

## **Minutes**

Friday, February 23, 2024 1:00 pm

Training Room (Muskoka Paramedic Services) & Zoom

Present (In-person)

Peter Sale (Chair)Nancy AlcockJoan FrainAndrew FyfeNeil HutchinsonPete LeMoineDon MacintoshDaryle MoffattDavid ParsonsMichael PeppardGeoff RossAaron Rusak

Kevin Trimble

Present (Zoom)

Brian Bochek Susan Boudreau Mario Buszynski
Javier Cappella John Cooper Ann Curley
Lance DeCaire Jo-Anne Goodwin Cathy Oakden

**MWC Staff** 

Rebecca Willison

**DMM Staff** 

Glenn Cunnington

Guests

Amanda Porter (MC) Will Barbour Rupert Kindersley (GBA) \*

Carol Latimer Preston Nielsen \*

\* Attended by Zoom

### Welcome

MWC Chair Peter Sale called the meeting to order at 1:05 pm. MWC member Joan Frain provided an Indigenous Land Acknowledgement. Peter noted that the minutes of the MWC meeting held on January 19, 2024 will be approved at the March MWC meeting.

#### **Presentation**

Nature Conservation Strategies – Amanda Porter, Conservation Co-Ordinator, Muskoka Conservancy

Amanda highlighted some of the Muskoka Conservancy's newest nature reserves and talked about the different types of activities available on the different properties. She discussed some of the partnerships the Conservancy has in the community with different groups and businesses.

Following her presentation, Amanda responded to questions. Peter Sale thanked her for the incredible work the Muskoka Conservancy undertakes as well as for her presentation.

# **Next MWC Meeting**

MWC's next meeting is scheduled for Friday, March 22<sup>nd</sup> at 1:00 pm in the Council Chambers at the District of Muskoka administration building, located at 70 Pine Street in Bracebridge, and through Zoom.

## Adjournment

Peter Sale adjourned the meeting at 1:40 pm.

MWC's Annual General Meeting commenced at the close of the regular MWC meeting.