

To: Members of the Arenas Parks and Recreation Advisory

Committee

From: Mary Gallop, Manager, Facilities & Special Projects

Meeting Date: May 27, 2014

Subject: Report APRAC14-025

Little Lake Master Plan Update – Shoreline Erosion Project

Purpose

A report to receive a presentation on a shoreline stabilization project as part of the Little Lake Master Plan implementation.

Recommendation

That the Arenas Parks and Recreation Advisory Committee approve the recommendation outlined in Report APRAC14-025 dated May 27, 2014, of the Manager of Facilities and Special Projects, as follows:

That the presentation on the shoreline stabilization project by Meredith Carter of the Otonabee Conservation be received for information.

Budget and Financial Implications

Council approved \$110,000 in the 2013 capital budget (Reference 6-7.04) to undertake the work. There are no budgetary or financial implications in approving the staff recommendation at this time.

Background

The Little Lake Master Plan was an extensive study of the waterfront, Otonabee River, and Little Lake from the bridge on Hunter Street to the bridge on Lansdowne Street. The study assessed current conditions, activity, uses and opportunities to develop a comprehensive plan for the Little Lake study area. It provided a guiding plan for the City of Peterborough for initiatives to strengthen Little Lake for the next 20 years. Council officially received the plan as a result of Report CSD10-003, dated March 15, 2010.

City Council approved a 2013 capital budget request of \$110,000 to undertake design and construction work to address shoreline erosion of critical areas of Little Lake. City staff met with Otonabee Conservation (OC) staff to determine if OC were interested in partnering with the City to undertake this stabilization project. OC has been active in undertaking similar work throughout the city and were pleased to be asked to work with the City for the implementation of this project.

Mrs. Meredith Carter, Manager of Environmental and Technical Services for OC, will present the details of the shoreline stabilization project to give APRAC members an understanding of this endeavor as part of the Little Lake Master Plan implementation activities.

Submitted by,

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