Grand River Conservation Authority

Report number: GM-09-24-80

Date: September 27, 2024

To: Members of the Grand River Conservation Authority

Subject: By-law Update - Delegations

Recommendation:

WHEREAS By-law 2-2024 was read a first and second time at the General Membership meeting on August 23, 2024; and staff were directed to make amendments based on discussion at the meeting

THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED THAT By-law 2-2024 be read a third time and adopted by the General Membership effective September 27, 2024;

AND THAT a copy of By-law 2-2024 be forwarded to the Ministry of Natural Resources and posted on the Grand River Conservation Authority's website.

Summary:

Not Applicable

Report:

Following discussion at the General Membership meetings of June 28, 2024 and August 23, 2024, staff have updated the By-law to reduce the amount of time available for each individual delegation from ten (10) minutes to five (5) minutes, and a total of ten (10) minutes for delegations of three (3) or more people. Some other minor edits were made to typos.

At the August meeting, direction was provided about clarifying the by-law to specify that there will only be one vice-chair position. At the January 2023 election, the current vice-chairs were both appointed until the next election which will be in January 2024. To reduce any impact prior to the election, staff recommend that this change be incorporated into a by-law update to be presented at the December 2024 meeting.

Financial Implications:

Not applicable

Other Department Considerations:

Not applicable

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