



Agenda

Friday, May 23, 2014
1:00 pm

Council Chambers – District Municipality of Muskoka
70 Pine Street, Bracebridge

- 1. Welcome and Introductions** – Peter Sale
- 2. Consent Agenda Items** – Peter Sale
 - 2.1. THAT the Minutes of the Muskoka Watershed Council meeting dated April 25, 2014 be approved.
 - 2.2. Correspondence & Articles
- 3. Chair's Items**
- 4. Engaging the Community**
 - 4.1. Building Bridges with the Business Community: Experience from the Georgian Bay Biosphere – *Becky Pollock*, [Georgian Bay Biosphere Reserve](#)
- 5. Recent Activity – Brief Updates**
 - 5.1. [Muskoka Watershed Report Card](#)
 - 5.2. [Muskoka Summit on the Environment](#)
- 6. Telling it like it is! A Project Framework**
 - 6.1. Discussion and development of working groups
- 7. Activity Report**
 - 7.1. Executive Committee
 - 7.2. Policy & Research Committee
 - 7.3. Strategic Directions Committee
 - 7.4. Communications Committee
- 8. Updates and New Business**
 - 8.1. Member Organizations Update
 - 8.1.1. FMW
 - 8.1.2. DMM
 - 8.1.3. MSE
 - 8.1.4. Others
- 9. Committee Meetings** – *All MWC members are welcome to attend.*
 - 9.1. Policy & Research – Friday, June 20, 2014, 10:00 am, Foot's Bay Community Centre
 - 9.2. Strategic Directions – Friday, June 6, 2014, 10:00 am, Birch Room

9.3. Communications – Scheduled as needed

9.4. Executive – Friday, September 5, 2014, 1:00 pm, Tamarack Room

10. Next MWC Meeting

Friday, June 20, 2014 at the Foot's Bay Community Centre (1006 Buckeye Road) in MacTier.

This is our annual lunch and activity to bring our meetings to an end for the summer.

10:00 am Policy & Research Committee meeting

11:00 am Friends of the Muskoka Watershed Annual General Meeting

12:00 pm Lunch (will be provided)

1:00 pm Scales Nature Park will give a presentation on local turtles and snakes using live specimens. The presentation will talk about the turtle monitoring program being planned for Muskoka this summer. There will be many volunteer opportunities.

2:00 pm Jan McDonnell will lead a hike in the MacTier wetland so we can look for turtles.

3:00 pm Have a great summer.

11. Adjournment