



Minutes

Agriculture and Agri-Food Advisory Committee

September 30, 2020
Electronic Meeting

Members: J. Bartley, S. Dhir, A. Eek, K. Empringham, J. Tong, B. Wills

Staff: C. Banfield, J. Best, C. Goodeve, T. Corkovic, P. Freeman,
M. Hassanali, J. Magill, J. Wheatle

A. Call to Order

The York Region Agriculture and Agri-Food Advisory Committee meeting was called to order at 4:05 p.m. with Councillor Eek as Chair.

B. Disclosures of Interest

None

C. Presentations

C.1 Agricultural Official Plan Policy Direction - Overview and Update

The Committee received the presentation by Jennifer Best, Senior Planner regarding Agricultural Official Plan Policy Direction - Overview and Update.

C.2 Agriculture and Agri-Food Strategy: Staff Update

The Committee received the presentation by Meena Hassanali, Rural and Agri-Food Business Development Specialist and Tony Corkovic, Marketing and Communications Specialist regarding Agriculture and Agri-Food Strategy: Staff Update.

C.3 Agri-Food Sub Working Group: Results Achieved

The Committee received the presentation by Brett Wills, Industry Lead, Agri-Food Sub Working Group regarding Agri-Food Sub Working Group: Results Achieved.

D. Deputations

None

E. Communications

None

F. Other Business

F.1 Member Roundtable Updates

Members had the opportunity to share ongoing initiatives and updates related to the Agriculture and Agri-Food industry.

G. Adjournment

The York Region Agriculture and Agri-Food Advisory Committee meeting adjourned at 5:45 p.m.