Reeves Report

For Council Meeting April 12, 2013

March 19, 2013

I attended the Renfrew County and District Health Unit meeting. I was once again re-elected to the position of Vice Chair and Dr Michael Corriveau, Medical Officer of Health, announced his retirement effective December 31, 2013.

March 26, 2013

I attended the Family Health Team Meeting. We reviewed the minutes of the previous meeting. Please note that these are not included as it was decided that the minutes are for the Committee members only and in the past these minutes were distributed in the public which lead to negotiation problems with potential doctor recruitment, therefore, Committee has decided that any announcements to the public will be through the hospital.

The Committee reviewed a Primary Care Quality Improvement Template on 3 Quality dimensions (Access, Integrated, and Patient Centered) to view the Aim, Measure and Change.

Operations we discussed Staffing, Patient Volume and Access, and the Family Health Team has still openings for new patients.

Governance we again reviewed the Terms of Reference which will come back to next meeting.

The Integrated Community Services Council was also discussed. This is a new group of different service providers that meet to discuss what services they provide and look where there overlap and attempt to determine better ways to deliver that service.

Next meeting June 10, 2013

Later that evening I attended, along with Councilors Gibson and Grills and the Clerk, the Joint Council meeting held in the Council Chambers in the Town of Deep River. Councils watched a presentation from Gary Sims, President and CEO and were provided an update of the Deep River and District Hospital Board.

We heard of Council updates from the Mayors Rabishaw of Laurentian Hills, Myself, Mayor Gibson of Rapides des Joachims and Mayor Thompson of Deep River.

I then gave a brief description of the Head Clara and Maria Bag Tag program and there was discussion amongst the group, reference challenges, potential options, benefits and hurdles. Laurentian Hills and Deep River will be looking at a similar program in the future.

Other business I questioned about the Auto Ex Committee- action Michelle to follow up, the other question I had was for an update on Recreation Fees – further discussions before decision.

Next meeting June 26, 2013, Point Alexander rather than Stonecliffe due to potential interference from building renovations.

March 27, 2013

I attended County Council – minutes have been forwarded.

April 9, 2013

Met with Sgt. Graves and Inspector Smith to review and discuss Terms of Reference, Agenda, committee structure, provision of stats, etc. for the CPAC committee. I have volunteered to assist with the creation of these documents.

April 10, 2013

Health Committee Meeting at Renfrew County building Pembroke

April 11, 2013

Social Services Committee Meeting at Renfrew County building Pembroke

UPCOMING

April 17th- Special Meeting of Health Committee – Accreditation Survey at Miramichi Lodge

April 23rd – Meeting with the Governor General David Johnston and Mrs Sharon Johnston in recognition of "National Volunteer Week" . The Governor General is to deliver his message on Volunteerism in Canada. Then, I will attend a special meeting of County Council.

April 24th County Council