



County Council Review

March 2012

Highlights

- Mr. Jamie Bramburger and Mrs. Marie Mask of Algonquin College updated County Council on the impact of the opening of the new Pembroke Campus on the community. The new Campus is scheduled to open in September 2012 and so far, \$1.9 million of the \$2.5 million Capital Campaign has been raised.
- County of Renfrew Manager of Forestry Services Jeff Muzzi and Forester Lacey Rose presented the official County of Renfrew Five-Year Forestry Management Plan. One of the highlights of the report was the fact that the county forests generated close to \$1 million in revenue for the County of Renfrew.
- The County of Renfrew's Green Operations Committee made a presentation to County Council on the many achievements of this countywide committee that resulted in savings in terms of energy costs and consumption across the corporation.

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Council Communiqué

Council Initiatives

- County Council did not approve a recommendation from the County of Renfrew's Operations Committee to transfer ownership of 34 bridges and culverts on local roads to the respective municipalities.
- County Council entered into three By-law agreements with Renfrew County Community Futures Development Corporation for three successful grant applications under the Eastern Ontario Development Program. The grants will help in the delivery of two workshops from the Development & Property Department in the areas of forestry and renewable energy and a public awareness campaign led by the County of Renfrew Accessibility Advisory Committee.
- County Council was notified that the Development & Property Department, the Emergency Services Department and the Public Works & Engineering Department are preparing an Active Transportation Strategy that will be brought forward to County Council at the April session.

ANNOUNCEMENT

- The County of Renfrew's 8th Annual Warden's Golf Tournament has been scheduled for Friday, September 7, 2012 at the Roanoke Golf Course in Petawawa. Details and registration information will be made available in June 2012. Over the last seven years, close to \$30,000 has been raised for local charities and non-profit organizations in the County of Renfrew.