Raisin-South Nation Source Protection Committee Meeting

Meeting

No. 23

Date:

Thursday the 22nd of April 2010

Time:

9:00 a.m.

Location:

Royal Canadian Legion Hall

Chesterville, Ontario

In attendance:

Claude Cousineau

Chair

Mary McCuaig

United Counties of Prescott & Russell

Chris McDonell

United Counties of Stormont, Dundas & Glengarry

Glenn Mackey

United Counties of Leeds & Grenville

Norm Levac Shawn McRae Bill Smirle Brian Powell

Agriculture Agriculture Agriculture

City of Cornwall

Peggy Taylor

Commercial/Industrial

Ray Beauregard

Eastern Ontario Water Resources Committee

Jacqueline Pemberton

Clean Water Committee

Don Munro

General Public

Alton Blair Lawrence Levere Raisin Region Source Protection Authority Liaison South Nation Source Protection Authority Liaison

Mary Wooding

Ministry of Environment Liaison

Regrets:

Joel Potvin

Aggregates

Robert Sarrazin Walter Oeggerli Eastern Ontario Health Unit Liaison
St. Lawrence River Restoration Council

Tom Van Dusen

General Public

Henry Lickers

Mohawk Council of Akwesasne

Robert Craftchick

Algonquins of Ontario

Guests:

David Miller

City of Ottawa

Caroline Kuate

Eastern Ontario Health Unit Liaison

Erik Apedaile Nell van Walsum

Apedaile Environmental WESA Consulting Limited

Robert Muir

Dillon Consulting Limited

Staff:

Dennis O'Grady

General Manager, SNC

Richard Pilon

Project Manager

Phil Barnes Karen Cooper Water Resources Engineer Communications Specialist

Brenda Lee Haskins

SWP Administration Coordinator

1. Chairman's Remarks:

Chair Claude Cousineau announced that he was extremely pleased to be well enough to return to his duties and welcomed all in attendance calling the meeting to order at 9:20 a.m. He expressed his appreciation to Raymond Beauregard for assuming the role of Acting Chair in his absence.

- 2. Declaration of Conflict of Interest:
 - o No conflict of interest was identified.
- 3. Approval of Agenda:
 - Chair Claude Cousineau reviewed the agenda with members of the Source Protection Committee.

MOTION # 20/10

MOVED BY: Jacqueline Pemberton SECONDED BY: Raymond Beauregard

That the Raisin-South Nation Source Protection Committee approves the agenda for the meeting of the 22nd of April 2010 as presented.

CARRIED.

4. Approval of Raisin-South Nation Source Protection Committee (SPC) minutes (25th of March 2010):

MOTION # 21/10

MOVED BY: Chis McDonell SECONDED BY: Glenn Mackey

That the Raisin-South Nation Source Protection Committee approves the minutes of the meeting held on the 25th of March 2010 as presented.

CARRIED.

- 5. Business Arising from the Minutes:
 - o None was identified.
- 6. New Business:
 - a) Assessment Report Extension Request:
 - Richard Pilon reviewed the report with the Raisin-South Nation Source Protection Committee to seek approval to request an extension from the Ministry of the Environment (MOE) for submission of the proposed assessment reports for the Raisin and South Nation Source Protection Areas.
 - It was noted that MOE has a pre-screening process in place to ensure that all requirements are met to be completed at periodic intervals resulting in constant feedback and guidance.

MOTION # 22/10

MOVED BY: Mary McCuaig SECONDED BY: Peggy Taylor

That the Raisin-South Nation Source Protection Committee approves the request to MOE for an extension to the proposed assessment report submission date.

CARRIED.

- b) Communications Update:
 - Karen Cooper reviewed the staff report with the Raisin-South Nation Source Protection Committee to provide an update on ongoing communications activities and legislative responsibilities as they apply to Drinking Water Source Protection.
 - It was noted that the interprovincial meeting was very successful and Ian Smith (MOE) and his Quebec counterparts will be meeting to prepare plans to move this initiative forward.

MOTION # 23/10

MOVED BY: Ray Beauregard SECONDED BY: Peggy Taylor

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

CARRIED.

- c) Winchester & Chesterville Wellheads:
 - Nell van Walsum of WESA Consulting Limited presented information to the Raisin-South Nation Source Protection Committee to provide an update on the technical study results for the Winchester and Chesterville wellheads.
 - It was noted that the decommissioning of the Russell well has been confirmed but staff are awaiting official confirmation with respect to the wells servicing Embrun and Marionville.
- d) Expansion of Early Actions Eligibility:
 - Protection Committee to provide an update on current projects under the Ontario Drinking Water Stewardship Program (ODWSP) and to obtain endorsement on the 2-year time-of-travel (TOT) for the Winchester & Chesterville wellheads for the purposes of Early Actions program.

MOTION # 24/10

MOVED BY: Mary McCuaig SECONDED BY: Brian Powell

That the Raisin-South Nation Source Protection Committee endorses the 2-year time-of-travel (TOT) for the Winchester, Chesterville, Embrun and Marionville wellheads for the purposes public meetings / consultations related to the source protection planning process.

CARRIED.

- e) Threats & Issues for Alexandria and Casselman:
 - O Rob Muir of Dillon Consulting Limited presented information to the Raisin-South Nation Source Protection Committee to provide an update on the threats & issues for Alexandria and Casselman.

- f) Tier 2 Water Budget Results:
 - Rob Muir of Dillon Consulting Limited presented information to the Raisin-South Nation Source Protection Committee to provide an update on the Tier 2 water budget.
- g) Ottawa Biosolids Land Applications:
 - Erik Apedaile of Apedaile Environmental presented information to the Raisin-South Nation Source Protection Committee to provide an update on Ottawa Biosolids Land Applications.
- h) March 29 & 30 OFA Workshop Update:
 - Shawn McRae and Brian Powell presented information to the Raisin-South Nation Source Protection Committee to provide a summary of activities from the March 29 & 30 OFA Workshop.
- 7. General Discussion of SPC Issues and Projects:
- 8. Date of Next Meeting:

Thursday the 27th of May 2010 commencing at 9:00 a.m. Ramada Hotel & Conference Centre in Cornwall.

- 9. Correspondence:
- 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 1:20 p.m.

Recorded by: Brenda Lee Haskins

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