

SPECIAL COUNCIL COMMITTEE

A Special Session of Council Committee of the Municipality of the County of Colchester was held in the Courthouse, Truro, Nova Scotia, on Tuesday, February 27, 2007 at 2:00 p.m.

Roll Call

The roll was called with the following Councillors in attendance:

Mayor Mike Smith, Chair	
Councillor Bill Masters	District #2
Deputy Mayor Hughie Matheson	District #3
Councillor Michael Cooper	District #4
Councillor Glen Edwards	District #5
Councillor Ron Cavanaugh	District #6
Councillor Jimmie LeFresne	District #7
Councillor Soley Lynds	District #8
Councillor Bob White	District #9
Councillor Doug Cooke	District #10

Absent:

Councillor Bob Taylor	District #1
Councillor Terri Mingo	District #11

Agenda

The meeting was called to order at 2:00 p.m. The purpose of the meeting was to receive presentations from non-profit organizations that are requesting grants under the County policy on Economic Development Grants or under the policy on Grants to Non-Profit Organizations. This is part of the budget process for 2007/08.

Economic Development Grant Presentations

Of 8 applicants, all organizations made presentations to Council Committee:

<u>Organization</u>	<u>Presenter(s)</u>
Nova Scotia Blind Golf Association	Michael Keith

Prior to the next presentation, Deputy Mayor Matheson declared a conflict of interest and removed himself from the table.

Brookfield Community Assembly Joel Dawe
At this point in the meeting, Councillor Taylor arrived.

Deputy Mayor Matheson returned to the table.

Prior to the next presentation, Councillor White declared a conflict of interest and removed himself from the table.

Debert Community Association Michael Taylor

Councillor White returned to the table.

Upper Stewiacke Community Development Jody Graham

Downtown Truro Partnership (Tulip Festival) Dawn Heintz

Prior to the next presentation, Councillor White declared a conflict of interest and removed himself from the table.

Wild Blueberry Harvest Co-operative Lynda Pearson

Councillor White returned to the table.

Pipers Picnic Society Julee MacAfee

Earlton Community Centre Society Rollie Lynds

Grants to Non-Profit Organizations

Of 37 non-profit applicants, the following 22 organizations made presentations to Council Committee:

<u>Organization</u>	<u>Presenter(s)</u>
Northern AIDS Connection Society	Albert McNutt
Nova Scotia 55+ Games Society	Peter Nordland
Colchester East Hants Community Hospice Society	Serena Lewis
Warwick Mountain Recreation Club	Elwood Canfield
Colchester Community Workshops	Don Hoadley

At this point in the meeting, Councillor Mingo arrived.

Northumberland Arts Council Ellen Von Kintzel

Brule Community Centre Association Bill Todd

Brule Fossil Preservation Society Peggy Todd

Stewiacke Valley Historical Society Bill Fisher

Off Highway Vehicle Closed Course Vangie
Yorke

Cooperative Ltd.

Middle Stewiacke Recreation Assoc. Sandra
Chaplin

At this point in the meeting, Councillor Cavanaugh left and did not return.

Stewiacke Play/Preschool Association Denise Sheppard

Londonderry Community Council Reid MacVicar
Association

Prior to the next presentation, Councillor White declared a conflict of interest and removed himself from the table.

Debert Military History Society Museum Keith Baas

Councillor White returned to the table.

Cobequid Salmon Association Katherine Mott

Colchester Transportation Cooperative Ltd. Teresa Higgins

Canadian Mental Health Association Cathie
Landsburg

MADD Cobequid Kathleen Foster-
Alfred

Earlton Community Centre Society Rollie Lynds

Big Brothers- Big Sisters Association Michelle Meisner
of Colchester

Boys and Girls Club of Truro Lisa MacDonald
Michelle Vissers

Illusions Art Gallery Fran Sousa
Ruth Robertson

Thirteen groups had previously indicated they would not be presenting this evening. One group, Great Village Community Association, withdrew their request. Colchester Five Islands ATV Club were

referred to the Trails Program.

Adjournment

Moved by Councillor LeFresne
Seconded by Councillor Cooper

“That the meeting adjourned at 8:40 p.m.”

Motion Carried Unanimously.

Bruce Purchase
Director of Corporate Services