



**City of Kingston
Rural Advisory Committee
Meeting Number 01-2015
Agenda**

**Wednesday February 25, 2015 at 6:30 p.m.
Glenburnie Fire Station
1485 Unity Road, Kingston**

Please provide regrets to Catalina Blumenberg, Committee Clerk at
613-546-4291, extension 1317 or cblumenberg@cityofkingston.ca

Committee Composition

Councillor Allen
Councillor Boehme
Ms. Conway
Ms. Davidson
Mr. Sutherland
Mr. Tolls
Mr. Wolfe

- 1. Meeting to Order**
- 2. Election of Officers**
- 3. Approval of the Agenda**
- 4. Confirmation of Minutes**
- a) That the Minutes of the Rural Advisory Committee Meeting Number 05-2014 held Thursday November 17, 2014 be approved.**

(Distributed December 10, 2014)

- 5. Disclosure of Pecuniary Interest**
- 6. Delegations**
- 7. Briefings**
- 8. Business**
- a) Rural Parks Update**

The Report of the Commissioner, Community Services (RAC-15-003) is attached.

Schedule Pages 1 - 20

Recommendation:

This report is for information purposes only.

b) Community and Park Spaces in Kingston East

The Report of the Commissioner, Corporate and Strategic Initiatives (RAC-15-001) is attached.

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Recommendation:

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c) Planning Applications in the Rural Area

The Report of the Commissioner, Corporate and Strategic Initiatives (RAC-15-002) is attached.

Schedule Pages 33 - 39

Recommendation:

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9. Motions

10. Notices Of Motion

11. Other Business

12. Correspondence

13. Date and time of Next Meeting

14. Adjournment

Schedule B-13 – Advisory Committees

Committee Name: Rural Advisory Committee

Reporting To: Council

Composition (As Appointed by Council):

Membership from outside the urban boundary identified in schedule 2 of the official Plan:

- a) two rural residential representatives
- b) two rural agricultural representatives
- c) one rural-business (farm or non-farm) representative
- d) two city councillors

Term of Appointment:

To expire with the 2010-2014 term of Council or until such time as successors are appointed

Mandate/Terms Of Reference:

The mandate of this committee is to represent the interests of Kingston's rural residents, as they relate to residential, agricultural and rural-business matters, specifically:

1. To serve as a forum for public discussion to examine issues of interest or impact to the rural community, including but not limited to:
 - a. municipal services/infrastructure
 - b. use of private and/or public land
 - c. environmental issues
 - d. socio-economic matters
 - e. wildlife management
 - f. transportation and utility corridors
 - g. snowmobile and ATV use
 - h. hunting and firearms
 - i. trails and private property
 - j. emergency services, access to health and social services and service delivery in rural areas
 - k. proposed or existing federal or provincial legislation, policies and programs
2. To provide input and advice as required , through Council or a standing committee of Council on issues of interest or impact to the rural community, including but not limited to:
 - a. municipal studies, plans, by-laws and proposed projects that may have a potential rural implication
 - b. development of policies and programs

- c. municipal economic strategies
- d. implementation of federal and provincial legislation and programs
- e. potential funding opportunities
- f. strategies to improve the delivery of municipal services, programs and information and ways in which these strategies can meet the needs of rural residents
- g. rural land stewardship programs or proposed projects of the city, community groups or other agencies

(By-law Number 2010-205; 2011-64)

3. Review and recommend appropriate means and methods of communication, including information sessions, public meetings or other to communicate City information to rural residents and promote two-way communication between rural residents and the city.

Schedule of Meetings: This committee will meet on a quarterly basis or at the call of the chair.

(By-law Number 2010-205; 2011-64)