

**Minutes**  
**Environment Advisory Committee**  
Thursday February 17<sup>th</sup>, 2016 at 7:00 p.m. at the Cardiff Municipal Office

**Members Present:**

Suzanne Partridge (Chair)  
Andrew von Zuben  
Josh Bramham  
Jim Sangster

**Staff Members Present:**

Shannon Hunter (CAO/Treasurer)

**Guests: None**

**Regrets:**

Roger Williams  
Peter Fredricks

1. Call to order – 7:05 PM
2. Disclosure of pecuniary interest: None
3. Agenda adopted
4. Adoption of previous minutes
5. Business arising from previous minutes
  - Suzanne mentioned that Council has appointed a task force to review short term accommodations
  - Committee was advised that the Municipality is moving forward with a septic maintenance program and Laurie Devolin, CBO is requested to attend the next meeting to discuss the program
6. Re-Use signage and article
  - The re-use poster prepared by Andrew was reviewed and drop off locations discussed. Andrew will proceed with finishing the poster
7. Heavy Metal Water Testing
  - Josh advised that a private business will send tests to SGS Lakefield
  - The committee agreed that a paragraph highlighting a few points about heavy metal water testing could be included in the Municipal newsletter. Josh will prepare something for our next meeting.
  - The Committee requested copies of our municipal water tests
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8. Earth Day Clean Up
  - Saturday, April 22, 10 am-12 noon
  - Same program as last year.
  - Suzanne will contact Mary Barker regarding Geo-Caching being involved.
  - An invitation to participate will be sent to all Committees
  - Arrangements will be made to update the flyer in order to be distributed to all Community Centres and Libraries
  - Committee members will assist with the distribution of signs.
9. Other Business
  - Volunteer Appreciation Breakfast, Saturday April 29<sup>th</sup>
10. New Business for next meeting
  - Environment Education Day (Forest and Lake Health Summit)
  - Shoreline Restoration Program
  - Septic Maintenance Program

- Heavy Metal Water Testing

11. Next Meeting – March 9, 2017.

12. Adjournment – 7:57 pm