



City of Kingston
Environment, Infrastructure & Transportation Policies Committee
Meeting Number 04-2024
Agenda

Tuesday, April 9, 2024 at 6:00 p.m.
Hosted at City Hall in Council Chamber

Please provide regrets to Iain Sullivan, Committee Clerk at 613-546-4291, extension 1864 or isullivan@cityofkingston.ca

Committee Composition

Councillor Cinanni, Chair
Councillor Amos
Councillor Chaves
Councillor Hassan
Councillor Stephen
Councillor Tozzo

- 1. Meeting to Order**
- 2. Approval of the Agenda**
- 3. Confirmation of Minutes**
 - a) **That** the minutes of Environment, Infrastructure and Transportation Policies Committee Meeting Number 02-2024, held Tuesday, February 13, 2024, be approved.
- 4. Disclosure of Pecuniary Interest**
- 5. Delegations**
 - a) Ron Hartling will be present and speak to the Committee regarding Air Quality in Kingston.

6. Briefings

7. Business

a) Recycling Transition Update / Cart-Based Waste Collection

The Report of the Commissioner of Infrastructure, Transportation & Emergency Services (EITP-24-009) is attached.

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Recommendation:

That the Environment, Infrastructure and Transportation Policies Committee recommend to Council:

That Council direct staff to implement a weekly cart-based collection system for Garbage and Source Separated Organics, based on ~120L carts for each residential unit; and

That Council direct staff to offer, at a cost or through exemptions, 240L carts for garbage collection for each residential unit; and

That Council direct staff to investigate the potential to create a program for bulky item and excess garbage collection; and

That Council direct staff to investigate additional diversion programs after the cart-based waste collection launch in 2025 and return with options for Council consideration.

b) No Mow May

The Report of the Commissioner of Infrastructure, Transportation & Emergency Services (EITP-24-016) is attached.

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Recommendation:

That the Environment, Infrastructure and Transportation Policies Committee recommend to Council:

That the City of Kingston encourage interested residents to increase pollinator-friendly habitats by promoting pollinator-friendly lawncare practices on residential properties from May 1, 2024 to May 31, 2024; and

That Council direct staff to not mow the areas identified in Exhibit A of Report Number EITP-24-016 before June 1, 2024, unless the un-mowed area creates a safety issue associated with roadside line of sight.

c) Little Forests Pilot Program

The Report of the Commissioner of Infrastructure, Transportation & Emergency Services (EITP-24-017) is attached.

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Recommendation:

This report is for information only.

d) Blue Box Transition Update

The Report of the Commissioner of Infrastructure, Transportation & Emergency Services (EITP-24-014) is attached.

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Recommendation:

This report is for information only.

e) Tree Canopy

The Report of the Commissioner of Infrastructure, Transportation & Emergency Services (EITP-24-015) is attached.

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Recommendation:

This report is for information only.

8. Motions

9. Notices of Motion

10. Other Business

11. Correspondence

12. Date of Next Meeting

The next meeting of the Environment, Infrastructure and Transportation Policies Committee is a special meeting scheduled for Wednesday, April 24, 2024 at 6:00 p.m.

13. Adjournment