EORN Cell Gap Project Monthly Update June 2026

Regional view

	Planned	Completed	New this month
Upgrades to existing towers	311	311	n/a
New towers in service	257	219	15
New co-locations	89	81	3
Land use authority	257	257	n/a
Please note that this information is collected monthly and is subject to change as the project moves forward.			

Renfrew County

	Planned	Completed	New this month
Upgrades to existing towers	25	25	n/a
New towers in service	47	45	1
New co-locations	11	10	0
Land use authority	47	47	n/a
Please note that this information is collected monthly and is subject to change as the project moves forward.			

Note: data is updated by Rogers on the 15th of each month. Data provided for this update was received on June 15, 2026.

Renfrew County Uplifts Build Schedule

Tower identifier	Site name	Municipality	In-service plan
C0367	Chalk River	Town of Laurentian Hills	In-service
C1911	Deep River	Town of Laurentian Hills	In-service
C1948	Petawawa	Town of Petawawa	In-service
C4723	Petawawa Blvd. and Festubert Blvd.	Town of Petawawa	In-service
C4724	Petawawa Blvd and Sharon St.	Town of Petawawa	In-service
C4820	Petawawa and Civic Centre	Town of Petawawa	In-service
C3434	Douglas	Township of Adamston-Bromley	In-service
C3425	Eganville	Township of Bonnechere Valley	In-service
C3439	Constant Lake	Township of Bonnechere Valley	In-service
C3049	Calabogie	Township of Greater Madawaska	In-service
C1910	Mackey	Township of Head, Clara and Maria	In-service
C1912	Bisset Creek	Township of Head, Clara and Maria	In-service
C2382	Renfrew Town	Township of Horton	In-service
C3437	Killaloe	Township of Killaloe, Hagarty and Richards	In-service

Renfrew County Uplifts Build Schedule

Tower identifier	Site name	Municipality	In-service plan
C0377	Cobden	Township of Laurentian Valley	In-service
C0414	Pembroke	Township of Laurentian Valley	In-service
C2706	Barry's Bay	Township of Madawaska Valley	In-service
C2914	Combermere	Township of Madawaska Valley	In-service
C3438	Wilno	Township of Madawaska Valley	In-service
C4077	Barry's Bay Town	Township of Madawaska Valley	In-service
C0410	Renfrew	Township of McNab-Braeside	In-service
C7844	Braeside	Township of McNab-Braeside	In-service
C3436	Golden Lake	Township of North Algona Wilberforce	In-service
C2569	Highway 17 and Haley Station	Township of Whitewater Region	In-service
C4088	Highway 17 and Cobden	Township of Whitewater Region	In-service

Renfrew County Co-location Build Schedule

Tower identifier	Site name	Municipality	In-service plan
C4084	Chalk River at Ottawa River	Town of Deep River	2026
C4087	Deep River Town	Town of Laurentian Hills	In-service
C6629	Meilleurs Bay	Town of Laurentian Hills	In-service
C8544	Janet Road at Granzies Lake	Township of Bonnechere Valley	In-service
C6623	Black Donald Lake	Township of Greater Madawaska	In-service
C8470	Highway 41 and Highway 71	Township of Greater Madawaska	In-service
C8478	Trans Canada Highway and Brent Road	Township of Head, Clara and Maria	In-service
C8487	ON-60 and Cardinal Road	Township of Killaloe, Hagarty and Richards	In-service
C6619	Halfway Lake	Township of Madawaska Valley	In-service
C8265	Highway 41 and Greenlake Road	Township of North Algona Wilberforce	In-service
C6754	RioCan Renfrew Centre	Town of Renfrew	In-service

Renfrew County New Tower Build Schedule

Tower identifier	Site name	Municipality	In-service plan
C8474	Trans Canada Highway at Orange Road	Town of Petawawa	2026
C8265	Colton Road and Quilty Road	Township of Adamston-Bromely	In-service
C8465	ON-60 and Haley Road	Township of Admaston-Bromley	In-service
C8625	Dunmore Road and Barr Line	Township of Admaston-Bromley	In-service
C8623	Opeongo Road West and Klondike Road	Township of Bonnechere Valley	In-service
C8704	O'Connor Road and Wolfe Road	Township of Bonnechere Valley	In-service
C8705	Boldt Road and Donegal Road	Township of Bonnechere Valley	In-service
C8511	Perrault	Township of Bonnechere Valley	In-service
C8622	Corrigan Road and Silver Lake	Township of Bonnechere Valley	In-service
C8497	Hardwood Lake	Township of Brudenell, Lyndoch and Raglan	In-service

Renfrew County New Tower Build Schedule

Tower identifier	Site name	Municipality	In-service plan
C8533	Highway 28 and Little Ireland Road	Township of Brudenell, Lyndoch and Raglan	In-service
C8620	Letterkenny Road and Lost Nation Road	Township of Brudenell, Lyndoch and Raglan	In-service
C8621	Heins Road and Quadeville Road	Township of Brudenell, Lyndoch and Raglan	In-service
C8702	Schutt Road and Wingle	Township of Brudenell, Lyndoch and Raglan	In-service
C8706	Quadeville Road and Murk Lake	Township of Brudenell, Lyndoch and Raglan	In-service
C8618	Oscar Boehme Road and River Bend Drive	Township of Brudenell, Lyndoch and Raglan	In-service
C8619	Rochefort	Township of Brudenell, Lyndoch and Ragland	In-service
C8703	Gorman Lake	Township of Brudenell, Lyndoch and Ragland	In-service
C8713	Long Point Way and Inglis Road	Township of Greater Madawaska	In-service
C8498	Highway 41 and Doorley Creek Road	Township of Greater Madawaska	In-service

Renfrew County New Tower Build Schedule

Tower identifier	Site name	Municipality	In-service plan
C8668	Denzil Lane and Upper Spruce Hedge Road	Township of Greater Madawaska	In-service
C8532	ON-41 and Dunagans Road	Township of Greater Madawaska	In-service
C8711	Glenfield Road and Matawatchan Road	Township of Greater Madawaska	In-service
C8712	Holywell Road and Mt. St. Patrick Road	Township of Grater Madawaska	In-service
C8501	Trans Canada Highway and Bissett Creek Road	Township of Head, Clara, Maria	In-service
C8531	Trans Canada Highway 17 at Stonecliffe	Township of Head, Clara Maria	In-service
C8637	Jim Barr Road and Mullins Road	Township of Horton	In-service
C8627	Gunns Road and Round Lake Road	Township of Killaloe, Hagarty and Richards	In-service
C8696	Simpson Pit Road and Round Lake Road	Township ofKillaloe, Hagarty and Richards	In-service
C6620	Doran and Round Lake Road	Township of Laurentian Valley	In-service
C8473	Forest Lea Road at Pembroke	Township of Laurentian Valley	In-service
C8628	Doran Road and Witt Road	Township of Laurentian Valley	In-service
C8616	Dafoe Road and Micks Road	Township of Madawaska Valley	2026

Renfrew County New Tower Build Schedule

Tower identifier	Site name	Municipality	In-service plan
C8626	Etmanski Road and Paugh Lake Road	Township of Madawaska Valley	In-service
C8707	Stanley Olsheski Road and Hasanville Lane	Township of Madawaska Valley	In-service
C8615	Kubesheski Road and Siberia Road	Township of Madawaska Valley	In-service
C4086	Highway 17 and Glasgow Station	Township of McNab-Braeside	In-service
C8515	White Lake Road and Mountain View Road	Township of McNab-Braeside	In-service
C8636	River Road and Lochwinnoch Road	Township of McNab-Braeside	In-service
C8512	Deacon	Township of North Algona Wilberforce	In-service
C8624	Connaught Road and Bulger Road	Township of North Algona Wilberforce	In-service
C8635	Kerr Line and Magnesium Road	Township of Whitewater Region	In-service
C8630	Branch Trail and Nangor Trail	Township of Whitewater Region	In-service
C8631	Westmeath Road at Westmeath Provincial Park	Township of Whitewater Region	In-service
C8632	La Passe Road and Hawthorne Road	Township of Whitewater Region	In-service
C8633	Zion Line and Pappin Road	Township of Whitewater Region	In-service
C8634	Grants Settlement Road at Grants Settlement	Township of Whitewater Region	In-service

Renfrew County and District Health Unit

"Optimal Health for All in Renfrew County and District"

Memorandum

Date: July 2, 2026

To: Municipal Building Officials, Hospitals, Long-Term Care Homes, and Retirement Homes

From: Renfrew County and District Health Unit (RCDHU)

Subject: Reducing Legionella Risk in Building Water Systems

Dear Colleagues,

The intent of this memo is to provide you with information on Legionella bacteria in water systems and recommendations to control the growth and spread of these potentially harmful bacteria. If appropriate, please share with your business community and partners who may be operating cooling towers.

Legionnaires' disease is a severe form of pneumonia caused by the inhalation of aerosolized water containing Legionella bacteria. Legionella bacteria are found naturally in fresh water. They colonize biofilms in water systems such as showerheads, cooling towers, hot tubs, fountains, hot water tanks and plumbing systems and grow well in warm water (25-45 degrees Celsius).

There has been an earlier-than-expected increase in Legionella activity in Ontario this year, with two clusters identified in Hamilton and Toronto. RCDHU is recommending that managers and building owners be diligent in prevention and control of these bacteria within your water systems operations.

Mitigating Risk

Factors influencing the growth of Legionella in water systems include

- inadequate level of disinfectant
- presence of sediment, scale, or biofilm
- slowly moving or stagnant water
- warm water temperatures

The primary route of exposure is inhalation of aerosolized bacteria, and infections have been associated with sources from distances over 3 km. RCDHU asks that you proactively manage building water systems by implementing specific control standards, such as:

- Guidance for water system risk management (ASHRAE, 2021 and 2023)

ASHRAE Standard 188-2018 (Risk Management for Building Water Systems)
ASHRAE Guideline 12-2023 (Managing the Risk of Legionellosis Associated with Building Water Systems)

- Toolkit: Controlling Legionella in Common Sources of Exposure
- Training: Managing Legionella Risk in Building through Water Safety Management Planning (Walkerton Clean Water Centre)
- PHO Questions & Answers

Thank you for your continued support and collaboration. For any further questions, please email environmentalhealth@rcdhu.com or call 613-732-3629.

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Construction Update – July 2, 2026

The Department of Public Works and Engineering provides monthly updates on construction projects within the County of Renfrew. Please share this notice to keep everyone informed of upcoming construction projects. Contact our office should you have any questions or concerns about County construction or general operations.

To review details and maps of all of the County's 2026 construction plans, please visit the 2026 Construction Story Map at https://arcg.is/1K5Hnu1.

For up-to-date information on active projects and their traffic impacts, please visit Municipal511 at https://www.municipal511.ca/.

Upcoming Projects

County Road 26 (Doran Road) – Township of Laurentian Valley
Construction on Doran Road, from Forest Lea Road to Highway 17, is expected to start July 6, 2026, and be completed late-August. During construction, parts of Doran Road will be limited to a single lane, with lights or workers directing traffic.

County Road 653 (Chenaux Road) – Township of Whitewater Region
Construction on Chenaux Road, from Highway 17 to Camp Galilee Lane, is expected to start July 3, 2026, and be completed late-August. To facilitate the replacement of a culvert, Chenaux Road will be closed between Highway 17 and Magnesium Road for approximately 2 weeks with a signed detour in place. During the remainder of the construction project, parts of Chenaux Road will be limited to a single lane, with lights or workers directing traffic.

County Structure B091 (Danny Constant Bridge) – Township of Bonnechere Valley
Construction on Danny Constant Bridge, on Constant Lake Road, about 1.8 kilometres west of Highway 41, is expected to start August 1, 2026, and be completed late-September. During construction, the road at this location will remain closed to all traffic, with a signed detour in place. There will be no pedestrian access during the project.

County Structure B103 (O'Grady Bridge) – Township of Killaloe, Hagarty and Richards
Construction on O'Grady Bridge, on O'Grady Settlement Road, about 5 kilometres west of Brudenell Road, is expected to start September 1, 2026, and be completed late-October. During construction, the road at this location will remain closed to all traffic, with a signed detour in place. There will be no pedestrian access during the project.

Ongoing Projects

County Roads 1 (River Road) and 20 (Castleford Road) – Township of Horton
Construction on River Road, from Castleford Road to Grantham Road, and Castleford Road, from River Road to Humphries Road, started June 15, 2026, and is expected to be completed early-August. During construction, parts of River Road and Castleford Road will be limited to a single lane, with lights or workers directing traffic.

County Road 14 (Witt Road) – Township of Laurentian Valley
Construction on Witt Road, from County Road 56 (Woito Station Road) to County Road 26 (Doran Road), started June 29, 2026, and is expected to be completed early-September. During construction, parts of Witt Road will be limited to a single lane, with lights or workers directing traffic. Some multi-day road closures will be needed during the project; detours will be signed during these closures.

County Road 68 (Rockingham Road) – Township of Brudenell, Lyndoch and Raglan

Construction on Rockingham Road, from Guiney Road to Letterkenny Road, started May 19, 2026, and is expected to finish late-July. During construction, parts of Rockingham Road will be limited to a single lane, with lights or workers directing traffic.

County Road 508 (Calabogie Road) – Townships of Greater Madawaska and McNab/Braeside
Brushing and culvert replacements have been completed with asphalt patching to occur during July. The remainder of construction on Calabogie Road, from Fleming Road to County Road 52 (Burnstown Road), is expected to start mid-August and be completed late-October. During construction, parts of Calabogie Road will be limited to a single lane, with lights or workers directing traffic.

County Structure B121 (Waba Creek Bridge) – Township of McNab/Braeside
Construction on Waba Creek Bridge, on White Lake Road, about 0.8 kilometres west of Highland Road, is expected to start July 2, 2026, and be completed early-September. During construction, the road at this location will be limited to a single lane of traffic during the day with workers directing traffic. For a period of six weeks between June 29th and August 28th, the road at this location will be closed to all traffic, with a signed detour in place. There will be no pedestrian access during the closure.

County Structure C201 (Broomes Creek Culvert & Dam) – Township of Whitewater Region
Construction on Broomes Creek Culvert and Dam, located on County Road 7 (Foresters Falls Road), about 0.1 kilometres east of Foresters Falls, resumed May 4, 2026, and is expected to be completed in late-July. During construction, the road at this location will remain closed to all traffic, with a signed detour in place. There will be no pedestrian access during the closure.

Completed Projects

County Road 4 (Storyland Road) – Township of Horton
Construction on Storyland Road, from Eady Road to Alex Lane is carry-over work from last year. Construction was completed on July 2, 2026.

County Road 66 (Wilno South Road) – Townships of Killaloe, Hagarty and Richards and Madawaska Valley
Construction on Wilno South Road, from Highway 60 to Inukshuk Road, was completed on June 26, 2026, with only minor works and line painting remaining to be completed.

County Road 69 (Siberia Road) – Township of Madawaska Valley
Construction on Siberia Road, from Sunny Hill Road to Pipedream Lane, was completed on June 25, 2026, with only line painting remaining to be completed.

County Road 512 (Foymount Road) – Township of Bonnechere Valley
Construction on Foymount Road, from Silver Lake Road to Highway 41, was completed on June 26, 2026, with only minor works and line painting remaining to be completed.

FOR THE SAFETY OF ALL, PLEASE USE EXTRA CAUTION WHEN TRAVELLING THROUGH CONSTRUCTION ZONES

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Council and Committee Monthly Summary

June 2026

Below you will find highlights of the County of Renfrew County Council and Committee meetings held June 10 and June 24, 2026.

Please note that this summary does not constitute the official record of the meetings and approved minutes should be consulted for that purpose.

The full Council and Committee packages can be found online.

The June 10, 2026 and June 24, 2026 meetings are on YouTube.

Warden's Address

Key highlights

At the June 10 meeting Warden Jennifer Murphy shared the following information:

- The County celebrated World Trails Day and the milestone of the Trans Canada Trail reaching 30,000 km, highlighting the Ottawa Valley Recreation Trail/Algonquin Trail's growing role within the national trail network.
- Warden Murphy highlighted recent attendance at the Garrison Petawawa Business Lunch, the Association of Ontario Road Supervisors (AORS) conference in Petawawa, and the Ontario East Economic Development Commission quarterly meeting in Pembroke, emphasizing the value of regional collaboration, economic development, and infrastructure partnerships.
- Council recognized Seniors Month, National Indigenous History Month, and Pride Month, acknowledging the importance of inclusion, reconciliation, diversity and community engagement.
- Congratulations were extended to Mayor Lori Hoddinott on receiving the AMCTO Diploma in Municipal Administration Award.
- The Warden also celebrated the premiere of the TV series "Every Year After," based on the work of Barry's Bay author Carley Fortune, noting the opportunity to showcase stories and communities from the Madawaska and Ottawa Valleys on a larger stage.

At the June 24 meeting:

- Warden Murphy thanked sponsors, volunteers, participants for supporting the 2026 Warden's Golf Tournament, held at Whitetail Golf Club, which raised more than $17,000 for local food banks across Renfrew County.
- Recognition was given to County Community Services staff who participated in National Indigenous Peoples Day events, reflecting the County's ongoing commitment to learning, relationship-building and reconciliation.

- Warden Murphy recognized Lee Perkins, Director of Public Works and Engineering, at his final Council meeting prior to retirement, thanking him for his years of dedicated service and contributions to County infrastructure and operations.

Delegations

- At the June 10 session of County Council, Lori Huber, CPA, CA, Partner, KPMG LLP presented the 2025 Audited Financial Statements for the County of Renfrew for the year ended December 31, 2025.
- At the June 10 meeting of the Renfrew County Housing Corporation (RCHC) Board, Jennifer Dombroskie, Manager of Community Housing and Kevin Raddatz, Manager of Real Estate, provided overviews of the RCHC from the perspectives of Community Services and the Real Estate Division following the completion of the 2025 RCHC Annual report.
- At the June 10 Corporate Services Committee meeting, Chris Ryn, Associate Director of Information Technology, made a presentation about the Responsible AI Use Framework which he is proposing the Corporation adopt.
- At the June 24 session of County Council, the following delegations were received:
    - Dr. Richard Johnson, Clinical Lead for the Ottawa Valley Ontario Health Team (OVOHT), provided Council with an update on efforts to improve access to primary care across the Ottawa Valley. The OVOHT's vision is to connect every resident to high-quality, team-based primary care, with a goal of attaching all residents to primary care by 2029. The OVOHT successfully met its provincial target of reaching everyone who was on the January 1, 2025, Health Care Connect waitlist by June 20, 2026, achieving the milestone 10 days ahead of schedule.
    - The Renfrew County Agricultural Economic Development Committee (RCAED) provided Council with an overview of the local agriculture sector, highlighting its significant economic contribution and importance to rural communities. The committee's role is to provide guidance on agricultural issues and support initiatives that strengthen agricultural business and economic development across the County. The presentation emphasized the importance of stakeholder engagement and highlighted opportunities for future growth, including agritourism, value-added agriculture, innovation, skilled labour development, diversified on-farm uses, green energy initiatives and stronger long-term coordination within the sector. The committee noted agriculture's continued role in supporting food security, economic resilience and community vitality across Renfrew County.
    - Renfrew-Nipissing-Pembroke MPP Billy Denault provided Council with an update on provincial initiatives and investments supporting Renfrew County. Highlights included progress on the Highway 17 expansion project between Arnprior and Bruce Street, more than $38.6 million in Housing-Enabling Water Systems Fund investments for five local municipalities, and over $1 million in primary care funding to help connect residents with family physicians through the Algonquins of Pikwakanagan. He also noted the Province's approval of a new French Catholic high school in Arnprior supported by a $13.6 million investment. MPP Denault highlighted ongoing provincial support for local priorities, including the MESA HART Hub, RCVTAC, and efforts related to the Timminco mine lands. He reported that since his election in February 2025, the riding has received more than $150 million in provincial funding and investments.

Operations Committee

Presented by: Glenn Doncaster, Chair

- Council deferred the County Road 58 (Round Lake Road) rehabilitation project until full reconstruction can be undertaken. Staff will complete interim safety improvements, including asphalt padding and guiderail repairs/replacements, and will review the Asset Management Plan to identify alternative surface-sealer projects for the 2026 Capital Program and report options back to Council.
- County Council recommended that the posted speed limits on County Road 26 (Doran Road), between Highway 17 and Murphy Road in the Town of Petawawa, remain unchanged. The current posted speed limit of Doran Road is as follows: Highway 17 to Black Bay Road – 80km/hr, Black Bay Road to Murphy Road – 60km/hr and Murphy Road to Petawawa Boulevard – 50km/hr. As a part of this review, County staff conducted updated traffic counts south of Black Bay Road and south of Cardinal Crescent.
- County Council adopted a by-law to approve the extension of a contract for the supply and delivery of diesel fuel, gasoline, heating oil, and above ground storage tanks for one year to W.O. Stinson & Son Limited, Pembroke, Ontario, in accordance with the contract documents.
- Council approved a new Public Works and Engineering policy establishing the Standing Corn Snow Fence Program, which partners with local farmers to use standing corn as a natural snow fence to reduce snow drifting, improve winter road safety, and enhance the efficiency of winter maintenance operations.
- Residents are invited to help name the future recreational trail on the former CN Rail corridor, with the transfer of the corridor expected to be completed in 2026. Following a public engagement process that generated more than 100 suggestions, seven finalist names have been selected for public voting. Voting is open until July 24, 2026. Additional information is available at www.OttawaValleyTrail.com.
- The approved contracts/tenders were as follows:
    - For the rehabilitation of County Road 9 (Bulger Road) in the Townships of Admaston/Bromley and North Algona Wilberforce to Bonnechere Excavating Incorporated, Renfrew, Ontario, in the amount of $894,983.47, plus applicable taxes.
    - For the rehabilitation of County Road 14 (Witt Road), from County Road 26 (Doran Road) to County Road 56 (Woito Station Road), a distance of approximately 4.51km, Township of Laurentian Valley, as submitted by Bonnechere Excavating Incorporated, Renfrew, Ontario, in the amount of $1,776,591.80, plus applicable taxes.
    - For rehabilitation of County Road 26 (Doran Road), Township of Laurentian Valley, as submitted by Bonnechere Excavating Incorporated, Renfrew, Ontario, in the amount of $1,236,909.93, plus applicable taxes.
    - For asphalt patching and scratch coat paving for various locations in the Townships of Madawaska Valley and Laurentian Valley, as submitted by Bonnechere Excavating Inc., Renfrew, Ontario in the amount of $306,175.56 plus applicable taxes.
    - For the manufacture, supply and delivery of a precast concrete box culvert for the replacement of County Structure B188 (Turcotte Bridge) on Code Road, approximately 2.2km east of Micksburg Road, in the Township of Laurentian Valley Rinker Materials, Ottawa, Ontario in the amount of $231,568.22 plus applicable taxes.

Community Services Committee

Presented by: Anne Giardini, Chair

- Council declared the single-family dwelling at 149 Francis Street surplus and approved a $900,000 capital project to construct a triplex on the site, supporting the Renfrew County Housing Corporation's long-term housing renewal strategy and creating two additional housing units.

Development & Property Committee

Presented by: James Brose, Chair

- The Draft 2027–2036 Forest Management Plan for the Renfrew County Forest is now available for public review and comment. The Renfrew County Forest spans 6,540 hectares across 54 separate properties throughout the County. This updated plan outlines the objectives, strategies, and operational direction for the sustainable management of these forests over the next 10 years, from January 1, 2027 to December 31, 2036. We invite residents, forest users, neighbours, and anyone with an interest in the Renfrew County Forest to review the draft plan and share their feedback during the 60-day comment period, which closes on July 31, 2026. View the Draft Forest Management Plan here: **https://arcg.is/11v1ai2**
- Council declared the County-owned property on Upper Valley Drive in Pembroke surplus to its needs and directed staff to proceed with the disposal process in accordance with County policy, as the site is no longer required following approval of the new Pembroke Paramedic Base location adjacent to the County Administration Building.
- Council approved a Memorandum of Understanding with Kinsmen Court Home for Men & Women (Pembroke) Inc. and Carefor Health & Community Services to establish a collaborative framework for discussions and preliminary due diligence regarding the potential use and development of the greenspace at 425 Cecilia Street in Pembroke.
- County Council adopted a by-law authorizing the Corporation of the County of Renfrew to enter into a Transfer Payment Agreement (TPA) with the Province of Ontario for financial and program support of Enterprise Renfrew County for a three-year term commencing April 1, 2026 and ending March 31, 2029, with an option to renew for a fourth year ending March 31, 2030, at the discretion of the Province.
- Council was advised that the County's acquisition of the former CN rail corridor lands in Laurentian Valley and Whitewater Region closed on June 17, 2026, securing a key recreational trail and connectivity asset extending from the Ottawa River to the City of Pembroke's eastern boundary. Public Works and Engineering will begin corridor maintenance activities, including inspections, vegetation management, drainage assessments, and priority repairs.
- Council received an update that all seven spots in Enterprise Renfrew County's 2026 Summer Company program have been filled, supporting local student entrepreneurs as they launch and operate their summer businesses. Participants include Adelaide Lomore-Beaupre (Laurentian Valley) – Addie Made; Bronwynn Dick (Admaston/Bromley) – Green Thumb, Evelyn Finan (Whitewater Region) – Garden Palette Goods; Hudson Warner (Pembroke) – Shine My Clubs; Kelsea Moore (Whitewater Region) – Moore Volleyball; Nadia DeCarle (Pembroke) – Riverscout Clay, and Rusty Stuart (North Algona Wilberforce) – Red Pine Woodworks. Students will showcase their products and services at the Summer Company Wrap-up Event and BBQ on August 26, 2026, at the County of Renfrew Administration Building.

Health Committee

Presented by: Michael Donohue, Chair

- Members of the County of Renfrew Paramedic Service Sierra Team Matt Cruchet, Shawn Doyle, and Devin Keenan were recently recognized with an OPP Commissioner's Citation for Lifesaving in acknowledgment of their role in a complex rescue operation that took place in Algonquin Park in June 2025. The citation was presented jointly to all agencies and individuals involved in the successful rescue and care of a critically ill patient. The incident required a highly coordinated, multi-agency response involving County of Renfrew Paramedic Service (the Service) personnel, the Ontario Provincial Police Emergency Response Team (ERT), Ontario Parks staff, Ministry of Natural Resources Aviation Services, and the patient's family. The collaborative efforts of all responders contributed to a positive outcome under challenging circumstances in a remote wilderness environment.
- County Council adopted a by-law authorizing a new 10-year agreement with the County of Lanark (to December 31, 2036) for the provision and cost-sharing of cross-border land ambulance services, ensuring the closest available paramedic crew can respond to emergency calls regardless of municipal boundaries.

Corporate Services Committee

Presented by: Peter Emon, Chair

- County Council approved the Audited Financial Statements for the County of Renfrew for the year ended December 31, 2025.
- County Council approved the following amended Corporate Policies – Criminal Record Checks (amended); and Criminal Record Check for All Prospective County of Renfrew Volunteers and Renfrew County Housing Corporation (RCHC) Contractors.

Additional Information

Craig Kelley, Chief Administrative Officer/Deputy Clerk

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