



NASHWAAK

Committee of the Whole Meeting

September 2, 2026 7:00pm

Nashwaak Community Office

Call to Order

The meeting was called to order at 7:00pm by Mayor Sweeney.

Record of Attendance

Present: Mayor David Sweeney, Deputy Mayor Victoria Green, Councillor Mike Mulherin, Councillor Angel Merrett, Councillor Sacha Boies, Councillor Doug Koch, CAO Bethany Ryan, Clerk Anouchka Hawkes-O'Hara

Absent: Councillor Jeff Foster (regrets)

Approval of Agenda

Motion: To add discussion about the Giants Glen road properties to Public Works and Infrastructure and that the amended agenda for the September 2nd, 2026 Committee of the Whole meeting be approved.

Moved by: D.Koch

Seconded: M. Mulherin

Result: Carried

Disclosure of Conflicts of Interest

Members were asked to declare any conflicts of interest. None declared.

Presentations/Delegations

Discussion Items

Council received training on the Councillor handbook.

Council discussed the Subdivision By-law.

Council discussed the Giants Glen railbed property which is owned by the Municipality.

Council discussed the preliminary findings of the Strategic Planning session.

Council discussed the Sponsorship Requests from The Miramichi Kennel Club, The Penniac Traverse and The Terry Fox Run.

Recommendations to Council

The Committee of the Whole recommends that Council:

- Direct staff to seek additional information about the Subdivision by-law.
- Direct Staff to draft a letter to property owners along the Giants Glen Rd railbed; offering the land for purchase with legal and surveying fees at their own expense.
- Direct Staff to create draft of the 2026-2030 NRC Strategic Plan.

- Direct Staff to draft a response to The Miramichi Kennel Club's Sponsorship request, supporting with a \$1,000.00 sponsorship and by giving 500 Nashwaak pins.
- Direct Staff to clarify what is needed and to supply the third annual Penniac Traverse with swag.
- Direct Staff to contact The Terry Fox initiative with confirmation of sponsorship and confirm that a Council team led by the Mayor will be participating.

Adjournment

Motion: That the Committee of the Whole meeting be adjourned at 8:50pm

Moved by: M. Mulherin

Result: Carried