

**Town of Fort Frances
Ad Hoc Off-Leash Dog Park Advisory Committee**

Minutes of Meeting



Date: September 13, 2012

Present: Duane Hicks – General Public Member
Kathleen Egan – General Public Member
George Bell – Kiwanis Club Member
Andrew Hallikas – Councilor
Arlene Byrnes – By-Law Officer
Doug Brown – Operations & Facilities Manager

1. Duane Hicks called the meeting to order at 1:15 p.m.
2. The minutes from the August 28th, 2012 OLD PAC were approved as circulated.
3. Ranking of Candidate Sites – the list of potential candidate sites were reviewed where the following properties were eliminated as potential sites for the proposed off-leash dog park;
 - 1) McIrvine Road Park
 - 2) Lion's Club Park
 - 3) Front Street Park
 - 4) Nelson Street Park
 - 5) Pither's Point Park
 - 6) LaVerendrye Parkway
 - 7) McIrvine Outdoor Rink Land
 - 8) East End Rink
 - 9) Fort Frances Power Corporation Substation Property – 8th Street
 - 10) East of Shevlin Woodyard Property
 - 11) Proposed Condo Property – Front Street

Each committee member listed their pro's and con's for each candidate site where the Operations & Facilities Manager will develop a spreadsheet outlining all the pro's and con's with a fly-over drawing showing each potential off-leash dog park site.

The spreadsheet will be delivered to each member for review prior to the next OLD PAC meeting.

4. Next Meeting Date – scheduled for October 4th, 2012 at 4:00 p.m. in the downstairs Committee Room.
5. New Business – nothing.
6. Meeting adjourned at 2:00 p.m.