



**The Corporation of the County of Bruce**  
**Emergency Services Committee**  
**Minutes**

January 7, 2016  
12:05 p.m.  
Council Chambers  
Walkerton, Ontario

**Present:** Councillors Mike Smith (Chair), Robert Buckle, Anne Eadie, Paul Eagleson, David Inglis, Milt McIver and Janice Jackson  
Alternate Wilf Gamble

**Staff:** Kelley Coulter, Chief Administrative Officer  
Darlene Batte, Administrative Assistant  
Ray Lux, Deputy Chief Paramedic Services  
Doug Smith, Director of Emergency Services

**Regrets:** Warden Mitch Twolan

**1. Pecuniary Interest**

There were no declarations of pecuniary interest.

**2. Delegations**

**A. Health Links**

Ms. Debbie Taylor, Health Links accompanied by Mr. Paul Rosebush, Co-lead of the initiative made a presentation on the Health Links Program, operated in conjunction with the LHINS.

They reported that the Provincial model for Health Links is evolving to achieve better results for patients and for the health care system with a goal for effective, coordinated care for ALL of Ontario's patients with high care needs through enhanced focus on vulnerable populations.

Their recommendation for Opportunities and Next Steps is to move forward with EMS, Housing and Social Services Representation on the North & South CCP Working Groups. Health Links is currently working through a proposal, potential MOU, and care model to support and enhance Community Paramedicine for Health Link Patients in Grey and Bruce.

**3. Action Items**

**A. Chesley Ambulance Station Lease**

**Moved by Councillor Paul Eagleson  
Seconded by Councillor Robert Buckle**

**That the County re-new the Lease Agreement with South Bruce Grey Health Centre for a further five (5) year term.**

**Carried**

**4. Next Meeting**

The next meeting of the Emergency Services Committee will take place on Thursday, February 4, 2016 in the Council Chambers, County of Bruce Administration Centre, Walkerton, Ontario.

**5. Adjournment**

**Moved by Councillor Janice Jackson  
Seconded by Councillor Anne Eadie**

**That the meeting of the Emergency Services Committee adjourn at 12:37 p.m.**

**Carried**

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**Councillor Mike Smith, Chair  
Emergency Services Committee**