



MUNICIPALITY OF POWASSAN

Resolution no. 2008- 135

Date April 15, 2008

Moved by [Signature]

Seconded by [Signature]

Whereas the Council of the Corporation of the Municipality of Powassan is desirous of becoming more environmentally conscientious through recycling initiatives and energy consumption reduction under a "Greening Powassan Project"; and

Whereas the Province of Ontario is committed to protecting the interests of Ontarians by making positive changes to the province's electricity sector and these changes are aimed at creating a conservation culture and a cleaner Ontario; and

Whereas Ontario's municipally owned buildings spend nearly a billion dollars a year on energy costs alone; and

Whereas Earth Hour saw a significant reduction in energy consumption indicating small changes make a difference; and

Whereas Power Down Fridays sets out to reduce energy consumption and promotes a healthy environment by reducing energy consumption from 12:00 noon to 1:00 pm each and every Friday.

Now therefore Council resolves as follows:

1. That Fridays within the Municipality of Powassan are hereby declared Power Day Fridays;
2. That the staff, businesses and residents of the Municipality be encouraged to participate and review guidelines as set out on the municipal website at www.powassan.net;
3. That this resolution be forwarded to municipalities in Ontario and area organizations to encourage further participation.

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Mayor

Recorded Vote: Requested by

Name	Yeas	Nays	Name	Yeas	Nays
Councillor Nancy Barner			Councillor Peter McIsaac		
Councillor Blair Beatty			Councillor George Thompson		
Councillor Gerry Giesler			Mayor Bob Young		
Councillor Roger Glabb					