



Community Development Award Committee

Minutes

Thursday, May 1, 2025 5:00pm
Biggings Room, Level 3, Civic Centre

Live Stream: <https://www.youtube.com/user/SaultSteMarieOntario>

Present: S. Suwal, M. Jones, P. Christian, J. Parsons

Staff: S. Zuppa

1. Land Acknowledgement

2. Adoption of Minutes

Moved by: P. Christian
Seconded by: J. Parsons

Motion: Resolved that the meeting minutes of the Community Development Award Committee meeting of May 1, 2025 be approved as amended. CARRIED

3. Declaration of Pecuniary Interest

None declared.

4. Adoption of Agenda

Moved by: J. Parsons
Seconded by: S. Suwal

Motion: Resolved that Agenda of the Community Development Award Committee meeting for May 1, 2025 be approved as presented. CARRIED

5. Discuss Evaluation Criteria

The Committee decided to, if necessary, use a similar ranking methodology to what was used in the previous two years. They may alter that method based on the number of shortlisted nominees.

6. Nominations 2022-2025

- A. The Shoppes on TransCanada – 625 Trunk Road (2022)
- B. St. Anne's School – Residential Conversion - 139 White Oak Drive (2022)
- C. Algoma Vaccination Support Council (2022)
- D. StartUp Sault Ste. Marie (2022)
- E. The Art Hub at Spring – 504 Queen Street East (2023)
- F. Alex Muir School - Residential Conversion – 188 Kohler Street (2022)
- G. Queenscentre Building – 477 Queen Street East (2022)
- H. Windsor Place Retirement Residence – 617 Queen Street East (2023)
- I. Vicary Fremlin – Lock City Dairies (2024)
- J. Nicole Dyble - Mutual Aid Hub, Dryer Fire/Piecing it Together Shows (2024)

The Committee will consider all nominations presented as well as the suggested nominations.

7. Other Business

8. Next Meeting(s)

No meeting date set. S. Zuppa will send out a poll to determine the best date for the following meeting.

9. Closed Session

Moved by: P. Christian
Seconded by: J. Parsons

Motion: Resolved that this Committee move into closed session to debate the merits of the nominations against each other;

Further Be It Resolved that should the said closed session be adjourned, the Committee may reconvene in closed session to discuss the same matters without the need for a further authorizing resolution. CARRIED

(Municipal Act section 239(2)(b) personal matters about an identifiable individual, including municipal or local board employees)