



## Tourism Advisory Committee Minutes

**Date:** July 4, 2024  
**Time:** 10:00 a.m.  
**Location:** Council Chambers  
7 Broadway Street West  
Paris, ON

**Present:** Councillors Oakley and Kyle, Members Pate, Stone, and Von Schleinitz

**Regrets:** Mayor Bailey, Members Harder, Pottruff, Pickering, Sinning, and Howell

**Staff:** Gable, Clements, and Pluck

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Quorum was not achieved. The meeting proceeded for information purposes only.

Member Stone in the Chair.

**1. Attendance**

Attendance was taken, noting quorum was not made. The meeting proceeded for information purposes only.

**2. Approval of Agenda**

**3. Declaration of Pecuniary Interests**

None.

**4. Delegations / Petitions / Presentations**

None.

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**5. Adoption of Minutes from Previous Meetings**

5.1 Tourism Advisory Committee Minutes of June 6, 2024

**6. Business Arising from the Minutes**

Zoning for Glamping Pods

In response to questions regarding having zoning within the County of Brant to allow for Glamping Pods in rural settings, Zach Gable, Director of Economic Development & Tourism advised that the Niche Accommodations presentation will speak further on this and recommended for the presentation to come forward prior to further discussion.

**7. Staff Reports**

7.1 Niche Accommodations - B. Webb

This presentation was deferred until the September 5, 2024, Tourism Advisory Committee meeting.

7.2 Staff Update - D. Clements

Donna Clements, Tourism Coordinator, provided an updated to the committee from Economic Development and Tourism. She noted events that took place within the County of Brant in the month of June and advised that staff are working on a draft film policy. D. Clements provided an update on Arts, Culture and Heritage, advising of Culture Days, the Cobblestone Tour and action items from the Arts, Culture and Heritage Strategy. D. Clements advised on special events and filming taking place within the County and noted that Music in the Parks is starting on July 9. She concluded with an update on tourism within the County of Brant.

**8. Communications**

None.

**9. Other Business**

None.

**10. Next Meeting and Adjournment**

Committee adjourned at 10:25 am to meet again on September 5, 2024 at the County of Brant Council Chambers.

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Secretary