

Sustainability Committee Agenda

Date May 9, 2019

Time 10:00am to 12:00pm

Location SSS Office, 105 Fourth Street, Midland ON

1.0 Approval of agenda

2.0 Approval of 7-Mar-2019 SC minutes (pages 3-7)

3.0 SSS work plan items

- 3.1 Reports to Councils, committees and/or municipal staff
- 3.2 Municipal-level climate change action plan update and PCP milestone status
- 3.3 Draft letter to CAOs and Council re: Strategic Plan update
- 3.4 OTF Grow Grant Application

4.0 2019 budget

- 4.1 30-Apr-2019 financial statement (page 8-9)
- 4.2 Status, municipal budget requests

5.0 Other business and roundtable updates

- 5.1 SSEA/SSS Merger, Ad-hoc committee update
- 5.2 Website
- 5.3 Roundtables

6.0 2019 SSS and SC meeting schedule (page 2)

Adjournment

Next meeting When June 6, 2019

Time 10:00am to 12:00pm

Where SSS office, 105 Fourth St. Midland



DATE	TIME	PURPOSE
THURSDAY, MAY 9, 2019	10am-12pm	Status of Council endorsement of municipal-level climate change action plans
		 Status of Partners for Climate Protection (PCP) program milestone progress
THURSDAY, JUNE 6, 2019	10am-12pm	 Best practice report review and submission to Councils/staff, re: climate change, GHGs and CDM plans
		 Best practice report review and submission to Councils/staff, re: climate change, GHGs and HIRA Plans
		 Best practice report review and submission to Councils/staff, re: GHGs and AMP update (climate policy)
		Status update of annual GHG data collection and analysis
THURSDAY, JULY 11, 2019	10am-12pm	Status update of annual GHG data collection and analysis
		 Review of newsletter #1(bi-annual progress report #1)
THURSDAY, AUGUST 8, 2019	10am-12pm	Status update of annual GHG data collection and analysis
		 Release of newsletter #1 (bi-annual progress report #1)
THURSDAY, SEPTEMBER 5, 2019	10am-12pm	Status update of annual GHG data collection and analysis
		Review of 2020 budget request letters to municipalities
		• Review of revised OTF Grow Grant for Nov submission (Re: LCCAP Implementation Plan, Strategy 1, Rec.1)
THURSDAY, OCTOBER 10, 2019	10am-12pm	Completion of annual Partners for Climate Protection program reporting
		Review of 2020 work plan items
		 Final review of OTF Grow Grant for submission (November 27, 2019)
THURSDAY, NOVEMBER 7, 2019	10am-12pm	 Review of newsletter #2 (bi-annual progress report #2)
		Discussion of reporting requirements for FCM Annual PCP Members Survey
		Presentation of 2020 work plan items
THURSDAY, DECEMBER 5, 2019	10am-12pm	 Release of newsletter #2 (bi-annual progress report #2)

^{*}All meetings take place at the SSS office, located at 105 Fourth Street, Midland unless otherwise stated



Sustainability Committee Draft Minutes

Date March 7, 2019

Time 10:00am to 12:00pm

Location SSS Office, 105 Fourth Street, Midland ON

In Attendance

Andrea Betty, Director of Planning and Community Development, Town of Penetanguishene Brenda Armstrong, Program Manager, Healthy Environments Program, Environmental Health Dept., SMDHU

Chris McLaughlin, General Manager, NSCFDC

Councillor Carole McGinn, Town of Midland

Councillor Jeff Bumstead, Township of Tay

Councillor Ron Stevens, Township of Severn

Deputy Mayor Anita Dubeau, Town of Penetanguishene

Deputy Mayor Steffen Walma, Township of Tiny & County of Simcoe representative

Doug Luker, CAO, Township of Tiny

Michelle Hudolin, Wetlands and Habitat Biologist, SSEA

Victoria Ervick, Climate Change Coordinator, SSS

Regrets

Alicia Hall, Sustainable Operations Analyst, County of Simcoe

Councillor Jonathan Main, Town of Midland

Councillor Ian Veitch, Township of Oro-Medonte

Jennifer Schnier, Communications and Economic Development Officer, Township of Georgian Bay

Julie Cayley, Executive Director, SSEA

Tyler Hunt, Sustainable Operations Supervisor, County of Simcoe

Tracy Roxborough, Sustainability Coordinator, SSS

1.0 Approval of agenda

Motion to approve Mar-7-2019 agenda. Moved by R. Stevens, seconded by M. Hudolin. Carried.



Approval of 7-Feb-2019 SC minutes

Motion to approve 7-Feb-2019 minutes. Moved by A. Dubeau, seconded by C. McGinn. Carried.



3.0 SSS work plan items

3.1 Reports to Councils, committees and/or municipal staff

<u>Discussion</u>: V. Ervick provided an update of correspondence to Council. The following information was submitted to Councils in Feb-2019:

- Approved 10-Jan-2019 SC minutes, available on our website.
- Next report to Councils to be sent mid Mar-2019 to April-2019, corresponding with delegations to:
 - a. acquire approval of municipal-level GHG reduction targets and action plan (see Item 3.2).

3.2 Municipal-level climate change action plan update

<u>Discussion:</u> V. Ervick provided an update to the status of each municipalities' climate change action plan.

- Midland: Letter of Understanding reviewed by A. Campbell and J. Skorobohacz, SSS to send draft action plan to A. Campbell to distribute amoungst staff for comment.
- 2. <u>Penetanguishene:</u> Staff commenting on draft plan till Mar-8, A. Betty to bring staff report to COW on Mar-27, 2019 for endorsement.
- 3. <u>Georgian Bay:</u> SSS to send draft plan to Laurie Kennard to be distributed amoungst staff.
- 4. <u>Severn:</u> SSS to send draft action plan to A. Plunkett and inquire about next steps.
- 5. <u>Oro-Medonte:</u> I. Veitch met with R. Dunn and A. Leigh re: SSS 2019 budget request, staff report tentatively scheduled to go before Council Mar-27th.
- Tiny: SSS met with Administrative and Public Works managers of 17-Jan-2019 to review draft, presentation to all department heads (SSM) scheduled for Mar-13th, delegation to Council TBD.
- 7. <u>Tay:</u> Department heads review session held on 28-Feb-2019 with expectation to take plan to Council on 13-Mar-2019 through a staff recommendation (per P. Dance, Director of Public Works) for endorsement.

4.0 SSS 2019 work plan items

4.1 Letter to CAOs and Council re: Strategic Plan update

<u>Discussion:</u> The purpose of this letter is to (a) recommend the inclusion of each municipalities' PCP commitment in their new Council's strategic plan, (b) provide information of the context and rationale for this recommendation, and (c) to request



that SSS be given the opportunity to comment/advise on this plan and others produced by the municipality to ensure the consideration of climate change in those documents.

5.0 SSS budget



5.1 28-Feb-2019 financial statement

<u>Discussion:</u> NSCFDC practices accrued accounting. SSS was unsuccessful in receiving FCM's Climate Change Staff Grant (see Item 5.4) and therefore will rely on the financial support provided by each municipality. The 2nd FCM MCIP installment is still outstanding (expected in Dec-2018) with the last installment expected once all municipal-level action plans are approved. S. Walma provided a verbal update regarding the County of Simcoe's decision on SSS 2019 budget request of \$10,200.00, indicating that it is not included in the County's budget. Motion to approve the 28-Feb-2019 financial statement. Moved by J. Bumstead, seconded by A. Betty. Carried.

5.2 County of Simcoe – Arts, Culture and Heritage grant update

<u>Discussion:</u> SSS was approved to extend deadline of the grant to Mar-2020. This has been added to SSS's work plan, and could be a potential opportunity to partner with community organizations/committees (i.e. Midland Cultural Committee).

5.3 2019 budget requests

Discussion: 2019 budget invoices were sent to municipalities on 19-Feb-2019.

- Midland: Invoice received, account set up in Engineering to hold expenditure
- Penetanguishene: Invoice sent 19-Feb-2019 to A. Betty
- Georgian Bay: Invoice received, on hold till approval of budget in Mar-2019
- Severn: Cheque received 28-Feb-2019
- Oro-Medonte: Under review
- <u>Tiny:</u> Invoice sent 19-Feb-2019 to D. Taylor
- <u>Tay</u>: Invoice sent 19-Feb-2019 to J. Sanders



5.4 FCM Climate Change staff grant

<u>Discussion</u>: GMF Council and FCM Executive upheld their original decision to deny our application MCIP 16206 for the Climate Change Staff Grant program.



6.0 Other business and roundtable updates



6.1 SSS and SC Terms of Reference

<u>Discussion</u>: Updated to reflect recent change in SMDHU SC representatives. Motion to approve the updated TOR. Moved by S. Walma, seconded by C. McGinn. Carried.

6.2 Election of 2019-2022 SC Chair

<u>Discussion:</u> C. McGinn put her name forward for consideration of the 2019-2022 Chair position at the 7-Feb SC meeting. R. Stevens nominated D. Luker for the 2019-2022 SC Chair position, with D. Luker accepting his nomination. C. McGinn removed her name from the nomination list. No other nominations received. D. Luker was elected as the 2019-2022 SC Chair.

6.3 Roundtables

Midland: Midland has not yet had any budget meetings.

Penetanguishene: Budget to be ratified 13-Mar, 2019; moving forward with Strategic Plan. Looking at Advisory Committee structure – general Community Wellbeing Committee, Main St. art project is underway with \$20,000.00 to spend on art/art pieces on the Main St.

Severn: Finalized budget early 2019, currently in the process of hiring a new CAO (70 applicants, narrowed down to 2 applicants).

County of Simcoe: County's budget passed at 2% in early 2019. Part of this increase is the two additional yard waste pick-ups taking place in Summer 2019 as a response to Phragmities – pick-ups will coincide with the timing of when residents should cut Phrag.

Tiny: Final budget should be completed by end of Mar-2019, Strategic Plan update taking place in Apr-2019.

Tay: Considering a 'Community Policing Committee,' in the midst of reviewing Bylaws (updating, combining, etc.) as per recommendation from By-law Officer.

SMDHU: SSS is presenting at this afternoon's Climate Change Exchange meeting. OCCIAR-Cambrian project is wrapping up, meeting mid-Mar to review final reports. Partnering with Public Health Agency of Canada, to undergo a literature review on



climate adaptation strategies. Developing a "GIS Storybook" with info./data from the Climate Change Adaptation Strategy – presents information in an interactive way.

SSEA: Job posting for summer positions have closed. Applications are currently being accepted for the <u>Watershed Monitoring</u> position and a <u>Summer Technician</u> position in partnership with SSEA and Ontario Federation of Anglers and Hunters (OFAH) Invading Species Awareness Program.

7.0 2019 SSS and SC meeting schedule

Adjournment 11:20pm

Motion to adjourn. Moved by R. Stevens, seconded by J. Bumstead. Carried.

Next meeting When April 11, 2019

Time 10:00am to 12:00pm

Where SSS office, 105 Fourth St. Midland

Item No.	Action Item	Responsibility
2.0	SSS to post approved minutes on SSS website and to all Clerks for submission to Council.	SSS
3.2	SSS to continue working with each municipality to move their respective plan forward for Council endorsement.	SSS
3.2	SSS to follow up with A. Campbell (Midland) re: signed copy of Letter of Understanding	SSS
3.2	I. Veitch to provide update at Apr-11 SC meeting re: outcome of staff recommendation from Mar-27 th Council meeting	I. Veitch
4.1	SSS to revise draft letter to CAOs re: Strategic Plan update (one page)	SSS
5.1	SSS and C. McLaughlin to follow up with FCM re: MCIP outstanding payment	SSS/NSCFDC
5.2	SSS to identify community partners for development on video-series funded by County of Simcoe Arts, Culture and Heritage Grant	SSS
6.1	SSS to post updated TOR on website, and include the approved version as an attachment to the next meeting request for committee member records.	SSS

Sustainable Severn Sound Profit & Loss Budget vs. Actual SSS

05/02/19 Accrual Basis

As of April 30, 2019

	Jan - Dec 19	Budget	\$ Over Budget	% of Budget
Income 4100 · Municipal Contributions 4200 · Interest Income	61,200.00 136.87	71,400.00	-10,200.00	85.7%
Total Income	61,336.87	71,400.00	-10,063.13	85.9%
Gross Profit	61,336.87	71,400.00	-10,063.13	85.9%
Expense 5000 · Payroll Expense 5010 · CPP Expense 5020 · El Expense 5030 · Health Benefits Expense	476.70 222.58 1,475.83	2,022.00 935.00 6,604.00	-1,545.30 -712.42 -5,128.17	23.6% 23.8% 22.3%
Total 5000 · Payroll Expense	2,175.11	9,561.00	-7,385.89	22.7%
5100 · Payroll 5160 · Wage Expense	7,991.12	46,829.00	-38,837.88	17.1%
Total 5100 · Payroll	7,991.12	46,829.00	-38,837.88	17.1%
5200 · Occupancy & Equipment 5270 · Cellular Phone Expense 5280 · Rent Expense	100.00 840.00	100.00 2,520.00	0.00 -1,680.00	100.0% 33.3%
Total 5200 · Occupancy & Equipment	940.00	2,620.00	-1,680.00	35.9%
5300 · Meetings & Events Expense 5310 · Meeting Expenses 5330 · Workshops 5333 · Sustainability Discussion Serie	44.25 0.00 0.00	180.00 1,150.00 3,000.00	-135.75 -1,150.00 -3,000.00	24.6% 0.0% 0.0%
Total 5300 · Meetings & Events Expense	44.25	4,330.00	-4,285.75	1.0%
5500 · Other Expenses 5501 · Conferences & Prof. Development 5550 · Public Relations & Marketing 5555 · Professional Printing Services	50.00 0.00 0.00	3,000.00 450.00 900.00	-2,950.00 -450.00 -900.00	1.7% 0.0% 0.0%
Total 5500 · Other Expenses	50.00	4,350.00	-4,300.00	1.1%
5600 · Administration 5620 · Computer & Software Purchase 5650 · Materials, Supplies & Postage 5660 · Website Maintenance/ Updates 5695 · Travel	194.95 0.00 0.00 489.24	1,000.00 600.00 2,000.00 1,500.00	-805.05 -600.00 -2,000.00 -1,010.76	19.5% 0.0% 0.0% 32.6%
Total 5600 · Administration	684.19	5,100.00	-4,415.81	13.4%
Total Expense	11,884.67	72,790.00	-60,905.33	16.3%
Income	49,452.20	-1,390.00	50,842.20	-3,557.7%

Sustainable Severn Sound Profit & Loss Budget vs. Actual FCM As of April 30, 2019

05/02/19 Accrual Basis

Net Income

Jan - Dec 19 **Budget** \$ Over Budget % of Budget Income 4106 · FCM 16,600.00 37,900.00 -21,300.00 43.8% 16,600.00 37,900.00 -21,300.00 43.8% **Total Income Gross Profit** 16,600.00 37,900.00 -21,300.00 43.8% **Expense** 5000 · Payroll Expense 5010 · CPP Expense 0.00 100.0% 1,056.00 1,056.00 5020 · El Expense 492.00 492.00 0.00 100.0% Total 5000 · Payroll Expense 1,548.00 1,548.00 0.00 100.0% 5100 · Payroll 5160 · Wage Expense 19,160.00 19,160.00 0.00 100.0% Total 5100 · Payroll 19,160.00 19,160.00 0.00 100.0% 5400 · Audit 2,474.53 3,000.00 -525.47 82.5% 5500 · Other Expenses 0.00 -150.00 0.0% 5550 · Public Relations & Marketing 150.00 5551 · Digital Services 1,416.69 5,500.00 -4,083.31 25.8% 5,650.00 Total 5500 · Other Expenses 1,416.69 -4,233.31 25.1% 5600 · Administration 0.00 500.00 -500.00 0.0% 5660 · Website Maintenance/ Updates Total 5600 · Administration 0.00 500.00 -500.00 0.0% **Total Expense** 24,599.22 29,858.00 -5,258.78 82.4%

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