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## Environment and Sustainability Standing Committee Special Meeting June 26, 2012

TO:

Chair and Members of Environment and Sustainability Standing

Committee

**SUBMITTED BY:** 

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DATE:

June 21, 2012

**SUBJECT:** 

Requests for Presentation to the Environment and Sustainability

**Standing Committee** 

### **INFORMATION REPORT**

#### **ORIGIN**

Section 32 (7) of Administrative Order #1, Respecting the Procedures of Standing Committees. (7) The Clerk shall include in the information agenda for each regular Standing Committee meeting a report listing the delegations who requested to be heard during the previous month and the disposition of the requests.

Date of Request (s)	Name of Delegation (s)	Disposition of Request (s)
June 2012	Jen Powley, Coordinator, Our HRM Alliance	Present on the first "Seven Solutions" for making the
		Municipality more sustainable and more liveable.

#### \* Reminder:

Due to a scheduling conflict, Mr. Geoff Schimmel of Atlantic Wood Works was unable to present at the June 7, 2012 meeting (presentation on fosters a wood culture in the Atlantic region); rescheduled presentation date yet to be determined.

A copy of this report can be obtained online at http://www.halifax.ca/council/agendasc/cagenda.html then choose the appropriate meeting date, or by contacting the Office of the Municipal Clerk at 490-4210, or Fax 490-4208.

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# Planning for Liveable Communities

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June 8, 2012

Environment & Sustainability Standing Committee C/O Municipal Clerk's Office PO Box 1749
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Re: Request for presentation

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MUNICIPAL CLERK

Dear members of the Environment & Sustainability Standing Committee,

The Our HRM Alliance requests time on the agenda of the July 5 meeting of the Environment & Sustainability Standing Committee to present on the first of its "Seven Solutions" for making the Municipality more sustainable and more liveable.

The first of these "Seven Solutions" is to "use greenbelting". The Our HRM Alliance released its greenbelting to the public on March 19, 2012. Now it would like the opportunity to present this solution directly to the Municipality's decision makers.

The Our HRM Alliance consulted heavily to produce both policy documents and a map that outlines four zones which would, when put together, clearly demonstrate where growth should happen and where growth should be restricted. The greenbelting solution is not about limiting developing. It is about channelling low impact development to the most ideal places.

Please contact Jen Powley for further information and to confirm this request. I am available at 429-0924 or <a href="https://hrm.goo.org/

Thank you.

Jen Powley, Coordinator