# Raisin-South Nation Source Protection Committee Meeting

Meeting

No. 14

Date:

Thursday the 28th of May 2009

Time:

9:00 a.m.

Location:

Ramada Inn & Conference Centre

Cornwall, Ontario

In attendance:

Claude Cousineau

Chair

Chris McDonell

United Counties of Stormont, Dundas & Glengarry

Mary McCuaig Glenn Mackey United Counties of Prescott & Russell United Counties of Leeds & Grenville

Norm Levac

City of Cornwall

Shawn McRae

Agriculture

Bill Smirle

Agriculture Agriculture

Brian Powell

Commercial/Industrial

Peggy Taylor Walter Oeggerli

St. Lawrence River Restoration Council

Ray Beauregard

Eastern Ontario Water Resources Committee

Don Munro Tom Van Dusen General Public General Public

Robert Sarrazin

Eastern Ontario Health Unit Liaison

Alton Blair

Raisin Region Source Protection Authority Liaison

Lawrence Levere

South Nation Source Protection Authority Liaison

Mary Wooding

Ministry of Environment Liaison

Regrets:

Joel Potvin

Aggregates

Clive Doucet

City of Ottawa

Denis Perrault

Clean Water Committee

Robert Craftchick

Algonquins of Ontario

Guests:

Rob Muir

Dillon Consulting

David Miller

City of Ottawa

Floyd Dingwall

Past Chair, SNC

Staff:

Richard Pilon

Project Manager

Dan Allaire

SWP Communications Specialist

Ronda Boutz

Project Lead, Stewardship Program

Angela Coleman

Project Lead, Surface Water Studies

Brenda Lee Haskins

SWP Administration Coordinator

1. Chairman's Remarks:

Claude Cousineau welcomed all in attendance and called the meeting to order at 9: 08 a.m.

- 2. Declaration of Conflict of Interest:
  - O General Public representative, Don Munro advised the Source Protection Committee that he has been contracted to work for the Ministry of the Environment to cover a maternity leave vacancy. Most of his assigned tasks will be in the Ottawa region. The Source Protection Committee decided that this action did not constitute any conflict of interest. Don Munro further advised the Source Protection Committee that he would also be filing a declaration with the Ministry of the Environment.
- 3. Approval of Agenda:
  - Claude Cousineau reviewed the agenda with members of the Source Protection Committee.

**MOTION # 30/09** 

MOVED BY: Mary McCuaig SECONDED BY: Chris McDonnell

That the Raisin-South Nation Source Protection Committee approves the agenda for the meeting of the 28<sup>th</sup> of May 2009 as presented.

## CARRIED.

4. Approval of Raisin-South Nation Source Protection Committee (SPC) minutes (23<sup>rd</sup> of April 2009):

**MOTION # 31/09** 

MOVED BY: Ray Beauregard SECONDED BY: Brian Powell

That the Raisin-South Nation Source Protection Committee approves the minutes of the meeting held on the 23<sup>rd</sup> of April 2009 as presented.

#### CARRIED.

- 5. Business Arising from the Minutes:
  - o None was identified.
- 6. New Business:
  - a) Project Management Update:
    - O Richard Pilon reviewed the staff report with the Raisin-South Nation Source Protection Committee to provide an update on the Source Protection Program.

**MOTION # 32/09** 

MOVED BY: Glenn Mackey SECONDED BY: Ray Beauregard

That the Raisin-South Nation Source Protection Committee receives and files the Project Management Update report as presented.

# CARRIED.

- b) Role of the MOE Liaison Officer (presentation):
  - o Mary Wooding provided the Raisin-South Nation Source Protection Committee with an update on the role of the MOE Liaison Officer.
- c) Communications Update:
  - O Dan Allaire reviewed the staff report with the Raisin-South Nation Source Protection Committee to provide an update on the process of rolling out *draft* study results during completion of the Assessment Report.

**MOTION** # 33/09

MOVED BY: Mary McCuaig SECONDED BY: Shawn McRae

That the Raisin-South Nation Source Protection Committee receives and files the Communications Update report as presented.

## CARRIED.

- d) Terms of Reference Update:
  - Dan Allaire reviewed the staff report with the Raisin-South Nation Source Protection Committee to provide an update on the amendments to the Terms of Reference (ToR) endorsed at the April meeting for submission to the Minister.

**MOTION** # 34/09

MOVED BY: Don Munro SECONDED BY: Bill Smirle

That the Raisin-South Nation Source Protection Committee approves the Terms of Reference Amendments Report as presented.

#### CARRIED.

- e) Surface Water Studies Update:
  - Angela Coleman reviewed the staff report with the Raisin-South Nation Source Protection Committee to provide an update on the status of the municipal surface water studies in the Raisin-South Nation Source Protection Region.
  - o Rob Muir of Dillon Consulting presented study results for the intakes at Morrisburg, Long Sault, Cornwall, Glen Walter and Lancaster.

**MOTION** # 35/09

MOVED BY: Bill Smirle SECONDED BY: Mary McCuaig

That the Source Protection Committee receives and files the Surface Water Studies Update report as presented.

# CARRIED.

- 7. General Discussion of SPC Issues and Projects:
  - o Information was provided by SNC Liaison, Lawrence Levere on a septic system product called Shactivate that is currently being used by the Township of Edwardsburgh/Cardinal as a pilot project with special permission from the ministry of the Environment. Mr. Levere has agreed to forward information on this product to Brenda Lee Haskins for distribution to all members of the Source Protection Committee.
  - Mr. Levere also extended an invitation to all members of the Source Protection Committee to the South Nation Conservation open house to tour their new facilities on Friday the 12<sup>th</sup> of June 2009.
- 8. Date of Next Meeting:

Thursday the 25<sup>th</sup> of June 2009 to be held at the South Edwardsburgh Community Centre in Johnstown, Ontario commencing at 9:00 a.m.

9. Correspondence:

Documents distributed at the meeting included:

- o Letter from MPP Runciman to Chair Claude Cousineau (12 May 09)
- 10. Upcoming Meetings:
  - o Upcoming meetings were identified on the reverse of the agenda page.
- 11. Notice of Future Motions:
  - o No notices of future motions were identified.
- 12. Adjournment.

The meeting was adjourned at 12:15 p.m.

**Recorded by:** Brenda Lee Haskins

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**SPC Administration Coordinator** 

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