



The Corporation of the Township of Perry

REGULAR MEETING OF COUNCIL

Wednesday, April 1st, 2026

7:00 p.m.

Electronic Attendance & Municipal Office

(1695 Emsdale Road, Emsdale, ON)

Members of the Public are welcome to join the live teleconference audio meeting by calling:

Phone Number: 1 (647) 374 4685 Meeting ID: 842 0364 6523

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1. OPENING COMMENTS

2. DISCLOSURE OF PECUNIARY INTEREST AND THE GENERAL NATURE THEREOF

(With reference to this Agenda and any previous meeting of Council)

3. ADOPTION OF MINUTES

3.1. Regular Meeting Minutes of Wednesday, March 18, 2026

4. DELEGATIONS / PUBLIC MEETING – none

5. REPORTS OF MUNICIPAL BOARDS / COMMITTEES

5.1. Almaguin Highlands Health Centre

5.1.1. December 2025 Minutes

5.1.2. January 2026 Minutes

5.1.3. February 2026 Minutes

5.2. District of Parry Sound Social Services Administration Board

5.2.1. March 2026 CAO Report

5.3. Almaguin Community Economic Development (ACED) Committee

5.3.1. February 2026 Minutes

5.3.2. March 2026 DoED Report

5.4. Perry Township Recreation and Culture Committee

5.4.1. March 2026 Minutes - Draft

5.5. Perry Township Public Library Board

5.5.1. March 2026 Minutes

5.5.2. March 2026 CEO Monthly Report

6. REPORTS OF MUNICIPAL OFFICERS

6.1. Fire Department

6.1.1. March 2026 Fire Chief/Training Report

6.2. Building Department/By-Law

6.2.1. March 2026 Building Monthly Report

6.2.2. March 2026 By-Law Report

6.3. Transfer Station

6.4. Public Works

6.5. Finance Department

6.6. Planning Department

7. BY-LAWS

7.1. By-law 2026-27 Confirming By-law

8. HEALTH AND SAFETY

8.1. Health and Safety Update – April 1st, 2026 {Res}

9. MISCELLANEOUS BUSINESS

9.1. Draft - Procedural By-law {Res}

9.2. Upgrade to Radio Communications System for 9-1-1 Dispatching {Res}

9.3. Perry Oldtimer's Museum {Res}

9.4. Elect Respect Campaign {Res}

9.5. Request for Bulletin Board in ECC {Res}

9.6. Charity Bike Ride Request {Res}

9.7. Draft - Succession Planning Policy {Res}

9.8. Draft – Artificial Intelligence (AI) Policy {Res}

9.9. Update on Old Mulligan's Road {Information}

9.10. Request for exemption to By-law 2025-35 to prohibit the keeping of certain animals in the Township {Res}

9.11. Request for Ad by Legion in Military Service Book {Res}

9.12. Request for exemption for reduced load exemption to owner of 304 Old Muskoka Road, Emsdale, Ontario

10. NEW BUSINESS / CORRESPONDENCE

10.1. Municipality of Bluewater – Changes to English Public School Board Governance

10.2. Town of Fort Frances – Mayoral Authority and Municipal Budget Sustainability

10.3. City of Sarnia – Mayoral Authority and Municipal Budget Sustainability

10.4. Township of Puslinch – Reduced Rate Distribution of Library Resources

10.5. County of Northumberland – Elbows up for Climate Change

10.6. Municipality of Strathroy-Caradoc – Protect Our Food Act

- 10.7. Municipality of Centre Hastings – Reduced Rate Distribution of Library Resources
- 10.8. Town of Deep River – By-law 20-2023 Operation of Off-Road Vehicles on Municipal Highways
- 10.9. Township of Greater Madawaska – Reduced Rate Distribution of Library Resources
- 10.10. Town of Kearney – Notice of Complete Application and Notice of Public Meeting RZ-01-26 (Schaefer)
- 10.11. Municipality of Bluewater – Ontario Regulation 391/21 Blue Box
- 10.12. Township of Black River-Matheson – Safety Improvements Highways 11 and 17
- 10.13. Municipality of Chatham-Kent – Food Insecurity Emergency Declaration
- 10.14. The Labour Market Group – Monthly Jobs Report February 2026
- 10.15. Regional Municipality of Durham – Mayoral Authority and Municipal Police Service Budget Sustainability
- 10.16. City of Sarnia - Mayoral Authority and Municipal Police Service Budget Sustainability
- 10.17. Town of Saugeen Shores – ACO Proposal for Heritage Helping Housing (HHH) Grant Funding
- 10.18. Town of Goderich – Ontario Heritage Organization Development Grant Advocacy
- 10.19. Municipality of South Huron – Ontario Veterinary College Enrollment Capacity
- 10.20. Municipality of South Huron – Ontario Heritage Organization Development Grant Advocacy
- 10.21. Ministry of Seniors and Accessibility – 2026 Ontario Senior of the Year
- 10.22. The Labour Market Group – LabourFocus March 2026
- 10.23. Township of McNab/Braeside – Ontario Heritage Organization Development Grant Advocacy
- 10.24. Ontario Energy Board – Notice of Hearing Generic Review of the Model Franchise Agreement for Natural Gas
- 10.25. Township of Papineau-Cameron – Ontario Veterinary College Enrollment Capacity
- 10.26. Town of Goderich – Mackay Centre for Seniors Bequest
- 10.27. Town of Lincoln – Extend the Deadline for Notices of Intention to Designate Listed Heritage Properties
- 10.28. Township of Otonabee-South Monaghan – Alto High Speed Rail Project
- 10.29. Township of Lake of Bays – Notice of Public Meeting for New Official Plan
- 10.30. Hydro One – Proposed Sudbury Barre Transmission Line

11. CLOSED SESSION – not required

12. ADJOURNMENT

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