



EMO Committee Meeting Minutes

Date: January 21st, 2026

Location: HFD

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58 Hanselacker Road,
Harvey, New Brunswick, E6K 1A3

Present: Andrew MacLean (Deputy Mayor); Joseph Swan (Assistant Treasurer); Jerrad Swan (HFD Chief); Sgt. Pierre Ladouceur (RCMP); Robert Jamieson; Brad MacKay; Eric McInnis

Absent: Jack Goode

1. **Call to Order:**

The meeting was called to order at 7:01PM by Deputy Mayor MacLean

2. **Adoption of the Agenda:**

Moved by Pierre Ladouceur, seconded by Eric McInnis to adopt the agenda as presented. Motion carried.

3. **Disclosure of Conflict of Interest:**

None to report.

4. **New Member Update:**

The Committee formally welcomed Eric McInnis as a new member of the group.

5. **Review of Updated Fire By-Law**

The Committee reviewed proposed updates to the current HRC Fire By-Law. Key updates relate to alignment with DNR guidance on burn bans, authority for HRC to impose trail-use restrictions in advance of formal burn bans, and imposing fees for repeated “false alarm” fire calls. Members were pleased with the proposed updates and expressed their support. A motion was made for HRC administration to present the proposed updates to Council at their next meeting. Moved by Brad MacKay, seconded by Robert Jamieson. Motion carried.

6. **Rural Plan Group Proposal**

As the HRC collaborates with the Capital Region Service Commission over the coming months to create a Rural Plan, the EMO Committee has been requested to serve as a key focus group in the review of the draft documents. The Committee plans to review materials from CRSC at their next meeting. If review is required prior to that date, a special meeting will be called.

7. **CWRP Update:**

TSI consultants have completed over 75% of the Community Wildfire Resiliency Plan. Final interviews are underway, and the plan is on track to be completed prior to the deadline.

8. **Voyent Alert Update:**

The Committee was presented with updated registration numbers for Voyent Alert. Promotion will increase in the coming months as seasonal residents return to the community.

9. **Community Town-Hall Meeting:**

Committee members were invited to the upcoming HRC Town-Hall Meeting, on February 23rd at Harvey High School.

10. **Scheduling of Next Meeting:**

The next EMO meeting is scheduled for April 15th, 2026, at 7PM.



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11. Motion for Adjournment:

A motion for adjournment was made at 7:32PM by Deputy Mayor McLean. Moved by Brad MacKay, seconded by Eric McInnis. Motion carried.

Respectfully submitted by:
Assistant Treasurer, Joseph Swan

Joseph Swan

January 22nd, 2026