



### **East Ferris Centennial Advisory Committee**

Minutes of meeting held Tuesday, May 11th, 2021.

Present:	Pauline Rochefort	Cécile Barham
	Jason Trottier	Jenna Cowden
	Monica Hawkins	Gilles Mathon
	Laurette Taillefer	Steven Trahan
	Kim Rose	Joanne St. Denis (excused absent)

The meeting was called to order at 2:00 p.m.

Pauline advised that today was Clean Up Day in the Municipality. Pauline gave the floor to Co-Chair to continue with the discussion of the activity. Co-Chair advised that he had seen many people out and cleaning up, and advised that some photos were starting to come in. Co-Chair also advised that this Saturday, it was "One Free Load at the Dump Day". Co-Chair encouraged everybody to get active and participate.

The Committee was advised that the East Ferris Edition was complete which includes a section that highlights "June is Senior Month". Many thanks were given to Laurette Taillefer, for her research in finding the names of our Seniors that are 90+. Laurette advised that the oldest was Mrs. Aline Carriere at the age of 102. Mrs. Carriere now resides at Empire Living.

Committee decided that we will still carry on with the project of bat houses. The Municipality will be purchasing the bat house kits and selling them to the residents. The bat house kits run about \$35.00 a kit, with the sponsor, we will be able to sell them at \$20.00.

The fishing derby is still a go for the month of June. Cecile discussed the matter of the Car Rally. At this time, there is 21 registrations received. There was discussion regarding COVID Restrictions. The Committee will continue as plan, and monitor COVID Restrictions. If COVID restrictions are not lifted, the Car Rally will be cancelled.

Jack Lockhart is still doing his painting workshop. He advised that he would donate his painting to the Municipality.

Participation will be promoted for the month of June. The municipality will reach out to individuals, groups to participate.

There will be a resolution at the next Council meeting "Participation Month in East Ferris".

Canada Day scheduled for July 1st, 2021. Again, we are monitoring the COVID Restrictions. Activities planned for Canada Day are: Fire Works, Home decorating, Scavenger Hunt. Dignitaries advised that they could attend. If we can have gatherings, we are looking at dance for kids on the soccer field, pizza and cupcakes. We have flags reserved from Mr. Rota's office

July: Paint workshop

Committee will be looking at cost of Municipal Flags and selling them.

August: The picnic is not being held.

September: Coloring Contest

November: Michelle St. Onge is working on costumes.

Meeting adjourned. Next meeting, May 25th, 2021.