



COUNCIL MEETING HIGHLIGHTS

Council Meeting: May 21st, 2024

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Manitoulin Eco-Growth Solutions Delegation

- Mr. Colen McKeever of Manitoulin Eco-Growth Solutions gave a presentation to Council on organic waste diversion solutions from the Billings Landfill. Manitoulin Eco-Growth Solutions is dedicated to promoting sustainable practices and fostering eco-conscious solutions on Manitoulin Island. Their mission is to drive waste diversion and establish small-scale circular economics that benefit local communities and commercial organizations.
- The presentation is available in the May 21st, 2024 agenda package posted on the Township of Billings website.

156 Main Street Lease Agreement

- Council approved entering into a 3-year lease agreement with the Kuku Hut at 156 Main Street in Kagawong. The Kuku Hut has been renting 156 Main Street for a number of years. The space is used as a gift shop where you can purchase a wide variety of products hand-crafted in Africa.

Household Hazardous Waste Day

- The Township of Billings will be participating in the 2024 Household Hazardous Waste Day hosted by Central Manitoulin on Saturday July 20th, 2024 from 1pm - 4pm. Stay tuned for a flyer to be posted on the Township website and Facebook page.

Tractor Purchase Approved

- Council approved the quotation from Northshore Tractor Ltd. for a New Utility/Compact Agriculture 4-Wheel Drive Tractor with Loader, Mover and Backhoe attachments as approved in the 2024 Budget.
- This tractor will be helpful to our Public Works Crew used with various labours such as roadside mowing, trail maintenance and cold patching!

Members of the public who wish to comment on meeting items are welcome to do so in writing to tmills@billingstwp.ca. Comments will be included in the next available agenda package.

The next Regular Council Meeting is scheduled for Tuesday June 4th, 2024 @ 7pm in person at the Kagawong Park Centre.

The agenda and virtual connection details will be posted at <https://billingstwp.ca/council-meetings/2024-council-agendas-and-minutes/> the Friday prior to the meeting.