

Happy Ground Hog Day to all Howson Dam Supporters

This is an update from last night's North Huron Council meeting (Feb 1)

There was some discussion this time - 3 Councillors actually spoke about the situation rather than the CAO doing all the talking.

One Councillor suggested we should do some fundraising and another suggested we should all get together and share information. There was some talk about a Municipal Class Environmental Assessment and some council members showed a bit of interest in that approach. One Councillor said the dam and pond are not critical parts of the Municipal infrastructure and do not require any attention.

However, in the end, the CAO's report was adopted, so we are not a Committee of Council.

We did have a chance to ask a few questions and make a few statements at the end of the open portion of the meeting but didn't get any really straight answers to our questions of when will council be making a decision and will they be submitting the Dam and Pond project for infrastructure funding. CAO did promise to keep us informed about any deliberations.

You can watch the Council video at: <https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=KlwXMJX2e4U>

CAO report starts at 24:43 and Howson Dam questions start at 1:46:26

We are going to take a step back for a few weeks and see what Council does, if anything, and will keep you posted.

Please email if you have any comments, questions or suggestions at howsondamrepair@gmail.com

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Best Regards

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