

CORPORATION OF THE TOWN OF LAURENTIAN HILLS
COMMITTEE OF THE WHOLE - PUBLIC WORKS

Wednesday 16 September 2026 at 10:24 a.m.

1. **CALL TO ORDER** - The Committee of the Whole for Public Works met in Council Chambers on Wednesday 16 September 2026 at 10:24 a.m.

Attendance:

Chairman: Councillor Boucher
Vice Chairman: Deputy Mayor Blinkie

Members: Mayor Anne Giardini
Councillor Hoyle
Councillor McAnulty

Also Present:

Chief Administrative Officer/Clerk Sherry Batten
Treasurer/Deputy Clerk Tammy Whalen
Superintendent of Public Works Scott Loos

2. **DECLARATION OF PECUNIARY INTEREST**

There were no declarations of pecuniary interest.

3. **DELEGATIONS/PRESENTATIONS** - None

4. **ROADS**

- (a) The Public Works Superintendent's Report for July and August 2026 and proposed work schedule for the month of September 2026 were received and reviewed.

Information regarding hydro updates to their infrastructure which resulted in additional costs to the municipality having to reinstall their own infrastructure was discussed. The Committee recommended that a letter be sent to Hydro One.

Discussion: damage to the soccer goal post, the location of Cogeco pedestals, a tree in the creek by Ottawa Street, an update on the trees on Hunt Road and the possibility of adding cameras in Chalk River to the next budget.

5. **STREETLIGHTS** - None

6. **WATER AND SEWER**

- (a) Chalk River WWTIP Quarterly Operations Reporting Period: Q2 2026 from Veolia Water Canada was received and reviewed.

- (b) Chalk River Drinking Water System Quarterly Operations Report – Reporting Period: Q2 2026 from Veolia Water Canada was received and reviewed.

The Committee recommended that the reports be forwarded to Council for acknowledgement.

7. **WASTE SITES** – A NRLOB meeting will be called in the near future.

An update about reintroducing recycling at the landfill was discussed. The Town can hire a contractor to transport the materials to Pembroke for processing. The CAO asked if Laurentian Hills would be paying the costs? The Mayor was asked to bring the matter up at the next landfill board meeting.

Comments on an information item in Council's package regarding the Township of Hornepayne's project on a regional approach to waste diversion and to resource recovery were made.

8. **AIRPORT** - None

9. **OTHER BUSINESS** - None

10. **CLOSED SESSION** - None

11. **ADJOURNMENT** - The meeting adjourned at 10:50 a.m.

Bruce Boucher
Chairman

Clerk