MUNICIPALITY OF CENTRAL MANITOULIN WATER, WASTE & EDUCATION COMMITTEE MINUTES –March 5, 2020

A regular meeting of the Water, Waste & Education Committee was held on March 5, 2020 in the Council Chambers with the following in attendance:

Chair Councillor Tribinevicius, Mayor R. Stephens, Councillor Diebolt, Scott, Shaffer, D. Stephens, and Treasurer D. Deforge.

The Chairperson called the meeting to order at 7:00 p.m.

MOTION: R. STEPHENS and SHAFFER

That the agenda be approved with the following addition

6. f. Transition of Blue Box to Full Producer Responsibility discussion ...carried.

There was no declaration of pecuniary interest.

MOTION: R. STEPHENS and SCOTT

That the minutes of the last regular Water, Waste and Education meeting of February 6, 2019 be approved as presented...carried.

Staff is requested to have cost estimates for the work at the Spring Bay Landfill for the next meeting.

The committee discussed recycling plastics/glass recycling and composting.

MOTION: DIEBOLT and D. STEPHENS

That we recommend to Council to accept the Contaminant Attenuation Zone Reassessment Report prepared by Wood Environment and Infrastructure Solutions ...carried.

MOTION: R. STEPHENS and SHAFFER

That we recommend to Council to accept the 2019 Management Review Minutes for the period October 1, 2019 to September 30, 2019 as prepared by the Ontario Clean Water Agency...carried.

MOTION: DIEBOLT and SCOTT

That we recommend to Council to accept the 2019 Annual Report for the Mindemoya Water Treatment Plant as prepared by the Ontario Clean Water Agency...carried.

MOTION: DIEBOLT and SHAFFER

That staff prepare a home composting strategy for the Municipality for presentation to the committee...carried.

Staff is to research the cost of back yard composters for sale/distribution to the public as part of the home composting strategy.

Staff is directed to research the costs of a glass grinder for the Municipality. Staff is also to set up a public meeting to discuss issues of glass recycling and home composting.

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The report regarding the transition of Blue Box to Full Producer Responsibility was discussed by the Committee

The WWE February 2020 Expense Report was accepted for information only.

The meeting was adjourned on a motion from Councillor Scott at 8:52 p.m.