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DUCHESS AND ROSEMARY WITHDRAW FROM REGIONALIZATION WORKING GROUP

The Regionalization Working Group (RWG) received confirmation April 1, 2019 that the Villages of Duchess and Rosemary are withdrawing from the RWG. As a result, the first item of business on the agenda at the April 3, 2019 meeting was to poll the remaining members regarding continuation of the process. The result was a unanimous affirmative.

The most recent public responses were discussed and will be posted on the website under a group of general headings. The clear message from the responses was a need for more information. Toward that end, the RWG agreed on a general plan for future consultation going forward. Over the next two to three meetings a package of information will be developed and released to the public. This will allow the public time to digest the information and formulate further questions for future consultations to be held in the fall of 2019.

The next RWG meeting will be held on May 1, 2019.

Should you prefer to speak to someone directly, please contact the CAO from any of the Municipal Offices listed below and they can address your questions or get in touch with a Councillor.

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