



Richmond Landfill Public Liaison Committee

Minutes of Virtual Meeting on June 6, 2022

Invitees & Attendees

• Noah Wayt	Waste Management	Moderator
• David Arnott	MECP	
• Trevor Dagilis	MECP	
• Dave Pinnell	Napanee Council	
• Todd Harvey	Napanee Staff	Invited but unable to attend
• Peter Dafoe	Napanee Staff	Invited but unable to attend
• Kristie Kelly	Napanee Staff	
• Ian Munro	CCCTE	Invited but unable to attend
• Jeff Whan	CCCTE	Joined late but attended
• Carolyn Butts	CCCTE	Invited but unable to attend
• Steve Medd	CCCTE	Invited but unable to attend
• Gail Maracle	Deseronto	Invited but unable to attend
• Chief Maracle	Mohawks Bay of Quinte	Invited but unable to attend
• Reeve Phillips	Tyendinaga Township	Invited but unable to attend

The meeting was called to order by Noah Wayt at 9:04 AM.

Noah Wayt discussed that the purpose of the meeting was to bring the Public Liaison Committee together for the second meeting of 2022 to provide a brief update on the activities regarding the closed Richmond landfill.

On April 20, 2022, WMOCC was provided with public comments regarding the submittal of an application to amend the existing Environmental Compliance Approval No. 1688-8HZNJG issued on January 10, 2012, by the Ministry of the Environment Conservation and Parks approvals department. Additionally, on April 26, 2022, WMOCC received additional Public Comments from the Mohawks Bay of Quinte consultant XCG also in reference to the same application to amend ECA No. 1688-8HZNJG.

The PLC attendees were informed that WMOCC is in the process of reviewing the public comments provided by the MECP and are currently working through formal response to these comments. Additionally, the PLC attendees were informed that on June 15, 2022, pumping from the North Leachate Lagoon began and will continue throughout the warmer months but will be weather dependent. Currently, the North Leachate Lagoon pumping is occurring six hours a day Monday through Friday with personnel on-site for the duration of the pumping to monitoring the process and verify no issues occur. The North Leachate Lagoon liquids are being pumped to the North Leachate Chamber (PS-2). Since the installation of the upgraded Leachate Control system, the liquids pumped to PS-2 are automatically pumped to the new Above Ground Storage Tank and then loaded

on to hauling vehicles and disposed of at either Napanee Wastewater treatment plant, Kingston Wastewater treatment plant, or the Cobourg Wastewater treatment plant daily. The goal is to have the North Leachate Lagoon contents emptied before the winter weather begins but this is also weather dependent.

Questions can be sent to:

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