

Minutes of a meeting between the Council of the Corporation of the Town of Amherstburg and the Advisory Committee on Environment held on February 15, 1999.

PRESENT: Mayor Wayne Hurst
Deputy Mayor Tony DiBartolomeo
Councillor Robert Anderson
Councillor Lynne Fox
Councillor Robert Pillon
Councillor Gerry Theriault
Councillor Tony Tiefenbach

ALSO PRESENT: Bill King, Chief Administrative Officer
David Mailloux, Clerk
Jean Monteith, Planner

The meeting was called to order by Mayor Hurst who advised that the purpose of the meeting was to allow the Advisory Committee on the Environment to present to Council areas of concern with regard to the proposed Official Plan.

Mr. Terry Hall addressed Council with regard to specific problems with the mapping schedules as they relate to wetlands. In addition, he advised of concerns with regard to potential development of the waterfront in the former Malden Township, and consents within the Agricultural area. Other members of the Committee also addressed Council with regard to various issues. Jean Monteith responded to the comments. A lengthy question and answer period followed.

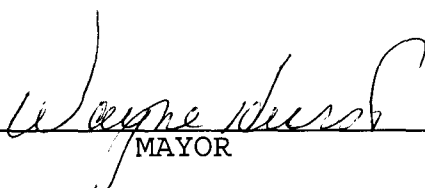
Moved by G. Theriault, seconded by L. Fox-

1. That the Advisory Committee on Environment (ACE) be recognized as the interim body to provide to Council advice and evaluations on environmental issues until a similar body is created by Council under the Amherstburg Official Plan;
2. That ACE be entrusted with the ability to recommend to Council revisions to the Official Plan in the form of amendments with respect to the environmental issues;
3. That ACE be requested to indicate to Council, on maps and with description, at an early date areas of general environmental concern;
4. That the Official Plan process will proceed normally as scheduled by Council;
5. That in areas or matters not currently designated Natural Environment or Wetland but where further research would indicate that the area is of local or regional significance and where further revisions or amendments are deemed desirable to the text, a concurrent or parallel amendment process will occur which when adopted by Council will form a part of the Official Plan for the Town of Amherstburg;
6. That the above functions be performed through the mutual cooperation of ACE and the Town and its planning consultant, Jean Monteith.

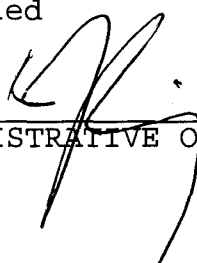
Motion Carried

Moved by T. DiBartolomeo, seconded by R. Anderson that there being no further business, we do now adjourn.

Motion Carried



MAYOR



CHIEF ADMINISTRATIVE OFFICER