

Present:

Chairperson - Councillor Hayne
Councillor Gill
Councillor Hayne
Councillor Hepner
Councillor Hunt
Councillor Martin
Councillor Rasode
Councillor Steele
Mayor Watts

Absent:

Councillor Villeneuve

Staff Present:

City Manager
City Clerk
General Manager, Planning & Development
City Solicitor
Acting General Manager, Engineering
General Manager, Finance & Technology
General Manager, Parks, Recreation & Culture
General Manager, Human Resources

A. DELEGATIONS**1. Rachel and Sage Henderson**

File: 0320-20; 0550-20-10

In attendance before Council to raise awareness of Type 1 Diabetes and present the Mayor and Council with blue circle pins. The blue circle pin is the universal symbol for diabetes. The purpose of the symbol is to give diabetes a common identity and provide a means for members of the public to show support for the fight against diabetes.

The following comments were made:

- There is no known cause or cure for diabetes. Diabetes is an auto immune disease which uses insulin as a regulator.
- The Delegation reviewed the two types of diabetes and their current treatments. Diabetes may be controlled by diet, oral medication, insulin injections or insulin pumps. It is easier to live with diabetes with the medicines and technologies available today to help monitor glucose levels.
- More information can be found on the Canadian Diabetes Association's website <http://www.diabetes.ca>.
- The delegation thanked Council and distributed pins and information.
- In response to Council's question on how an insulin pump works the delegation responded that insulin pumps are a safe, effective way to deliver insulin and are most often used by people who need multiple injections of insulin for their diabetes. The device involves a small catheter, which is inserted under the skin, and a pump, which is about the size of a pager, that is worn outside the body.

The Chair thanked the delegation for the presentation and for the pins and information on diabetes that were distributed.

- B. ITEMS REFERRED BY COUNCIL
- C. CORPORATE REPORTS
- D. DELEGATION REQUESTS
- E. COUNCILLORS' REPORTS
- F. OTHER COMPETENT BUSINESS
- G. ADJOURNMENT


It was

now adjourn.

Moved by Councillor Martin
Seconded by Councillor Hepner
That the Council-in-Committee meeting do

Carried

The Council-in-Committee adjourned at 5:27 p.m.



Jane Sullivan, City Clerk



Councillor Hayne, Chairperson