



**Dufferin Aggregates Milton Quarry
Community Advisory Panel (CAP)
Meeting Minutes**

Event:	Community Advisory Panel (CAP) Milton Quarry
Date & Time:	Wednesday April 4, 2018 7:05 – 8:02 p.m.
Place:	Milton Quarry
Chair:	Corey Michaels, Smithcom Limited
Participants:	<u>CAP Members:</u> Walter Heyden, Dufferin Aggregates, Site Manager, Milton Quarry Letty Stevenson, Dufferin Aggregates, Milton Quarry Scott McCammon, Milton Chamber of Commerce Nancy Mott, Niagara Escarpment Commission Janice Vancso, Neighbour Shelly Varley, Neighbour Ted Brown, Halton Hills Councillor Bryan Lewis, Halton Hills Councillor Cindy Lunau, Town of Milton Councillor
Minutes:	Corey Michaels, Smithcom Limited

Regrets:

Nancy Tilt, Bruce Trail
Stephen Ng Qui Sang, Neighbour
Colin Best, Town of Milton Councillor

Minutes

Corey Michaels calls the meeting to order at 7:06 pm

The first item of business is approval of the minutes from the November 1, 2017 meeting.

Ted Brown moves to approve minutes, seconded by **Walter Heyden**.

Minutes are approved.

2018 Operations Plan Update

Walter Heyden: Before we can extract stone, we have to remove the overburden. Will remove in the east cell over 5 years, starting this year. Dirt will be used in rehabilitation area across the west cell. We anticipate starting in the next couple of weeks. This work used to be done in winter but can't be anymore due to the need to achieve specific soil conditions.

There are three areas of extraction. We brought a small portable crusher in to do floor material in January and February. This area will eventually become a lake once reserves have been removed. In the west cell, we are also taking reserves from the floor and north wall. This will also become a lake once reserves removed – there will be no need to pump out. We anticipate starting to fill with water in fall of 2019. The east cell is the active mining area. We will extract from the top bench and south and bottom bench: 3.5 million tonnes in total – January to end of November

We will be shipping from 5:30am to 5pm Monday to Friday, and Saturdays on demand.

In the community, we finished the Darling House trail build, a complete 1.2km accessible loop over 2 years. Clean up day will be April 25, targeting both Sixth Line and Townline Road. Our annual tree planting is on April 28 and our Open Doors / Open House event will be on May 23.

Bryan Lewis: I noticed clearing of trees when coming in on the roadway – is that for expansion?

Walter Heyden: No, there were four or five massive trees there. One fell close to hydro line, so we had to remove to accommodate the hydro lines.

Cindy Lunau: Do you have figures on how much garbage is collected and can you share them with us – so we can combine with our clean up numbers?

Walter Heyden: Absolutely, we'll provide you with locations and numbers when available.

Tremaine Road Update

Nancy Mott: Work has started on expanding Tremaine Road north from Steeles. NEC gave expansion permit for portions that fall. The first leg of the project will go from Steeles to #3 Sideroad – there are still some issues to be worked out relating to the interchange with 401. Project is up to a good start so far. Road disruptions can be expected for the next little while.

Discussion on Roundabouts

Cindy Lunau: If you are wondering about the success of roundabouts on major roads, the new roundabout on Highway 7 between here and Guelph is working very well.

Nancy Mott: The only comment I've had from relatives visiting is that there are too many signs approaching the roundabouts on Tremaine Roads. Other than that, they seem to be working well.

Open Q&A Session

Janice Vansco: What is Dufferin doing on Tremaine Road by the railway?

Walter Heyden: Dufferin Construction was awarded the contract for a project.

Scott McCammon: I was browsing the regional website because I was trying to find the status of the interchange project and found some details documenting driveway access and other details.

Nancy Mott: Eventually, once this project is done, the current Tremaine Road will no longer be a through road. It will end at the highway but local access will be maintained.

Walter Heyden: Some members haven't attended in some time. Should we have a discussion at the next meeting about reviewing the terms of reference and current committee membership?

Committee agreed to review issue at future meeting.

Bryan Lewis: Can we schedule in a site tour for the CAP?

Walter Heyden: Yes, we can look into doing so at the next meeting.

Bryan Lewis: Was there a change in blasting companies?

Walter Heyden: Last year we used two companies. Due to some performance issues with a former contractor, we have switched. The same monitoring is in place – the blast monitoring is conducted by another third-party and has not changed at all. We have a monitor on Highway 25 again – we didn't have one for about 2 years after a property changed ownership

Bryan Lewis: From a public perspective, nothing has changed other than maybe the colour of the truck/uniform? Should we be informing the public that a new firm is conducting the blasting?

Walter Heyden: They wouldn't see any change. The company they would interact with at the monitoring sites has not changed in many years. If there is a need for the monitoring equipment to be changed, they will typically inform the property owner beforehand.

Bryan Lewis: How do drivers know what they can and can't do? Won't there be a number of new drivers each season?

Walter Heyden: We send out annual notices reminding our customers and vendors of our rules. When new vendors show up, they are provided with our package of rules.

We have largely taken a zero-tolerance policy. If a driver violates these rules, there is a 5 or 7 day suspension from all Dufferin Aggregates sites.

No other business to discuss.

Upcoming meeting dates:

May 30, 2018 with a 6 pm start. Include a possible site tour and membership discussion – safety protocol for site tour to be distributed to CAP members.

October 10, 2018 for the last meeting of the year. Topics TBD.

Corey Michaels requests motion to adjourn.

Scott McCammon moved motion to adjourn

Meeting adjourned at 8:02 pm

Action Items:

Provide copy of trucker information package to CAP members

Provide safety protocol for site tour to CAP members