment

Moved by Jerry Matwey

That this meeting be adjourned at 7:10 p.m.

Carried

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Stacy Dedlow

Committee Support Specialist

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Victoria Papuga

Chair