



# *Muskoka*

## WATERSHED COUNCIL

### Minutes

Friday, June 18, 2010  
1:00 p.m.

Birch Room – District Municipality of Muskoka  
70 Pine Street, Bracebridge

---

#### **Present:**

Rob Milligan  
Ben Boivin  
Lou Guerriero  
Anna Mallin  
Don McVittie  
Peter Sale  
Ian Turnbull (@ 2:00)  
Scott Young

Patricia Arney  
Margaret Casey  
Isobel Heathcote  
Mary McCulley  
Greg Mierle  
Al Shaw  
Alicia Tyson

Ken Black  
Louise Cragg  
Caroline Konarzewski  
Jan McDonnell  
Mary Robertson Lacroix  
Brian Sturgeon  
Debbie Vernon

#### **Regrets:**

Dan Brooks  
Tonia Di Sabatino  
Don MacKay  
Peter Seybold  
Jim Walden

Fran Coleman  
Diane Griffin  
Steve Munro  
Paul Stueck  
Paul Wiancko

Patsy Cross  
Neil Hutchinson  
Ken Riley  
Brian Tapley

#### **Staff:**

Judi Brouse (@ 2:40)

Rebecca Willison

#### **Guests:**

Winston Young

Summer Valentine

Samantha Hastings

#### **Welcome**

Rob Milligan called the meeting to order at 1:05 p.m. by welcoming members and guests. Autobiographies were postponed until the September meeting.

#### **Confirmation of Minutes**

**MOTION** by Ben Boivin, seconded by Scott Young

THAT the minutes of the Muskoka Watershed Council meeting dated May 21, 2010 be approved.

**CARRIED**

### **Activity Report**

**MOTION** by Margaret Casey, seconded by Ben Boivin

THAT the Activity Report for June 2010 be approved.

**CARRIED**

### **DMM Visioning Workshop**

District Municipality of Muskoka planners Summer Valentine and Samantha Hastings led MWC members through a workshop to gain input into DMM's [Muskoka Moving Forward Visioning Initiative](#). Similar workshops will be conducted throughout Muskoka with various community groups during the summer. Input can also be provided through the [online survey](#) until September 1<sup>st</sup>.

### **Updates & New Business**

- Report Card presentations have been given to all Area Municipalities. A presentation package has been developed for MWC members giving Report Card presentations at community events this summer.
- The [2010 Freshwater Summit](#) communiqué will be presented to Tony Clement tomorrow. Show your support for the Draft Canadian Charter of Water Rights and Responsibilities by signing the [online petition](#).

### **Correspondence & Articles**

- None

### **Next Meeting**

Friday, September 24, 2010 at 1:00 pm in the Council Chambers at The District Municipality of Muskoka administration building.

### **Adjournment**

Rob Milligan adjourned the meeting at 2:45 p.m.