



## Green Task Force Meeting Minutes

Thursday, July 14, 2022 at 11:00 AM  
Sir Mackenzie Bowell Room, City Hall

### 1. **Call to order**

The meeting was called to order by Chair Councillor Malette at 11:09am.

### 2. **Attendance**

#### **Members Present:**

Councillor Chris Malette  
Councillor Bill Sandison  
Kevin Bazkur  
Gary Magwood  
Jeremy Davis  
Peter Whittle

#### **Members Absent:**

Patrick Curran

#### **Staff Present:**

Perry DeCola  
Amanda Azzopardi

### 3. **Disclosure of pecuniary interests and the general nature thereof**

None

### 4. **Approval of meeting minutes**

4.1. Approval of the June 9, 2022 meeting minutes.

**Moved by Citizen Representative Kevin Bazkur  
Seconded by Citizen Representative Peter Whittle**

**"That the minutes of the Green Task Force of June.9, 2022 be approved."**

**Carried**

## 5. Deputations

There was no correspondence at this meeting.

### 5.1. Protecting Migratory Birds- Fatal Light Awareness Program

**Moved by Citizen Representative Gary Magwood  
Seconded by Citizen Representative Peter Whittle**

**That the presentation from the Fatal Light Awareness Program be Received.**

**Carried**

## 6. Items for discussion

### 6.1. Pollinator Event Overview

**The Committee agreed that the Pollinator Event was well received among the public. General Manager, Perry Decola has noticed residence with signs on their yards from the Pollinator Event. Committee hopes to continue and expand the pollinator event in years to come.**

### 6.2. Naturalization of Yards

**Staff has been compiling data of native flora and fauna. Staff will seek feedback on proposed list and continue research.**

### 6.3. The Great Lakes Plastic Cleanup-Seabins

**Staff updating a committee on a potential new project involving seabins to collect trash in our Bay. Staff will provide more details as the project proceeds.**

### 6.4. Giveaway Day

**Staff inquired about setting a date for the fall Giveaway Day. The committee agreed on September. 10th, 2022.**

6.5. Waste Reduction Week- October

**Staff asked the committee to begin brainstorming ideas and suggestions for Waste Reduction Week.**

**7. New business**

7.1. Waterfront Festival 2022- Recycling

**Correspondence from Sarah Koroscil regarding lack of recycling bins at the Waterfront Festival. Councillor Malette to consult necessary departments and explore the possibility of recycling bins and future events.**

**Carried**

**8. Next meeting**

The next meeting will be scheduled for August 11, 2022 at 10:00 a m, Sir Mackenzie  
Bowell Room.

**9. Adjournment**

Meeting adjourned at 12:14 a m

**Moved by Citizen Representative Peter Whittle  
Seconded by Citizen Representative Gary Magwood**

**“That the Green Task Force Committee meeting be adjourned.”**

**Carried**