



CLIMATE PROTECTION WORKING GROUP AGENDA

Tuesday, December 10, 2024 – 2:00 p.m.
Smiths Falls Council Chambers – 77 Beckwith Street North

- 1. CALL TO ORDER & LAND ACKNOWLEDGMENT**
- 2. APPROVAL OF AGENDA**
- 3. ADOPTION OF MINUTES**
 - i) Climate Protection Working Group Meeting –November 12, 2024
- 4. DISCLOSURE OF MONETARY INTEREST**
- 5. PRIORITY ISSUES**
 - i) Climate Lens Priority Framework
- 6. PROJECT UPDATES**
 - i) Biochar Initiative (N. Morris)
- 7. ROUNDTABLE**
 - i) Climate Change Workshop (Rural Ontario Institute) (J. Desormeaux)
- 8. NEXT MEETING**
 - i) Tuesday, January 14, 2024, at 2:00 p.m.
- 9. ADJOURNMENT**

The Smiths Falls Climate Protection Working Group is committed to: leading the Town and Community to take positive and nimble actions for long-lasting impacts; minimizing the harmful impacts of climate change at a local level; fostering the reduction of greenhouse gas emissions; implementing methods to sequester carbon, including but not limited to enhancing our tree canopy; and, building generational resilience to adapt to a changing climate especially for the most vulnerable members of the community. The Working Group stands as a catalyst for system change and recognizes that even the smallest impacts contribute to community-wide benefits.”