



**ROADS SAFETY COMMITTEE MINUTES (RSC)**  
March 9<sup>th</sup>, 2020 - 2:00 pm / Township Office

Present: Brian Whitney - Chair  
Cheryl Russel – Vice Chair  
Ken Cufaro  
Yvonne Graf  
Glenn Perrett  
Horst Wendland  
Tracey Atkinson – CAO  
John Willmetts – Director of Public Works  
Adam Hicks – Secretary

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**A. Call to Order**

The meeting was called to order.

**B. Approval of Minutes**

Moved by Russel Seconded by Wendland

**THAT the minutes of the November 18<sup>th</sup>, 2019 meeting be approved as copied and circulated.**

**Carried.**

**C. Declaration of Pecuniary Interest**

The Chair stated that if any member had a disclosure of pecuniary interest that they could declare the nature thereof now or at any time during the meeting.

**D. Delegations – None**

**E. Current Business**

**a) Committee of Council Composition and Mandate**

Chair Whitney gave a rundown of the current Committee structure and their goals. Member Russel spoke to the issues that the Mulmur Roads Committee faces and the fact that the issues they face in Mulmur are also province wide. The Committee discussed the potential of splitting into two Committee's with one being an ad-hoc group while the other remains a Committee of Council. The Committee wants to focus on a wider area and have the ad-hoc group focus on specific areas.

**Moved by Member Russel Seconded by Councillor Cufaro:**

**THAT the Roads Safety Committee split the Committee and have Member Wendland and Member Perrett step down from the Roads Safety Committee and have them form an ad-hoc group.**

**Carried.**

Member Perrett and Member Wendland agreed to step down and form an ad-hoc group focused on specific areas of concern within the Township.

**b) 2019 Recommendations and Implementation**

Secretary Hicks provided an update on the completion of the rumble strips on County Road 18 and County Road 21 as well as the flashing lights on 10 Side Road and County Road 17. Member Russell will draft a 2019 recommendation that will be presented to Council at a future meeting.

**c) Roads for Paid Duty**

The Committee received a map that showed the roads that that would be patrolled by the paid duty officer. The Committee would like to be given more info on what the officer did during the shift as the reports aren't very detailed.

**d) Speed Data**

Member Russel presented her findings from the speed data that was provided by the Director of Public Works. There were no reported accidents in 2019. The takeaway from the speed data collected is that there is a problem with speeding on Mulmur roads.

**e) Approaches to Setting Speed Limits**

The Director of Public Works uses a matrix obtained from Simcoe County to set the speed limit. The 85 percentile is correct assuming all drivers are responsible and prudent. The Committee decided to bring this matter to next meeting.

**f) Construction Update River Road Bridges**

The Committee was made aware of construction that will be occurring from the middle of May to September 1<sup>st</sup> on the first bridge east of Prince of Wales Road and the first bridge north of Kilgorie.

**F. Information Items - None**

**G. Items for Future Meetings**

Traffic calming, speed trailer locations, approaches to setting speed limits.

**H. Adjournment**

Moved by Russel Seconded by Graf

**THAT we do now adjourn at 3:58 pm and agree to meet again at the call of the Chair Carried.**

**Approved by:**

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Chair

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Secretary