

Corporation of the Municipality of Temagami

Memo No. 2024-M-139

Memorandum to Council

Subject:	Temagami Forest Management Corporation Vacant Seat
Agenda Date:	September 12, 2024
Attachments:	Cathy Dwyer new nomination, secondary advertisement

RECOMMENDATION

BE IT RESOLVED THAT Council authorize the Mayor to send a letter to the Temagami Forest Management Corporation nominating Cathy Dwyer for the vacant Board position;

INFORMATION

The Temagami Forest Management Corporation (TFMC) Board of Directors has a vacant seat designated for a representative from the Municipality of Temagami. This position is crucial for ensuring Temagami's interests and voice are represented in the sustainable management of our local forests.

The TFMC is a provincial Crown agency responsible for holding the Sustainable Forest Licence for the Temagami Forest. Its broader mandate includes promoting the long-term sustainability of Crown forests, providing economic development opportunities for Indigenous peoples, managing its affairs to become a self-sustaining business entity, and ensuring local economic development.

An advertisement seeking a qualified individual for nomination to the TFMC Board was placed on the municipal website and Facebook page on June 20, 2024. The advertisement outlined the qualifications and responsibilities for the position, encouraging passionate and qualified individuals to apply.

A secondary advertisement, as directed by Council, was put out on August 14, 2024 with a submission deadline of September 3, 2024. This was again posted on the Municipal Website and Facebook page. It was also posted in the August 21, 2024 Temiskaming Speaker at a cost of \$345.98 and sent out to the communicate@temagami.ca email list.

Cathy Dwyer has resubmitted her name for the vacant seat. To date, no further applications or nominations have been submitted. Cathy Dwyer has extensive experience and skills that would make her a highly qualified candidate to endorse for this seat.

Respectfully Submitted Sabrina Pandolfo