



OFFICE OF THE CHIEF ADMINISTRATIVE OFFICER

789 Broadway Street, Box 3000
Wyoming, ON N0N 1T0
Telephone: 519 845-0801
Toll-free: 1-866-324-6912
Fax: 519 845-3160
www.lambtononline.ca

NEWS RELEASE

Wednesday, October 15, 2008

For Immediate Release

Council Highlights

Wyoming, ON – At its regular meeting on Wednesday, October 15, 2008 at 12:30 p.m., Lambton County Council:

- Extended the position of Part-Time Project Coordinator in the Housing Services Department until the Canada-Ontario Affordable Housing Program is complete. The position will be funded through administrative funding received from the Ministry of Municipal Affairs and Housing.
- Granted a request of funding from the Inn of the Good Shepherd for the implementation of RedPath Program in the amount of \$4,140.
- Tabled a recommendation to refer the addition of a westbound lane on County Road 4 (Hill Street) from the Intersection of Queen Street / Nash Drive to approximately 85 metres east of Brooktree Drive to the 2009 capital budget until St. Clair Township Council has been consulted and provided with project details.
- Authorized the execution of an Escrow Agreement, Expansion Agreement and Extension Agreement with Waste Management of Canada Corporation with respect to the Warwick Landfill Expansion.
- Supported a resolution from the Village of Point Edward requesting that the Minister of Municipal Affairs and Housing initiate an immediate review of the payment scheme for municipalities in respect of all international bridges and tunnels.
- Directed the “Restructuring Committee” to examine the possibility of establishing a steering committee that would handle the disposal of surplus property.
- Accepted a donation of 60 souvenir chinaware from 1900 from all across Lambton County. This is reputed to be the largest and most complete collection of these Lambton-inspired pieces in existence.
- Tabled Councillor Bradley’s motion asking that the County pass on cost savings realized from the provincial government to the lower tier by providing grants based on proportionate levy assessments, until the Province releases its Provincial Municipal Fiscal and Service Delivery Review.

...MORE

For more information about Lambton County, visit www.lambtononline.ca.

-30-

Contact:

Darlene Coke

Communications & Marketing Coordinator

County of Lambton

Telephone: 519 845-0801 ext. 5214

Cell: 519 383-2101

email: darlene.coke@county-lambton.on.ca