



ROUGE PARK ALLIANCE MINUTES - MEETING #2/08 - April 4, 2008

The Rouge Park Alliance met at the Rouge River Community Centre in Markham. Alan Wells, Chair, welcomed everyone and called the meeting to order at 10:00 a.m. He announced that the Annual General Meeting would be divided into two parts: Part One: Rouge Park Alliance Meeting #2/08; Part Two: Presentations and Rouge Park Award.

PRESENT

Members:

Alan Wells, Chair
Councillor Paul Ainslie, City of Toronto
Hon. Pauline Browes, Waterfront Regeneration Trust Corp.
Robin Hale, Toronto Zoo
Markham Deputy Mayor Jack Heath, Region of York
Dr. Helena Jaczek, Province of Ontario
Derek Lee, MP, Government of Canada
Regional Councillor Bonnie Littley, Region of Durham
Councillor Ron Moeser, City of Toronto
Gerri Lynn O'Connor, TRCA
Councillor Clyde Smith, Town of Whitchurch-Stouffville

Alternates:

Ian Buchanan, Region of York
Nestor Chornobay, Region of Durham
Brian Denney, Toronto & Region Conservation Authority
Mayor Wayne Emmerson, Town of Whitchurch-Stouffville
Audrey Hollasch, Town of Richmond Hill
Councillor Logan Kanapathi, Town of Markham
Councillor Chin Lee, City of Toronto
Tom Melymuk, City of Pickering
Jim Robb, Save the Rouge Valley System Inc.
Tracy Smith, Province of Ontario
Carolyn Woodland, TRCA

ABSENT

Members:

Councillor David Cohen, Town of Richmond Hill
Glenn De Baeremaeker, Save the Rouge Valley System Inc.
Councillor Jennifer O'Connell, City of Pickering
Councillor Erin Shapero, Town of Markham

Alternates:

Councillor Raymond Cho, City of Toronto
Ron Dewell, Toronto & Region Conservation Authority
Tom Farrell, Province of Ontario
Adele Freeman, Toronto & Region Conservation Authority
Mark Graham, Save the Rouge Valley System Inc.
Sue Gunton, Toronto Zoo
Keith Laushway, Waterfront Regeneration Trust Corp.
Hon. Dan McTeague, Government of Canada

Staff:

Bob Clay, Manager, Ecological Restoration
Barb Davies, Manager, Natural Heritage
Michelle Holmes, Communications Specialist
Doreen McCarty, Administrative Coordinator

Vicki MacDonald, Biologist
Maryam Nassar, Manager, Interpretation & Culture
Lewis Yeager, General Manager

Observers:

Gisela Bach, TD Shoreline
C. Bettie, Public Participant
Tom Boudreault, City of Toronto Parks
Rae Bowie, Office of Lui Temelkowski, MP
Marshall Buchanan, 10,000 Trees for the Rouge Valley
Bob Burgar, Sr.
Susan Bury, Legacy Ratepayers Assoc.
Mark Carroll, Community Resource Centre

Observers: Cont'd...

Andy McKinnon, Public Participant
Bernadette Manning, Cedar Grove
Craig Mather
Gord MacPherson, TRCA
Burkhard Mausberg, Friends of the Greenbelt Foundation
Edith Montgomery
Larry Noonan, Altona Forest Stewardship Committee
Colin O'Neill, Friends of the Rouge Watershed

Observers: Cont'd...

Ron Christie and Family
Jim Dillane, TRCA
Tom Farrar, Box Grove Community Assoc.
Karin Fawthrop, West Hill Resident
David Francis, Oak Ridges Moraine Land Trust
Willa Harris, 10,000 Trees for the Rouge Valley
Murray Johnston, Rouge Valley Foundation
Feliks & Rita Kivikink
Regional Councillor Gordon Landon, Markham
Colin Lathe, Public Participant
Lys Lawrence, Rouge Valley Church
Marvin Macaraig, Dept. Of Geography, U of T

Observers: Cont'd...

S. Poulton, Kirkhams Road Resident
Don Prince, Oak Ridges Moraine Land Trust
Lionel Purcell, Rouge Valley Foundation
Anna Rose, Markham Museum, Town of Markham
Linda Sarang, Rouge Valley Conservation Centre
Harold Sellers, Oak Ridges Trail Association
Patricia Short-Gallé
Donald Smith, Scarborough Preservation Panel
Lorne Smith, Heritage Committee & Carol Smith
Keith Thirgood, Capstone Communications
Helen Walter, Capstone Communications
Gord Weeden
Anne Wells
Anil Wijesooriya, Ontario Realty Corporation

