



STANDING POLICY COMMITTEE ON PLANNING, DEVELOPMENT AND COMMUNITY SERVICES

Northeast Swale and Small Swale Boundary Endorsement

Recommendation of the Committee

That the boundaries for the Northeast and Small Swales, as outlined in Option 3, be endorsed.

History

The Standing Policy Committee on Planning, Development and Community Services, at its meeting held on February 8, 2023, considered a report from the Administration regarding the above and letters submitting comments from:

- Stewart Coles, Saskatchewan Chapter of Canadian Parks and Wilderness Society
- Mike Winter, Walking Saskatoon
- Meghan Mickelson and Candace Savage, Swale Watchers
- Jody Busch
- Carmen Gilmore
- Joanne Blythe and Chad Hammond, Wild About Saskatoon
- John Krowina
- James Dynes
- Megan Van Buskirk, Saskatchewan Environmental Society
- David Maxwell Abraham
- Patricia Albers

In addition to the above-noted recommendation, your Committee also resolved that through the concept plan development and review, the Administration work with all stakeholders to seek opportunities to establish greenway or other buffer spaces greater than 25m where feasible and ecologically beneficial, and that the report be forwarded to the Saskatoon Environmental Advisory Committee as information.

The Committee received presentations from the following speakers:

- Jan Norris;
- Sara Bryson, Saskatoon Nature Society;
- Mike Velonas and Renny Grilz, Meewasin Valley Authority;
- Frank Long, Saskatoon Land.



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Attachments

1. February 8, 2023 report of the General Manager, Community Services
2. February 5, 2023 letter from Jan Norris
3. February 5, 2023 letter from Sara Bryson, Saskatoon Nature Society
4. February 6, 2023 letter from Mike Velonas, Meewasin Valley Authority
5. February 6, 2023 letter from Frank Long, Saskatoon Land
6. February 2, 2023 letter from Stewart Coles, Saskatchewan Chapter of Canadian Parks and Wilderness Society
7. February 5, 2023 letter from Mike Winter, Walking Saskatoon
8. February 5, 2023 letter from Meghan Mickelson and Candace Savage, Swale Watchers
9. February 5, 2023 letter from Jody Busch
10. February 6, 2023 letter from Carmen Gilmore
11. February 6, 2023 letter from Joanne Blythe and Chad Hammond, Wild About Saskatoon
12. February 6, 2023 letter from John Krowina
13. February 6, 2023 letter from James Dynes
14. February 6, 2023 letter from Megan Van Buskirk, Saskatchewan Environmental Society
15. February 6, 2023 letter from David Maxwell Abraham
16. February 6, 2023 letter from Patricia Albers