



Staff Report

Report Title: Parks and Facilities Update

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Department: CS

Date: Feb. 2, 2021

Report Number: CS-2021-03-5

File Number: C11 CSE21

Attachments: Zamboni, Paint and Trim

Recommendation:

That the Township of Huron-Kinloss Committee of the Whole hereby receives the information provided in Report Number CS-2021-03-5 prepared by Matt McClinchey, Parks and Facilities Supervisor.

Background:

The Community Services Department operates and maintains various Facilities, Parks, and Trails in the Township of Huron-Kinloss.

Discussion:

Community services staff has been completing various maintenance projects while the province has entered the stay-at-home order.

The basement of the Point Clark Huron Community Center has been painted Stonington grey. The new paint along with the new windows installed last summer give the basement an updated look. The basement washrooms at the Lucknow Townhall have also been painted Stonington grey. A photo is Attached.

The Ripley-Huron Community Center auditorium and bar kitchen has been repainted. In addition to the new paint, the solid wood baseboard trim has been completed throughout the auditorium. A photo is attached.

The Grey Bruce Health Unit moved into "Yellow" and the Ripley Huron Community Center is now open for ice and room rentals. Staff will continue to enforce Covid-19 protocols including, screening, use of masks, and frequent touch point cleaning. The doors remain locked to the public and will be unlocked for scheduled rentals. Ice

rentals resumed on February 20th and will conclude on March 31st. Only our regular scheduled user groups are using available ice during this time.

The arrival of the new electric Zamboni is scheduled for mid March. Staff were consulted regarding the colour of the machine and after careful consideration the colour black was chosen to accommodate various community logos and paid advertisements. A sample picture is attached.

Financial Impacts:

None currently

Strategic Alignment / Link:

We are a vibrant community that values our uniqueness and creativity.

By creating places where people want to be

We are an environmentally conscious community that are good stewards of our natural environment.

By being aware and taking responsibility

Respectfully Submitted By:

Matt McClinchey, Parks and Facilities Supervisor

Approved By:

Mary Rose Walden, Chief Administrative Officer