

MUSKOKA WATERSHED COUNCIL

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Agenda

Date: Friday, January 19, 2024

Time: 1:00 - 3:00 pm

In-person: Council Chambers - District of Muskoka

70 Pine Street, Bracebridge, ON P1L 1N3

Online: Zoom

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1. Welcome and Opening Remarks – Chair Peter Sale (15 min))

- 1.1. Indigenous Land Acknowledgement Patricia Arney
- 1.2. Approval of Minutes

THAT the Minutes of the Muskoka Watershed Council meeting dated November 24, 2023 be approved.

1.3. Business Arising from the Minutes

2. Presentation

2.1. Monitoring Prairie Warblers – Aaron Rusak, Protected Areas Manager, Georgian Bay Land Trust (40 min)

Last summer, the <u>GBLT</u> conducted <u>MOTUS</u> tagging on Prairie Warblers in Georgian Bay to understand the territory size and habitat requirements of the species, as well as to track its migratory movements. During his presentation, Aaron will share some results of the project and what it might mean for the species.

- 3. Committee Updates (5 min each)
 - 3.1. IWM Community Roundtable Kevin Trimble
 - 3.2. Communications Committee Julia Rodgerson
 - 3.3. Finance Committee Daryle Moffatt
 - 3.4. Fundraising Committee Daryle Moffatt
 - 3.5. Membership Committee Michael Peppard
- 4. **Program Updates** (5 min each)
 - 4.1. Algae Monitoring Program Peter Sale
 - 4.2. Doug Cross Stewardship Recognition Program Rebecca Willison
 - 4.3. Love Your Lake Program Rebecca Willison
- 5. **Partner Updates** (5 min each)
 - 5.1. Government Updates Open to elected municipal representatives and staff
 - 5.2. Partner Updates (e.g., Province, Health Unit, Lake Associations, Community Organizations) Open to All

6. New Business

7. Adjournment

NEXT MWC MEETING: Friday, February 23rd at 1 pm in the Community Room at the Paramedic Station/Fire Hall, located at 225 Taylor Road in Bracebridge. This meeting will also be the Annual General Meeting.