Ganaraska Forest Management Plan 2016

FOREST PATROLLERS MEETING

Date: Tuesday, November 8th, 2016 Time: 6:00 – 8:30 p.m. – **Meeting Begins at 6:00 pm**

Location: Ganaraska Forest Centre - 10585 Cold Springs Camp Rd, Port Hope, ON

AGENDA

Meeting Purpose:

- 1. To provide an overview of the work currently underway at Ganaraska Region Conservation Authority to update the Ganaraska Forest Management Plan;
- 2. To provide an opportunity for Forest Patrollers to offer input on a proposed FMP Table of Contents, Vision Statement and Guiding Principles for the updated Forest Management Plan;
- 3. To collectively discuss the inclusion of strategies and protocols to address identified issues pertaining to a multiple use forest;
- 4. To identify additional opportunities for Forest Patroller engagement; and
- **5.** To discuss next steps.

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5:45 Coffee & Tea			
6:00	Official Welcome & Introductory Remarks	Linda Laliberte, CAO/Secretary Treasurer	
6:05	Meeting Purpose and Participant Introductions	Karen Wianecki, Facilitator	
6:10	Context SettingForest Management Plan UpdateEngaging Others	Fraser Smith, Forester Amy Griffiths, Marketing and Communications Officer	
6:30	Forest Patrollers – Open Mic - General Questions - Comments & Concerns	All in Attendance	
7:00	Focused Dialogue Key Questions: What does multiple use mean to you and what should it look like on the ground? What changes if any are needed to • The Trail System & Trail Standards • Trail Design, Maintenance & Restoration • Trail Use	Karen Wianecki & Attendees	
	Can conflicts between uses and users be better		

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	addressed how? What suggestions do you have for FMP implementation, administration and governance? What are your thoughts pertaining to a Vision for the Ganaraska Forest & Guiding Principles Are there other issues that the FMP should address?	
8:25	Recap, Review & Next Steps Staying Engaged	Karen Wianecki
8:30	Meeting ConcludesSafe Journey Home	Linda Laliberte