



The Corporation of the Township of Huron-Kinloss

Staff Report

Report Title: Parks and Facilities Update 2024 November

Date: Nov. 4, 2024

Report Number: CS-2024-11-46

Department: Community Services

File Number: C11-CS-24

Prepared By: Matt McClinchey, Parks and Facilities Supervisor

Attachments: Lewis Pavilion, Point Clark Ball Diamond

Recommendation:

THAT the Township of Huron-Kinloss Committee of the Whole hereby receives for information Report CS-2024-11-46 prepared by Matt McClinchey, Parks and Facilities Supervisor.

Background: The Community Services Department operates and maintains various facilities, parks, and trails in the Township throughout the calendar year.

Discussion/Analysis/Overview:

Winter Garbage Receptacles

Garbage cans have been placed on the Lucknow and Ripley rail trails as well as the Point Clark lighthouse for the winter season. Staff will check and change bi-weekly or as needed. Winter receptacles have not been placed in the past and will be removed if household garbage is being collected in them.

Point Clark Ball Diamond

A large portion of brush and overgrowth has been removed at the Point Clark baseball diamond in foul territory. Reid's Corners Contracting removed this brush. This area will now be maintained by grass cutters. Less baseballs will be lost during Ripley Minor Baseball games thus saving costs for their program. See picture attached.

Lewis Park Pavilion

Work has been completed at the pavilion in Ripley's Lewis Park. The steel roof was installed by North Star Carpentry and the new posts were installed by Fabwrights Industrial. See pictures attached.

Financial Impacts: None Currently

Performance Measurement: NA

Strategic Area:

- Embrace a thriving rural lifestyle
- Enhance Municipal Service Delivery
- Prepare for Inclusive Growth
- Ensure Financial Stability

Strategic Goal: Manage assets and infrastructure

Respectfully Submitted By: Matt McClinchey, Parks and Facilities Supervisor

Report Approved By:

Jodi MacArthur, Chief Administrative Officer