



West Grey Economic Development Committee

Thursday November 30, 2017 – 3:00 pm
West Grey Municipal Office, Meeting Room

Present: Councilor Doug Hutchinson, Wendy Stewart (arrived 3:25), Deputy Mayor John Bell, Mayor Kevin Eccles, Chair-Rob Thompson, Recording Secretary Cathy Sweeney

Absent: Jackie Gingerich, Kris Kennedy

Call to Order: Rob Thompson, Chair called the meeting to order at 3:27 pm

Declaration of Pecuniary Interest: None Reported

Approval of Previous Meeting Minutes:

Motion by John Bell, 2nd Mayor Eccles THAT the minutes of the previous meeting held October 26, 2017 are approved as presented, Carried #13-17.

Delegation: none

Business Arising from the Minutes:

- **Maps Update:** no further work completed as of yet. Some of this info will be transferred over from the prospectus that is currently being worked on.
- **Signage Update:** quote and graphics draft received for proposed new sign.
On a recommendation from Mayor Eccles that the West Grey Economic Development Committee move forward with the new signage. 2nd Wendy Stewart. All present, yea. Carried #14-17
- **Made in Grey Stories** – Savanna was able to provide screen shots of our two editorials on Molock and Ethnos in the upcoming December edition. This will be mass print and provided to every residence in County of Grey.

New Business:

- **Approval of Vouchers:** On a motion from John Bell, 2nd Kevin Eccles of approval for V1 to be paid to L. Best
- **Grey Bruce Escape Advertising:** Cathy received email and Invoice#322 from Escape Productions regarding the continuation of the ¼ page color ad placement for 2018 at a cost of \$850.00. Discussion surrounding change to photo and need to find out who provided the written ¼ page corresponding section as this needs updating as well. Cathy to check.
On a Motion from Mayor Eccles THAT the West Grey Economic Development Committee continues the 2018 ¼ page advertisement in the Grey Bruce Escape magazine at a cost of \$850.00. Seconded by Wendy Stewart, all present Yea, Carried #15-17
- **Chamber of Commerce:** Wendy mentioned that they ^{did} are having a social function she found on Facebook. *and attended.*
- **Saugeen Connects:** Cathy provided an overview of meeting minutes, copies to be distributed via email to committee

- Our neighboring municipality, Wellington North is currently redoing their strategic plan and is looking for a letter to request to be included in the discussion for the future infrastructure plan regarding the north end industrial park properties. Will refer this to council as a letter of intention to be involved.
- Proposed Business's for inclusion in Made in Grey profiles and West Grey business profile library. List to be forwarded to L. Best for pictures/editorials.

Domm Construction	AC/DC Masonry
Durham Furniture	Candue Homes
Viking Cives	Wilson Solutions
Roberts Farm Equipment	Hooper Plumbing
RV Saugeen	Pratt Plumbing
Sandy Hamilton	Jaekel Manufacturing
JE Trim	Neustadt Brewery
Cedarwell Excavating	Ground Effects Group

Next Meeting Date: January 18, 2018 – 3pm - West Grey Municipal office.

Adjournment: On a motion from Mayor Eccles, the meeting adjourned at 4:27 p.m.



Chair – Rob Thompson