Peterborough Environmental Advisory Committee Minutes

May 21, 2025
Doris Room

Present	Councillor Lachica Jerry Matwey Dylan Radcliffe, Chair Barb Rimmer Merilyn Twiss
Regrets	Victoria Papuga Councillor Duguay
Staff	James Byrne, Climate Change Specialist Ian Boland, Director, Asset Management and Capital Planning (Acting) Stacy Dedlow, Committee Support Specialist Robert Dunford, Transportation Planning Manager Curtis Mei, Stormwater Systems Specialist (electronic) Lindsay Stroud, Transportation Demand Management Planner

Call to Order

The meeting was called to order at 5:28 p.m.

Land Acknowledgement

Confirmation of Minutes

Moved by Barb Rimmer

That the meeting minutes from the Peterborough Environmental Advisory Committee meeting of March 19, 2025 be approved.

Carried

Disclosure of Pecuniary Interest

Dylan Radcliffe declared a pecuniary interest on the Charlotte West Streetscape Project, Report PEAC25-010, due to his employment.

Consent Agenda

Moved by Barb Rimmer

That Report PEAC25-006, Climate Initiatives Update and Report PEAC25-008, Past PEAC Resolutions be approved on consent.

Carried

Report PEAC25-006, Climate Initiatives Update

That the Peterborough Environmental Advisory Committee (PEAC) approves the recommendation outlined in Report PEAC25-006, dated May 21, 2025, of the Director of Asset Management and Capital Planning (Acting) as follows:

That the report be received for information.

Report PEAC25-008, Past PEAC Resolutions

That the Peterborough Environmental Advisory Committee (PEAC) approves the recommendations outlined in Report PEAC25-008, dated May 21, 2025, of the Director of Asset Management and Capital Planning (Acting) as follows:

a) That the report be received for information; and

b) That the resolutions outlined in Background a) to g) in the report be reviewed with any update provided by the Chair of PEAC as to the status of each motion, as required.

Presentations

Moved by Merilyn Twiss

That the Peterborough Environmental Advisory Committee amends the order of agenda by starting with 6.b, Otonabee River Trail and Shoreline Improvements Project Update, Report PEAC25-009 followed by 6.a, Charlotte Street West Streetscape Project, Report PEAC25-010

Carried

Otonabee River Trail and Shoreline Improvements Project Update, Report PEAC25-009

Moved by Barb Rimmer

That the Peterborough Environmental Advisory Committee (PEAC) approve the recommendation outlined in Report PEAC25-009, dated May 21, 2025, of the Director of Asset Management and Capital Planning (Acting) as follows:

a) That the presentation from City staff on the Otonabee River Trail and Shoreline Improvement Project be received for information; and

b) That the Committee provide feedback on environmental matters related to the proposed concepts for consideration by staff.

Carried

Curtis Mei left the meeting at 6:11 p.m.

Dylan Radcliffe vacated the Chair and Acting Chair, Merilyn Twiss assumed the Chair.

Charlotte Street West Streetscape Project, Report PEAC25-010

Moved by Jerry Matwey

That the Peterborough Environmental Advisory Committee (PEAC) approve the recommendations outlined in Report PEAC25-010, dated May 21, 2025, of the Director of Asset Management and Capital Planning (Acting) as follows:

a) That a presentation of the conceptual design for Charlotte Street between Park Street North and Aylmer Street North be received for information; and

b) That the Peterborough Environmental Advisory Committee provides the Transportation Planning Section with feedback on the conceptual design for Charlotte Street, including any considerations to enhance environmental protection.

Carried

Dylan Radcliffe assumed the Chair.

Lindsay Stroud and Robert Dunford left the meeting at 6:42 p.m.

Terms of Reference, Report PEAC25-007

Moved by Jerry Matwey

That the Peterborough Environmental Advisory Committee (PEAC) approves the recommendation outlined in Report PEAC25-007, dated May 21, 2025, of the Director of Asset Management and Capital Planning (Acting) as follows:

That the report be received for information.

Carried

Moved by Councillor Lachica

That staff provide a verbal update to the Peterborough Environmental Advisory Committee following the public consultation on the Otonabee River Trail and Shoreline Improvements Project.

Carried

Next Meeting – June 25, 2025

Adjournment

Moved by Merilyn Twiss

That this meeting be adjourned at 7:05 p.m.

Carried

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Stacy Dedlow

Committee Support Specialist

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Dylan Radcliffe

Chair