

PUBLIC NOTICE

PLANNING ADVISORY COMMITTEE

Council for the Corporation of the Township of Chapple would like to give notice of consideration to the repeal of Bylaw 1081 that was passed October 10, 1995 for the purpose of establishing a Planning Advisory Committee.

As per Bylaw 1081, this committee is to consist of 7 members and shall include the Reeve of the Township of Chapple, one member of Council of the Township of Chapple and 5 citizens of the Township of Chapple.

Citizen representation dropped to four (4) in 2006, then to three (3) in 2014 and with further resignations in 2015, current citizen representation is now down to one (1). Efforts have been made to recruit new citizen representatives but to date there has been no interested expressed. In order to have a quorum, Councillors James Gibson and Ted Zimmerman have been appointed to the Committee.

With the majority of the Committee now being Council, consideration is being given to dissolving the Committee and returning the delegation of authority back to Council. A municipality is not required to have a Planning Advisory Committee with citizen representation but Council wishes to hear from residents as to what the community wants. Thank you for your consideration and comments. Anyone interested in sitting on the Planning Advisory Committee is asked to contact the municipal office.