



PRESS RELEASE

At its regular board meeting of Thursday, March 21, 2013, the KDSB Board of Directors addressed the following issues:

- Adopted a resolution to request permission from the Minister of Municipal Affairs & Housing for the possible disposition of some social housing projects located in Ear Falls, Minaki, Dinorwic and Hudson. The resolution is the first step in a long process to potentially dispose of the identified properties. Any final sale or disposition of these properties is subject to provincial and Board of Director approval.
- Defeated a resolution to identify the Nestor Falls Ambulance Base for potential closure as per board policy. As a result, the NF Ambulance Base will not be considered for closure.
- Reviewed 2012 – 4th Quarter Financial Reports for Early Learning & Child Care, Ontario Works, Housing, Integrated Services and Land Ambulance operations. All departments are performing well within their respective budgets.
- It was reported by the administration that the joint Land Ambulance Non-Emergent Transfer Study being undertaken with the Rainy River District Social Services Area Board; ORNGE, Ontario's air ambulance service and the seven NWO regional hospitals (Kenora, Red Lake, Dryden, Sioux Lookout, Fort Frances, Atikokan, and Thunder Bay) should be completed in early April. The report will be released to the public at that time.

Barry Baltessen, Chair

Dan McNeill, CAO