



The Corporation of the Township of Seguin
Recreation and Culture Committee

Draft Minutes of Wednesday, September 16th, 2026

A meeting of the Township of Seguin Recreation and Culture Committee was held September 16th, 2025 at the Township of Seguin Council Chambers and by Electronic Participation.

The following Members were present:

- Janet Borneman, Chair (Council Chambers)
- Melissa Belanger (Council Chambers)
- Samantha Fraser (Council Chambers)
- Cathy Lucas (Council Chambers)
- Laurie McDonald (Council Chambers)
- Terri Retzler (Council Chambers)
- Donald Sanderson (videoconference)
- Councillor Gail Finnson (videoconference)
- Councillor Terry Fellner (Council Chambers)
- Councillor Greg Getty (Council Chambers)

Guest Members:

- Councillor Greg Getty (Council Chambers)

Staff Present:

- Valerie Iancovich (videoconference)
- Donna McLeod (Council Chambers)
- Dominique O'Brien (videoconference)

Absent Members:

- Sue Coxhead
- Councillor Ken Adams

Resolution No. 2026-046

Moved by: Laurie McDonald

Seconded by: Terry Fellner

“THAT we do now convene this Regular Meeting of the Township of Seguin Recreation and Culture Committee at 6:32 pm and approve the Agenda as circulated.”.

CARRIED

Approval of Agenda.

After the meeting was called to order , the Chair requested approval of the Agenda. The Agenda was approved as circulated.

Disclosure of Pecuniary Interest.

The Chair requested the disclosure of any possible pecuniary interests. None were declared.

Adoption of Minutes of the Regular Meeting held July 15th, 2026.

It was discussed to amend the Minutes to read the Christmas Craft Market will be held in Orrville.

Resolution No. 2026-047

Moved by: Terry Fellner

Seconded by: Cathy Lucas

“THAT the Township of Seguin Recreation and Culture Committee does hereby approve the Minutes of the Committee Meeting of September 16th, 2026 as amended.”.

CARRIED

Classic Cruise – Recap.

Councillor Greg Getty attended the meeting to give an update. Councillor Greg Getty gave a list of donations to be made to various organizations.

Resolution No. 2026-048

Moved by: Terri Retzler

Seconded by: Terry Fellner

“THAT the Township of Seguin Recreation and Culture Committee does hereby approve the following 2026 Donations from Rosseau Classic Cruise:

Organization	Amount
West Parry Sound Health Centre Foundation – Surgical Suite	\$2,000.00

Huntsville Hospital Foundation – Chemotherapy Department	\$1,000.00
Harvest Share Foodbank – Parry Sound	\$1,000.00
Hospice West Parry Sound	\$1,000.00
Humphrey Public School – Music and Arts Program	\$1,000.00
Parry Sound High School – Automotive Shop Program	\$1,000.00
Total Donations	\$7,000.00

CARRIED

Youth Dance – Update.

Terri Retzler gave an update on this event. This event will be held Saturday, October 17th, 2026 in Orrville.

Resolution No. 2026-049

Moved by: Sam Fraser

Seconded by: Terry Fellner

“THAT the Township of Seguin Recreation and Culture Committee does hereby approve the Youth Dance working group of Lindsay, Terri R., Melissa and approve a budget of \$700.”.

CARRIED

Walk on the Rose Point Trail – Update.

This event has been rescheduled to Saturday, October 17th, 2026. The walk will be from 11 am to 1:30 pm.

Action Items:

- Donald Sanderson will reach out to Ken Adams and Gail Finnson.
- Donald Sanderson will reach out to Valerie Iancovich regarding promoting.

Movie Night – Update.

This item has been deferred to the next meeting.

Community Yard Sale – Update.

Sam Fraser gave the SRCC an update. Everything is coming along. This event will be held September 19th, 2026.

Puzzle Night – Discussion.

Sam Fraser would like to see a Puzzle Night. This event is in the beginning stages.

Action Item:

- Sam Fraser will meet with Melissa Belanger from the Library where there are puzzles to borrow.

Resolution No. 2026-050

Moved by: Terri Retzler

Seconded by: Laurie McDonald

“THAT the Township of Seguin Recreation and Culture Committee does hereby approve the Puzzle Night working group of Sam, Terri R., Melissa and approve a budget of \$500.”.

CARRIED

Halloween Howl – Discussion.

Terri Retzler informed the SRCC this event is underway. This event will be held in Humphrey on Saturday, October 31st, 2026 from 5 pm to 7 pm.

Resolution No. 051

Moved by: Sam Fraser

Seconded by: Melissa Belanger

“THAT the Township of Seguin Recreation and Culture Committee does hereby approve the Halloween Howl working group of Terri R., Melisaa, Sam and approve a budget of \$1,000.”.

CARRIED

Tree Lighting – Discussion.

The SRCC discussed having a tree lighting in Humphrey with carolers. Terry Fellner has a connection on getting a large tree donated.

Action Items:

- Terri Retzler will reach out to Dominique O'Brien and Valerie Iancovich.
- Terri Retzler will reach out to the Mennonites regarding caroling.
- Janet Borneman has a couple of contacts she will pass onto Terri Retzler.

Resolution No. 2026-052

Moved by: Sam Fraser

Seconded by: Cathy Lucas

“THAT the Township of Seguin Recreation and Culture Committee does hereby approve the Tree Lighting working group of Terri R., Terry F., Gail and approve a budget of \$500.”.

CARRIED

Turkey Dinner – Discussion.

Terry Fellner informed the SRCC that the dinner will be held Saturday, December 5th, 2026 in Orrville. This event is in the preliminary stages.

Resolution No. 2026-053

Moved by: Terri Retzler

Seconded by: Sam Fraser

“THAT the Township of Seguin Recreation and Culture Committee does hereby approve the Turkey Dinner working group of Terry F., Janet, Cathy, Gail, Ken and approve a budget of \$4,000.”.

CARRIED

New Year’s Eve Celebration – Discussion.

This event is in the preliminary stages.

Resolution No. 2026-054

Moved by: Sam Fraser

Seconded by: Cathy Lucas

“THAT the Township of Seguin Recreation and Culture Committee does hereby approve the New Year’s Eve Celebration working group of Jane, Cathy, Terry F., Sam and approve a budget of \$1,500.”.

CARRIED

Draft Parks, Recreation and Culture Master Plan – Ideas

Some Committee members have given ideas of what they would like to see.

Action Items:

- Dominique O’Brian will make a list of projects and email Donna McLeod.
- Donna McLeod will share with SRCC members.

Resolution No. 2026-055

Moved by: Sam Fraser

Seconded by: Laurie McDonald

“THAT the Township of Seguin Recreation and Culture Committee does hereby adjourn at 7:55 pm to meet again on October 21st, 2026 at 6:30 pm or at the call of the Chair.”.

CARRIED

*Janet Borneman,
Chair*

*Donna McLeod,
Clerk's Department*