

MINUTES

of the

Emergency Services Committee

Of Council

Held February 20, 2008 City Council Chambers 8:30 a.m.

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PRESENT: Mayor Compton

Councillor W. Cuthbert Councillor C. Drinkwalter Councillor D. McCann B. Preisentanz, CAO

Warren F. Brinkman, Emergency Service

Manager

REGRETS: Councillor R. McMillan

Councillor A. Poirier

Councillor C. Van Walleghem

A. PUBLIC INFORMATION NOTICES AS PER BY-LAW NUMBER 144-2007 N/A

B. <u>DECLARATION OF PECUNIARY INTEREST</u>

There were none declared.

C. CONFIRMATION OF MINUTES

Moved by , Seconded by , and Carried:-

THAT the Minutes of the last regular meeting held January 9, 2008 be confirmed as written and filed.

D. STANDING COMMITTEE DEPUTATIONS:-

There were no deputations

E. REPORTS:-

1. Fire Dispatch

Discussion:

Council reviewed and discussed the report on Fire Dispatch as prepared by Emergency Service Manager Warren F. Brinkman and directed the author of this report to strike a stakeholders committee with a view to developing a Communication provider's Request for Proposal. (please see attached report)

RECOMMENDATION:

THAT Council authorize the Emergency Service Manager for the City of Kenora Fire and Emergency Services to investigate all Fire Dispatch options; and further

THAT this investigation include a financial analysis of each option.

Recommendation approved.

ITEMS ON HOLD:

OTHER BUSINESS

N/A

NEXT MEETING

Wednesday, 12 March 2008.