

**TOWNSHIP OF WHITEWATER REGION**  
**Committee Meeting**

Meeting Title: **Protection & Property**      Date: **Wednesday December 7, 2005**

Place: **Municipal Council Chambers**      Start Time: **11:30 a.m.**

**PROTECTION AND PROPERTY COMMITTEE MEETING**  
**AGENDA**

1.      **Call to Order**
  2.      **Building Permit Review Bill 124 - Joanne Haley - Trow Associates**
  3.      **Adjournment**
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Present: Reeve Donald Rathwell, Deputy Reeve Ron Lowe    Councillors: Jack Ferguson, Daryl McLaughlin, Jacob Rook and Joe Trimm

Staff Present: Dean Sauriol, Jacques Benoit

**Building Permit Review Bill 124**

Joanne Haley of Trow Associates was present to present her report. Report was mandated by Bill 124.

Report covered issues such as direct and indirect costs also issues such as Time Allocation of Permits, and Permit Activity.

Report suggested that we have two choices:

1.      Raising fees to cover some or all costs
2.      Remaining with Status Quo

A chart was presented identifying costs for permits within the County of Renfrew.

Some discussion on possible rate increase.

Some other discussion was brought forward regarding time lines.

**Building Permit Fees**

Moved by Jack Ferguson, Seconded by Joey Trimm

**“Be it Resolved the Protection and Property Committee recommend to the Finance and Administration Committee that the Building permit fees be increased by 10% across the board.”**

Carried  
Ron Lowe  
Chairman

**Adjournment**

Moved by Donald Rathwell, Seconded by Joey Trimm

**“Be it Resolved that the Township of Whitewater Region Protection and Property Committee Meeting dated December 7<sup>th</sup>, 2005 be adjourned at 12:30 p.m.”**

Carried  
Ron Lowe  
Chairman