Peterborough Environmental Advisory Committee Minutes

December 10, 2025
Doris Room

Present	Councillor Lachica Jerry Matwey Victoria Papuga Dylan Radcliffe, Chair Barb Rimmer
Regrets	Councillor Duguay
Staff	Ian Boland, Director, Asset Management and Capital Planning (Acting) James Byrne, Climate Change Specialist Stacy Dedlow, Committee Support Specialist

Call to Order

The meeting was called to order at 5:34 p.m.

Land Acknowledgement

Confirmation of Minutes

Moved by Jerry Matwey

That the meeting minutes from the Peterborough Environmental Advisory Committee meeting of October 29, 2025 be approved.

Carried

Disclosure of Pecuniary Interest

There were no disclosures of Pecuniary Interest

Presentations

Alternative Fuel Study for Transit Vehicles Report PEAC25-019

Barb Rimmer joined at 5:42 p.m.

Seth McDermott from Arcadis presented to the Committee.

Moved by Jerry Matwey

That the Peterborough Environmental Advisory Committee approve the recommendations outlined in Report PEAC25-019, dated December 10, 2025, 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 comments on the findings of the Alternative Fuel Study for Transit Vehicles.

Carried

Moved by Barb Rimmer

That the Peterborough Environmental Advisory Committee (PEAC) endorse the findings and recommendations of the Arcadis Alternative Fuel Study; and

That PEAC recommend Council support a battery electric bus pilot project as an initial step in evaluating battery-electric technology for the City's transit system.

Carried

Other Business

There were no items of other business.

Next Meeting - January 14, 2026

Adjournment

Moved by Jerry Matwey

That the meeting adjourn at 6:53 p.m.

Carried

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Stacy Dedlow

Committee Support Specialist

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Dylan Radcliffe

Chair