



Minutes
Joint Council Meeting
Municipality of Trent Lakes
Township of Selwyn
Curve Lake First Nation
Township of North Kawartha
September 26, 2024 9:00 AM
Bridgenorth Community Hall

Trent Lakes Council Members Present:

Mayor Terry Lambshead
Deputy Mayor Carol Armstrong
Councillor Joe Cadigan
Councillor Peter Franzen

Township of Selwyn Council Members Present:

Mayor Sherry Senis
Deputy Mayor Ron Black
Councillor John Boyko
Councillor Mary Coulas
Councillor Brian Henry

Curve Lake First Nation Council Members Present:

Chief Keith Knott
Councillor Arnold Taylor
Councillor Ken Jacobs
Councillor Nodin Knott
Councillor Laurie Hockaday

Township of North Kawartha Council Members Present:

Mayor Carolyn Amyotte
Deputy Mayor Jim Whelan
Councillor RuthAnne McIlmoyl
Councillor Colin McLellan
Councillor Jim O'Shea

Staff Present:

Donna Teggart, CAO/Treasurer, Municipality of Trent Lakes
Jessie Clark, Director of Corporate Services/Clerk, Municipality of Trent Lakes
Bianca Dragicevic, Deputy Clerk, Municipality of Trent Lakes
Janice Lavalley, CAO, Township of Selwyn
Angela Chittick, Manager of Community and Corporate Services/Clerk, Township of Selwyn
Tania Goncalves, Deputy Clerk, Township of Selwyn
Shannon Day, Executive Assistant to Chief and Council, Curve Lake First Nation
Alana Solman, CAO, Township of North Kawartha
Connie Parent, Clerk, Township of North Kawartha
Kelly Picken, Deputy Clerk, Township of North Kawartha
Edward Hilton, Economic Development Officer, Township of North Kawartha

1. Opening Ceremonies

- Selwyn Mayor Sherry Senis called the meeting to order at 9:03 a.m.
- Selwyn Mayor Sherry Senis delivered a Land Acknowledgement and led Councils in a Moment of Silent Reflection.
- Chief Knott lead an Opening Prayer.
- Council Members introduced themselves.

2. Community Updates - Items of Interest and Special Projects

The Councils shared items of interest and special projects for their respective communities including: healthcare, housing, The Link, economic development and capital projects.

- Curve Lake First Nation
- Township of Selwyn
- Township of North Kawartha
- Municipality of Trent Lakes

3. Items Raised from the 2023 Joint Meeting

- Healthcare - The Councils discussed healthcare challenges and opportunities including the addition of the County's new Physician Recruiter to support the attraction of doctors to the area.

- Crown Lands - Chief Knott discussed the ongoing challenges regarding the rights of the First Peoples to access lands for traditional hunting/fishing and medicinal purposes.

4. Other

Lakeshore Capacity Study (Lovesick Lake) – Selwyn Mayor Sherry Senis advised that Selwyn Township and Trent Lakes received a delegation from the Lovesick Lake Association and Committee for the Preservation of Lovesick Lake pertaining to a Lakeshore Capacity Study for Lovesick Lake. Councils had a general discussion regarding Lovesick Lake. Mayor Senis noted that Selwyn would be sending correspondence to Trent Lakes, North Kawartha, Peterborough County, TSW/Parks Canada and Treaty 20 First Nations to determine interest in pursuing a Terms of Reference for a Lakeshore Capacity Study for Lovesick Lake.

5. Next Meeting

The next Joint Council Meeting will be hosted by Curve Lake First Nation and is scheduled for September 25, 2025.

6. Adjournment

The meeting was adjourned at 10:12 a.m.