



**REGULAR MEETING OF COUNCIL
MONDAY, JULY 12TH, 2021
7:00 P.M.**

3. PETITIONS & DELEGATIONS

4. CORRESPONDENCE

**DR. S. F. MONESTIME MUNICIPAL
COUNCIL CHAMBERS
160 WATER STREET
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CORPORATION OF THE MUNICIPALITY OF CALVIN
Resolution

DATE: June 22, 2021 NO. 2021-163

MOVED BY Christine Shippam

SECONDED BY Dan Maxwell

"WHEREAS primary residences are currently exempt from a capital gains tax; and

WHEREAS currently secondary and additional non-primary properties are subject to capital gains; and

WHEREAS the Federal Government is currently looking into a primary residence capital gains tax as they have recognized that affordable housing has become a serious issue in Canada; and

WHEREAS small communities including the Municipality of Calvin are seeing unprecedented higher selling prices that are outpacing prices in larger cities; and

WHEREAS many hard-working Canadians who have only a primary residence with no additional non-primary homes count on their home equity as financial aid to apply to upsizing or downsizing their home depending on their personal situation; and

WHEREAS a change in taxation to primary residences would be a significant financial blow to Canadians and would create an unfair, two-tiered taxation which could lead to depleted savings, inter-generational disparities, disparities among diverse groups such as seniors who may have a significant portion of their savings vested in their primary residence, as well as, reducing the ability of home ownership thereby a further, higher need for rentals; and

WHEREAS the Federal government could look at other means to slow down the rapidly escalating housing costs to improve housing affordability;

NOW THEREFORE be it resolved that the Council of the Corporation of the Municipality of Calvin support the Corporation of the Town of Fort Erie as they lobby the Federal Government to cease further consideration of eliminating capital gains tax exemptions on primary residences; and

FURTHER that this resolution be forwarded to the Right Honourable Justin Trudeau; the Honourable Doug Ford, Premier of Ontario; and all Ontario Municipalities."


CARRIED _____

DIVISION VOTE

<u>NAME OF MEMBER OF COUNCIL</u>	<u>YEA</u>	<u>NAY</u>
<u>Coun Cross</u>	<u>X</u>	<u> </u>
<u>Coun Maxwell</u>	<u>X</u>	<u> </u>
<u>Coun Olmstead</u>	<u>X</u>	<u> </u>
<u>Coun Shippam</u>	<u>X</u>	<u> </u>
<u>Mayor Pennell</u>	<u>X</u>	<u> </u>

CORPORATION OF THE MUNICIPALITY OF CALVIN

Resolution

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DATE: June 22, 2021 NO. 2021-162

MOVED BY Sandy Cross

SECONDED BY Heather Olmstead

"WHEREAS the Near North Landlords Association (NNLA) surveyed its members and found that 11.7%, or 492 people, of its member's housing stock are facing eviction due to rent arrears; when this modest percentage is applied across the total number of units in all the private rental housing stock across Nipissing District, it is estimated that 600 units are in arrears with the possibility that up to 1100 people are at imminent risk of eviction;

WHEREAS the NNLA has formed a partnership to find a solution to address the rent arrears issue, a proposed program for qualifying tenants was developed; this would include a negotiated repayment plan that would see the landlord forgive 1/3 of the arrears, the District of Nipissing Social Services Administration Board (DNSSAB) to fund 1/3, and the final 1/3 would be paid by the tenant; program eligibility will also include ongoing monitoring of the landlord and tenant relationship to ensure housing is retained;

WHEREAS the DNSSAB would use Federal and/or Provincial Funding Programs to finance their share.

NOW THEREFORE be it resolved that the Council of the Corporation of the Municipality of Calvin support the City of North Bay as they lobby the Federal and Provincial Governments to finance this program to avert an additional major homelessness crisis.

AND FURTHER that a copy of this resolution be sent to the Honourable Anthony Rota, MP Nipissing-Temiskaming; the Honourable Marc G. Serré, MP Nickel Belt; the Honourable Ahmed Hussen, Minister of Families, Children and Social Development; the Honourable Victor Fedeli, MPP Nipissing; the Honourable Steve Clark, Minister of Municipal Affairs and Housing; all Municipalities in the District of Nipissing; the Federation of Northern Ontario Municipalities; the Association of Municipalities of Ontario; the Rural Ontario Municipal Association; and the District of Nipissing Homelessness and Housing Partnership."

CARRIED 

DIVISION VOTE

<u>NAME OF MEMBER OF COUNCIL</u>	<u>YEA</u>	<u>NAY</u>
<u>Coun Cross</u>	<u>X</u>	<u> </u>
<u>Coun Maxwell</u>	<u>X</u>	<u> </u>
<u>Coun Olmstead</u>	<u>X</u>	<u> </u>
<u>Coun Shippam</u>	<u>X</u>	<u> </u>
<u>Mayor Pennell</u>	<u>X</u>	<u> </u>



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June 22, 2021

File No. 21-94

SENT VIA EMAIL

Town of West Lincoln
318 Canborough Street
Smithville, Ontario L0R 2A0

Attention: Ms. Joanne Scime, City Clerk

Re: June 15, 2021 – WELLAND CITY COUNCIL

At its meeting of June 15, 2021, Welland City Council passed the following motion:

“THAT THE COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF WELLAND receives and endorses the correspondence from the Township of West Lincoln dated May 26, 2021 regarding Endorsement of 988 Suicide and Crisis Prevention Hotline Initiative.

WHEREAS the Federal government has passed a motion to adopt 988, a National three-digit suicide and crisis hotline; and

WHEREAS the ongoing COVID-19 pandemic has increased the demand for suicide prevention services by 200%; and

WHEREAS existing suicide prevention hotlines require the user to remember a 10-digit number and go through directories or be placed on hold.

THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED THAT Township Council endorses the 988 crisis line initiative to ensure critical barriers are removed to those in a crisis and seeking help; and

RE: June 22, 2021 – Welland City Council

June 22, 2021

THAT a letter demonstrating Township of West Lincoln Council's support be sent to the Honourable Patty Hajdu, Federal Minister of Health, the Honorable Dean Allison MP Niagara West, the Honourable Sam Oosterhoff MPP Niagara West, Ian Scott Chairperson and Chief Executive Officer, Canadian Radio- Television and Telecommunications and all municipalities in Ontario.

Yours truly,



Tara Stephens
City Clerk

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- c.c.: - The Honorable Patty Hajdu, Federal Minister of Health, sent via email
- The Honorable Dean Allison, MP Niagara West, sent via e-mail
- The Honorable Sam Oosterhoff, MPP Niagara West, sent via e-mail
- Ian Scott, Chairperson & Chief Executive Officer, Canadian Radio-Television and Telecommunications, sent via e-mail
- All Ontario Municipalities, sent via e-mail

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Sent: Tuesday, June 22, 2021 11:30 AM
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Subject: Connectednorth.ca Has Relunched With The New Ontario Internet Access Map Portal!

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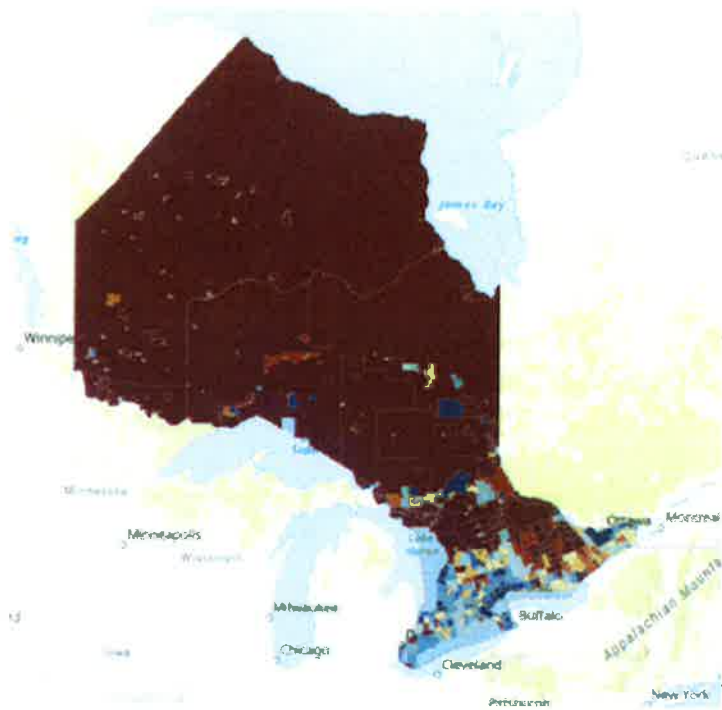
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supporting applications to funding agencies, it helps show a business case for ISP's to develop their networks and sometimes it can point out that there are networks issues that can be repaired.

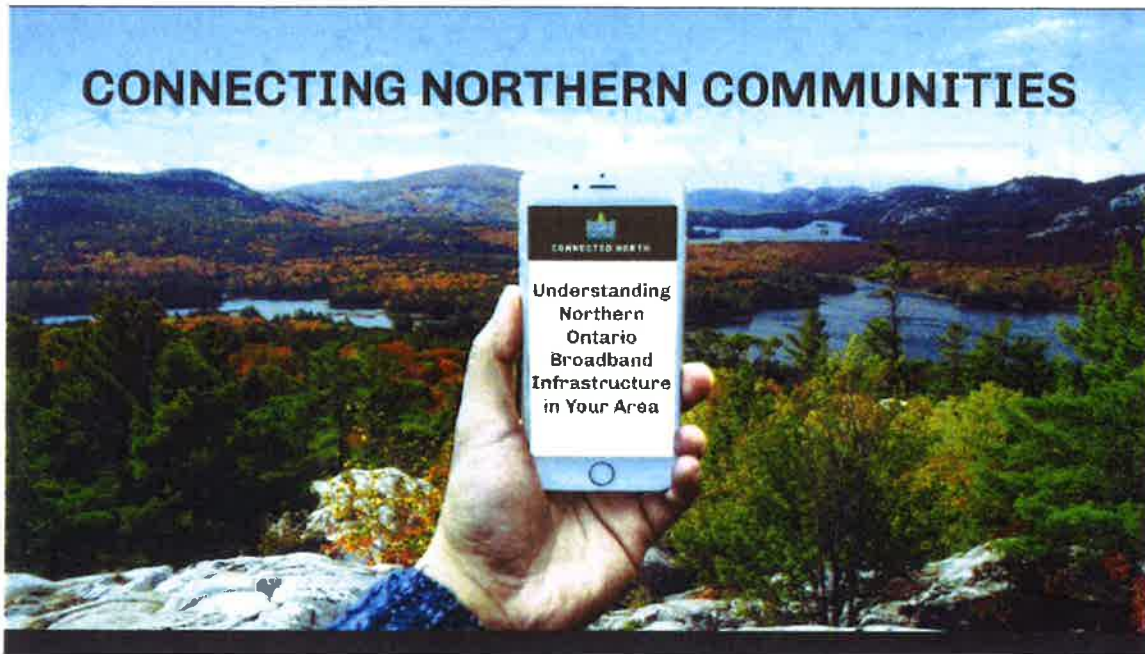
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Tay Valley Township

June 23rd, 2021

The Honourable Doug Ford
Premier of Ontario
Premier's Office
Room 281, Legislative Building
Queen's Park
Toronto, ON M7A 1A1

Dear Premier Ford:

Sent via Email: premier@ontario.ca

RE: Provincial Hospital Funding of Major Capital Equipment

The Council of the Corporation of Tay Valley Township is requesting that further consideration be given to having the Province be financially responsible for the replacement costs associated with all major capital equipment in hospitals, as municipalities across the province are facing major shortfalls in meeting their financial obligations set out in their asset management plans and cannot afford to directly absorb the financial responsibility for the replacement costs of the hospitals' major capital equipment without jeopardizing their financial sustainability.

If you require any further information, please do not hesitate to contact the undersigned at (613) 267-5353 ext. 130 or clerk@tayvalleytwp.ca.

Sincerely,

Brian Campbell, Reeve

cc: All municipalities in Ontario



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The Corporation of
The Township of Brock
1 Cameron St. E., P.O. Box 10
Cannington, ON L0E 1E0
705-432-2355

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June 24, 2021

The Honourable Caroline Mulroney, Minister of Transportation
Ministry of Transportation
5th Floor
777 Bay St.
Toronto, ON
M7A 1Z8

Sent via email: caroline.mulroney@pc.ola.org

Dear Honorable Madam:

Re: Township of Archipelago – Road Management Action on Invasive Phragmites

Please be advised that the Committee of the Whole, at their meeting held on June 14, 2021, adopted a resolution endorsing the resolution adopted by the Township of The Archipelago, a copy of which is enclosed, with respect to the invasive species phragmites.

Should you have any concerns please do not hesitate to contact the Clerk's Department, Clerks@Brock.ca.

Yours truly,

THE TOWNSHIP OF BROCK

A handwritten signature in blue ink that reads "Deena Hunt".

Deena Hunt
Deputy Clerk

Encl.

cc. The Honourable Jeff Yurek, Minister of the Environment, Conservation and Parks
jeff.yurekco@pc.ola.org
The Honourable Jonathan Wilkinson, Minister of Environment and Climate Change
Canada ec.ministre-minister.ec@canada.ca
Maryann Weaver, Municipal Clerk, Township of the Archipelago
mweaver@thearchipelago.on.ca
Carol Schofield, Clerk, Fort Erie cschofield@forterie.ca
Carrie Sykes, Clerk, Lake of Bays csykes@lakeofbays.on.ca
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AMO amopresident@amo.on.ca

If this information is required in an accessible format,
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June 2, 2021

Date	07/06/2021
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Meeting Date	June 14, 2021
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Via email: schofield@forterie.ca

Town of Fort Erie
Attention: Carol Schofield, Manager, Legislative Services/Clerk
1 Municipal Centre Drive
Fort Erie, ON
L2A 2S6

Dear Ms. Schofield:

**RE: Correspondence – Township of The Archipelago – Road Management
Action on Invasive Phragmites**

On behalf of the Council of the Corporation of the Township of Lake of Bays, please be advised that the above-noted correspondence was presented at the last regularly scheduled meeting on June 1, 2021, and the following was passed.

“Resolution #7(a)/06/01/21

WHEREAS the Council of the Corporation of the Township of Lake of Bays hereby receives the correspondence from Carol Schofield, Manager, Legislative Services/Clerk for the Town of Fort Erie requesting support for the Ontario Ministry of Transportation (MTO) to Communicate the Strategy on Mapping and Controlling Invasive Phragmites on Provincial Highways, dated April 27, 2021;

NOW THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED THAT the Council of the Corporation of the Township of Lake of Bays hereby supports the resolution from the Township of The Archipelago requesting the Ontario Ministry of Transportation (MTO) to communicate the strategy on mapping (detecting site) and controlling invasive Phragmites on provincial highways, the specific highway management plans and results by each MTO region, and each highway in the region and work in collaboration with the Township of The Archipelago and requests all levels of government to consider funding support to aid the Township of The Archipelago in managing invasive Phragmites.

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Res 18-7 Cow June 14 endorsed.

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AND FURTHER THAT this resolution be forwarded to the Town of Fort Erie, Township of The Archipelago, Ontario Ministry of Transportation, Minister of Environment, Conservation and Parks, Minister of Environment and Climate Change Canada, MPP Norm Miller, and all Ontario Municipalities.

Carried."

Sincerely,



Carrie Sykes, *Dipl. M.A., CMO, AOMC,*
Director of Corporate Services/Clerk.
CS/cw

Encl.

Copy to:

Township of The Archipelago
Hon. Caroline Mulroney, Minister of Transportation
Hon. Jeff Yurek, Minister of Environment, Conservation and Parks
Hon. Jonathan Wilkinson, Minister of Environment and Climate Change Canada
Hon. Norm Miller, MPP, Parry Sound-Muskoka
All Ontario Municipalities



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Legislative Services

April 27, 2021

File #120203

Sent via email: caroline.mulroney@pc.ola.org

The Honourable Caroline Mulroney, Minister of Transportation
5th Floor, 777 Bay Street
Toronto, ON M7A 1Z8

Honourable and Dear Madam:

Re: Township of The Archipelago - Road Management Action on Invasive Phragmites

Please be advised the Municipal Council of the Town of Fort Erie at its meeting of April 26, 2021 received and supported correspondence from the Township of The Archipelago dated April 9, 2021 requesting the Ontario Ministry of Transportation (MTO) to communicate the strategy on mapping (detecting sites) and controlling invasive Phragmites on provincial highways, the specific highway management plans and results by each MTO region and each highway in the region and work in coordination with the Township of The Archipelago and requests all levels of government to consider funding support to aid the Township of The Archipelago in managing invasive phragmites.

Attached please find a copy of the Township of The Archipelago's correspondence dated April 9, 2021.

Thank you for your attention to this matter.

Yours very truly,

Carol Schofield, Dipl.M.A.
Manager, Legislative Services/Clerk

cschofield@forterie.ca

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The Honourable Jeff Yurek, Minister of Environment, Conservation and Parks jeff.yurekco@pc.ola.org

The Honourable Jonathan Wilkinson, Minister of Environment and Climate Change Canada ec.ministre-minister.ec@canada.ca

Christopher Balasa, Manager, Maintenance Management Office Christopher.balasa@ontario.ca

Wayne Gates, MPP, Niagara Falls wgates-co@ndp.on.ca

MPP Norman Miller Norm.miller@pc.olg.org

Maryann Weaver, Municipal Clerk, Township of The Archipelago mweaver@thearchipelago.on.ca

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April 9, 2021

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**Moved by Councillor Barton
Seconded by Councillor Manner**

RE: Road Management Action On Invasive Phragmites

WHEREAS Phragmites australis (Phragmites) is an invasive perennial grass that continues to cause severe damage to wetlands and beaches in areas around the Great Lakes including Georgian Bay; and

WHEREAS Phragmites australis grows and spreads rapidly, allowing the plant to invade new areas and grow into large monoculture stands in a short amount of time, and is an allelopathic plant that secretes toxins from its roots into the soil which impede the growth of neighboring plant species; and

WHEREAS Phragmites australis results in loss of biodiversity and species richness, loss of habitat, changes in hydrology due to its high metabolic rate, changes in nutrient cycling as it is slow to decompose, an increased fire hazard due to the combustibility of its dead stalks, and can have an adverse impact on agriculture, particularly in drainage ditches; and

WHEREAS invasive Phragmites has been identified as Canada's worst invasive plant species by Agriculture and Agrifood Canada; and

WHEREAS the Ontario government has made it illegal to import, deposit, release, breed/grow, buy, sell, lease or trade invasive Phragmites under the Invasive Species Act; and

WHEREAS Phragmites occupy over 4,800 hectares of land around Lake St. Clair alone, while 212 hectares of Phragmites occupy land along the St. Lawrence River. The Georgian Bay Area is particularly affected by Phragmites australis, with more than 700 stands along the shorelines and multiple visible stands on the highways and roads that threaten valuable infrastructure and wetland areas; and

WHEREAS volunteers, non-governmental organizations, and various municipalities have invested tens of thousands of dollars in investments and labour annually for more than eight years in executing managements plans to control invasive Phragmites on roads, coasts, shorelines and in wetlands; and

WHEREAS roads and highways where Phragmites that are left untreated become spread vectors that continually risk new and treated wetlands and coastal shoreline areas; and

WHEREAS according to “Smart Practices for the Control of Invasive Phragmites along Ontario’s Roads” by the Ontario Phragmites Working Group, best road management practices for Phragmites australis include early detection, herbicide application, and cutting; and

WHEREAS these best management practices are most effective when used in a multi-pronged approach as opposed to when used as stand-alone control measures; and

WHEREAS mother nature does not recognize political boundaries. Therefore, it is imperative that Municipalities, Districts, the Province, and the Federal government work together in collaboration to eradicate Canada’s worst invasive plant species Phragmites australis;

NOW THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED that Council for the Corporation of the Township of The Archipelago directs its staff to implement best management practices to promote early detection of invasive Phragmites, and to implement best management practices for invasive Phragmites, and to join the Ontario Phragmites Working Group to collaborate on the eradication of Phragmites in Ontario.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that Council for the Corporation of the Township of The Archipelago directs staff to insert clean equipment protocols into tenders and that there is oversight that the protocols are followed; and

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that Council for the Corporation of the Township of The Archipelago requests the Ontario Ministry of Transportation to map and treat invasive Phragmites annually on all its highways; and

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that the Ontario Ministry of Transportation (MTO) communicates the strategy on mapping (detecting sites) and controlling invasive Phragmites on provincial highways, the specific highway management plans and results by each MTO region and each highway in the region and work in coordination with the Township of The Archipelago; and

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that Council for the Corporation of the Township of The Archipelago directs its staff to send this resolution to all municipalities that are part of the Georgian Bay watershed, to all municipalities in the Great Lakes watershed, to the Minister of Transportation, Christopher Balasa the Manager, Maintenance Management Office, and MPP Norman Miller.

BE IT FINALLY RESOLVED that Council for the Corporation of the Township of The Archipelago requests all levels of government to consider funding support to aid the Township of The Archipelago in managing invasive phragmites; and directs staff to send a copy of this resolution to the Ontario Minister of Environment, Conservation and Parks and the Minister of Environment and Climate Change Canada.

Carried.

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From: AMO Communications <Communicate@amo.on.ca>
Sent: Thursday, June 24, 2021 12:14 PM
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Subject: AMO Policy Update - Moving to Step Two of COVID-19 Reopening on June 30, Adding Mental Health Support to OPP Communication Centres

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June 24, 2021

AMO Policy Update – Moving to Step Two of COVID-19 Reopening on June 30 and Adding Mental Health Support to OPP Communication Centres

Ontario Moving to Step Two of Roadmap to Reopen on June 30

It has been announced that Ontario is moving into [Step Two of the Roadmap to Reopen](#) at 12:01am on Wednesday June 30th, 2021.

As of June 23rd, 2021, over 76% of the population in Ontario 18 and over has received a first dose of a COVID-19 vaccine, and over 29% have received a second dose. There has also been a decline in COVID-19 cases and patients in ICU which allows the Province to move to Step Two sooner than expected.

Step Two includes the resumption of more outdoor activities and limited indoor services with small numbers of people where face coverings are worn, with other restrictions in place. This includes, but is not limited to:

- outdoor social gatherings and organized public events with up to 25 people;
- indoor social gatherings and organized public events with up to 5 people;
- essential and other select retail permitted at 50 per cent capacity;
- non-essential retail permitted at 25 per cent capacity;
- personal care services where face coverings can be worn at all times, and at 25 per cent capacity and other restrictions;
- outdoor dining with up to 6 people per table, with exceptions for larger households and other restrictions;
- indoor religious services, rites, or ceremonies, including wedding services and funeral services, permitted at up to 25 per cent capacity of the particular room;

- outdoor fitness classes limited to the number of people who can maintain 3 metres of physical distance;
- outdoor sports without contact or modified to avoid contact, with no specified limit on number of people or teams participating, with restrictions;
- overnight camps for children operating in a manner consistent with the safety guidelines produced by the Office of the Chief Medical Officer of Health;
- outdoor sport facilities with spectators permitted at 25 per cent capacity;
- outdoor concert venues, theatres, and cinemas, with spectators permitted at 25 per cent capacity;
- outdoor horse racing and motor speedways, with spectators permitted at 25 per cent capacity;
- outdoor fairs, rural exhibitions, festivals, permitted at 25 per cent capacity and with other restrictions.

The full list of public health and workplace safety measures that must be followed can be found in the [regulation](#).

Ontario may remain in Step Two for a period of approximately 21 days to allow for additional vaccinations to occur in the population.

Ontario Adding Mental Health Works to OPP Communication Centres

On June 22nd, the Province [announced](#) \$8.4 million over three years in a new Ontario Provincial Police (OPP) Crisis Call Diversion Program. The new program embeds a professional mental health and addictions crisis worker into each OPP Provincial Communications Centre to provide resources, tools, referrals, and help navigate the mental health system for mental health related calls. The crisis worker can also provide support and assist in preliminary de-escalation when a call has been assigned to a police officer. The announcement builds on the success of a pilot program at the OPP London Communications Centre.

The OPP has also created a comprehensive Crisis Call Diversion Development and Implementation Guide to share with other police services and health partners considering similar programs or initiatives. These resources build on recent provincial mental health supports and help to better meet the needs of individuals experiencing mental health crises and support the de-stigmatization of mental health.

At this point there is no available information on how this may impact municipal OPP billing and costs, now or in the future, and we will be following up for additional details.

AMO's [COVID-19 Resources](#) page is being updated continually so you can find critical information in one place. Please send any of your municipally related pandemic questions to covid19@amo.on.ca.

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June 24, 2021

The Honourable Christine Elliott
Minister of Health
Ministry of Health
777 Bay Street
College Park 5th Floor
Toronto, ON M7A 2J3

Dear Minister Elliott:

RE: Public Health Funding for 2022

At the recent meeting of the Board of Health for the North Bay Parry Sound District Health Unit (Health Unit), public health funding for 2022 was discussed. In follow up to direction provided by the Board of Health, this correspondence is being forwarded to bring attention to some urgent issues related to 2022 public health funding. The Board of Health resolution from the June 23 meeting is attached. (Appendix A).

The background behind this discussion began in April 2019 with the introduction of the provincial Public Health Modernization initiative, along with a change to the funding formula to 30% municipal / 70% provincial cost-sharing for almost all public health programming. At that time, it was communicated that there was to be a phased in approach to the funding formula while the Modernization process took place.

With the need for the Public Health Modernization process to be put on hold to address and respond to the COVID-19 pandemic, the Province announced in August 2020 that mitigation funding would be provided for 2020 and 2021 to help relieve over-burdened municipalities. Without continuation of this mitigation funding, the Health Unit's 31 member municipalities will suffer an increase in their 2022 municipal levies of 50.5%.

The Board of Health has been informed by our municipalities, many of whom have a small population base, that levy increases are not manageable, particularly at this significant of an increase.

The cost-sharing formula is only one piece of the public health funding issue for 2022. Health units have had only one base funding increase in the past five years; however, wage and benefit

increases and general increases to operating costs due to inflation continue.

The COVID-19 pandemic has taught us that a robust, prepared public health system is more important than ever. Without a base funding increase, public health's capacity will be diminished, with even harder choices having to be made regarding where we can assist in building healthier and sustainable communities. A base funding increase for 2022 is necessary in order to maintain public health at status quo.

Additionally, there are new pressures on public health as a result of the COVID-19 pandemic that will require funding if public health is to participate fully in the health recovery of the citizens of Ontario.

Some examples of health recovery that will be required post-pandemic include, but are not limited to the following:

1. **Mental wellness:** Families and youth have undergone a considerable level of stress in the past two years. Public health needs to be at the table to assist with bringing together health, education and other partners to reach a consolidated plan forward to improve family resiliency and outlook.
2. **Harm Reduction – Youth and Opioid:** There are many community drug strategies. Public health can provide more capacity to these important and much needed community strategies by assisting partners with leadership, evaluation support, population health data, research, and best practice to ensure that initiatives have the best possible outcomes.
3. **Backlogged Services:** Backlogs within the Health Unit's critical clinics and community programming has occurred due staff redeployment to COVID-19 immunization clinics, call centres, and case and contact management. Staff deployment to the COVID-19 pandemic response has meant:
 - i. Increased wait lists for oral health services, especially preventative care and school-based programs
 - ii. Sexual health clinic clients are presenting with more complex issues due to COVID-19 lockdowns/stay-at-home orders, fear of attending clinic appointments during the pandemic, and extended wait times for appointments
 - iii. School-based vaccine programs have not operated since the fall of 2019, leaving many age cohorts under vaccinated
 - iv. Smoking cessation clinics have longer than usual wait lists because clinics were suspended during lockdowns, and because staff were deployed to address prioritized COVID-19 activities

Of other consideration are the ongoing costs directly related to COVID-19. We know that COVID-19 will be managed by public health moving forward, but how that will look is still being formulated

and negotiated at the provincial level. However, some things we know will continue into 2022 are as follows:

- Case and contact management and outbreak management for COVID-19;
- Infection prevention and control (IPAC) guidance and support in long-term care homes, retirement homes, and other congregate settings;
- Provision of accurate information for the public, businesses, and municipalities as rules, regulations, and guidelines change to address situations until such time that things normalize;
- There will be added costs for doing regular business, such as:
 - Personal protective equipment (PPE)
 - Additional cleaning and disinfecting between clients, impacting the number of clients that can be seen per day, and increase use of cleaning supplies;
- It is a requirement that there be 24-hour per day / 7 days per week medical officer of health coverage; the pandemic has made it abundantly clear that an Associate Medical Officer of Health is necessary to sustain this required coverage, particularly during a long crisis period, such as the COVID-19 pandemic, or for any other major public health emergency; and
- There will likely be outstanding COVID-19-related court/enforcement issues continuing into 2022.

Both 2020 and 2021 have been extremely difficult on staff. The burden of continued wait lists can be an added stressor on staff diligently working to get through these wait lists to address the needs of our vulnerable populations who are often in crisis situations. Recruitment of qualified professionals, whether staff or management, has been affected by the Public Health Modernization, and this continues to be a challenge.

Over the next few years, we believe we will continue to see retention and recruitment challenges along with burnout and stress effects throughout the Health Unit. People cannot work at current pressure levels on a continual basis without ramifications. A **healthy workplace** will require additional personnel in order to get caught up on work that has been paused.

Without additional support from the province, program prioritization will need to take place. In these times, deciding which programs/services not to return to will be difficult as the need for public health assistance is all around us.

As a final point, we would like to emphasize the urgency of establishing funding expectations for 2022. This is not a good time for public health to reduce its participation in recovery plans due to lack of capacity. We need to plan now for 2022, and while we understand and appreciate the burden on the Province and the Ministry of Health in responding to the COVID-19 pandemic, we are respectfully requesting assistance by setting public health funding expectations as soon as possible.

We look forward to discussing with you the ways Public Health Units can work with the Province to bring better health and well-being to all of the citizens of Ontario.

Sincerely yours,



James Chirico, H.BSc., M.D., F.R.C.P. (C), MPH
Medical Officer of Health/Executive Officer



Nancy Jacko
Chairperson, Board of Health

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Enclosure (1)

Copy to: Premier Doug Ford

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Hon. Steve Clark, Minister of Municipal Affairs and Housing



NORTH BAY PARRY SOUND DISTRICT HEALTH UNIT
BOARD OF HEALTH

RESOLUTION

DATE: June 23, 2021

MOVED BY: Jamie McGarvey

RESOLUTION: #BOH/2021/06/04

SECONDED BY: Gary Guenther

Whereas, the Government of Ontario in its budget of April 11, 2019, initiated a Public Health Modernization process which included a change in municipal cost-sharing from 25% of mandatory public health programs covered by municipalities to 30% of almost all public health programs based on 2018 third quarter spending levels; and

Whereas, on August 21, 2020, the Ministry of Health (Ministry) announced that provincial mitigation funding would be provided to offset the increase to municipal cost-sharing for 2020 and 2021; and

Whereas, the COVID-19 pandemic, which started in early 2020, has further affected municipalities' ability to pay levy increases, it has stalled modernization processes, increased the cost-of-living, and affected the health and well-being of the public, and more specifically, public health clients and staff.

Therefore Be It Resolved, that the Board of Health for the North Bay Parry Sound District Health Unit supports returning to the 2018 cost-sharing formulas at 25%/75%, with 100% provincially funded programs; and

Furthermore Be It Resolved, that the Board of Health supports mitigation funding continue for 2022 to eliminate the additional financial burden of a 42-50% levy increase to the Health Unit's 31 member municipalities if it is not possible to return to the 2018 cost-sharing formula with 100% provincially funded programs; and

Furthermore Be It Resolved, that the Board of Health requests the 2022 public health funding include increases to reflect, cost-of-living increases, public health program changes related to ongoing COVID-19 response, and funding to assist with program and community recovery efforts; and

Furthermore Be It Resolved, that the Board of Health requests a base funding increase to fund an Associate Medical Officer of Health to support the Medical Officer of Health with the continual demands of 24/7 on call coverage that have been highlighted throughout the COVID-19 pandemic; and

Furthermore Be It Resolved, that the Board of Health instructs the Medical Officer of Health and Senior Management to write a letter to the Minister of Health detailing the financial and organizational pressures on public health, including outlining the urgency for establishing the funding levels for 2022 to assist public health and community budget planning.

CARRIED: AMENDED: DEFEATED: CHAIRPERSON: McGarvey

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CONFLICT OF INTEREST DECLARED AND SEAT(S) VACATED:

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RECORDED VOTE FOR CIRCULATION: Yes / No (Please circle one)

Name:	For:	Against:	Abstain:	Name:	For:	Against:	Abstain:
Dean Backer	✓			Jamie McGarvey	✓		
Dave Butti	✓			Scott Robertson	✓		
Blair Flowers	✓			Dan Roveda	✓		
Gary Guenther	✓			Marianne Stickland	✓		
Nancy Jacko	✓			Tanya Vrebosch			absent
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Sent: Friday, June 25, 2021 3:35 PM
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Subject: Minutes from Board DNSSAB Meeting
Attachments: Approved May minutes from June 23 DNSSAB Board Package.pdf

Hi everyone;

I hope you are all doing well.

I've attached the minutes from the May DNSSAB Board meeting. If you're interested, you can find the full meeting packages on our website [here](#).

DNSSAB is not scheduled to have any meetings in July and August, so the June minutes will be approved in September at our meeting on the 22nd.

Wishing you a great summer!

Regards,
Marianne



Marianne Zadra

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MINUTES OF PROCEEDINGS

REGULAR BOARD MEETING – MAY 26, 2021
Directly following the Community Services Committee

MEMBERS PRESENT:

Councillor Terry Kelly (East Ferris)
Councillor Mark King - Chair (North Bay)
Councillor Dave Mendicino (North Bay)
Mayor Dan O'Mara (Temagami)
Councillor Dan Roveda Vice Chair (West Nipissing)
Councillor Scott Robertson (North Bay)
Councillor Bill Vrebosch (North Bay)
Mayor Dean Backer (East Nipissing)
Representative Amanda Smith (Unincorporated)
Councillor Mac Bain – (North Bay)
Councillor Chris Mayne (North Bay)

REGRETS:

Mayor Jane Dumas (South Algonquin)

STAFF ATTENDANCE:

Catherine Matheson, CAO
Marianne Zadra, Executive Coordinator and Communications
Melanie Shaye, Director of Corporate Services
David Plumstead – Manager Planning, Outcomes & Analytics
Justin Avery, Manager of Finance
Stacey Cyopeck, Director, Housing Programs
Tracy Bethune, Acting Director, Housing Operations
Lynn Demore-Pitre, Director, Children's Services
Michelle Glabb, Director, Social Services and Employment

Dawn Carlyle, Project Manager

1.1 CALL TO ORDER

Resolution No. 2021-46

Moved by: Mac Bain

Seconded by: Dan Roveda

Resolved THAT the Board of Directors accept the Roll Call as read by the Recording Secretary for the Regular Board meeting of May 26, 2021 at 3:07 PM.

The regular Board Meeting was called to order at 3:07 PM by Chair Mark King.

Carried.

1.2 DECLARATION OF CONFLICTS OF INTEREST

None were declared.

2.0 CHAIR'S REMARKS

The Chair welcomed everyone. He spoke about the low level of reserves the DNSSAB has in light of the recommendation that reserves should cover three month's cash flow, and that a higher level provides adequate liquidity, reduces risk to the organization, and enables a quicker response to opportunities that might arise, such as capital contributions required for some projects. He also spoke about the need to focus on core services while continuing to be a good community partner. The Chair gave examples that align with core services, such as emergency childcare for essential workers and EMS assistance with administering COVID vaccines.

The Chair also acknowledged the exceptional work of Nipissing Paramedics as it is Paramedics Week, and he noted the great collaborative effort in moving staff from the Main Street offices to City Hall and acknowledged the planning and coordination needed to accomplish this huge endeavour.

The Chair informed the Board he has allowed his name to stand for the NOSDA (Northern Ontario Service Deliverers Association) executive, and will keep the board up to date on what transpires.

3.0 ADOPTION OF THE AGENDA

Resolution No. 2021-47

Moved by: Terry Kelly

Seconded by: Scott Robertson

Resolved THAT the Board accepts the agenda as presented.

Carried.

4.0 APPROVAL OF MINUTES

4.1 Resolution No. 2021-48-A

Moved by: Dave Mendicino

Seconded by: Chris Mayne

Resolved THAT the Board adopts the minutes of the proceedings of the Regular Board meeting of April 28, 2021.

Carried.

4.2 Resolution No. 2021-48-B

Moved by: Dan O'Mara

Seconded by: Dan Roveda

Resolved THAT the Board adopt the minutes of the proceedings of the Community Services Committee meeting of April 28, 2021.

Carried.

5.0 DELEGATIONS

5.1 Roadmap of Journey Serving Vulnerable Populations- Stacey Cyopecck, Director of Housing Programs.

Housing Programs Director Stacey Cyopecck presented a visual of a 'roadmap' that outlines a chronology of DNSSAB initiatives since February 2020 to May 2021 that have been instituted to meet the needs of people experiencing homelessness.

In response to a question about whether the Nurse Practitioner Pilot will include visits to encampments, the CAO replied that they will go if necessary, but the pilot is designed to primarily service the Low Barrier Shelter and Gateway House.

6.0 CAO VERBAL UPDATE

Resolution No. 2021-49

Moved by: Dan Roveda

Seconded by: Bill Vrebosch

Resolved THAT the District of Nipissing Social Services Administration Board (DNSSAB) receives the CAO Report for May 26, 2021.

CAO Catherine Matheson provided updates on the following:

Collaboration between EMS in northern districts to assist the Cochrane District which is currently a COVID hotspot. Neighbouring EMS, including Nipissing District, are happy to support Cochrane and together will provide nine staff to attend clinics that will be set up for COVID immunization. There will be no cost to the DNSSAB.

DNSSAB, engaged by the City of North Bay to create its Community Service and Well-Being Plan, will present the final plan to council in June. Much information has been gathered through surveys and focus groups (3,000 respondents to survey of people who live and/or work in North Bay), and some of this information will also help to inform DNSSAB with service planning.

A new funding approach to social assistance transformation in Ontario will not be implemented in 2022, as previously announced, and the timelines for the transformation roll-out is still unknown. There continues to be a lot of co-design happening across the province with many voices being heard.

In the area of Community Development, there are two projects; DNSSAB is very proud that the Community Paramedicine program will start in June for those waiting for long term care or who chose to remain at home rather than go into long term care. Also, the Nurse Practitioner pilot is ready to begin in June thanks to the hard work of community partners to meet the health needs of vulnerable people without health care providers.

Two working groups have been established with Ontario Health and for transitional housing involving indigenous community partner organizations who are also building transitional housing.

Carried.

7.0 CONSENT AGENDA

RESOLUTION: #2021-50

Moved by: Dave Mendicino

Seconded by: Chris Mayne

THAT the Board receives for information purposes Consent Agenda items 7.1 and 7.2.

7.1 Endorsement of Motion from Nipissing District Homelessness and Housing Partnership in Support of the Canadian Alliance to End Homelessness Recovery for All Campaign

That the Board endorse the motion from the Nipissing District Homelessness and Housing Partnership (NDHHP) supporting the Canadian Alliance to End Homelessness (CAEH) Recovery for All Campaign; and,

That the Board's support of this motion be shared through letters to the MPs representing the District of Nipissing, the NDHHP, and CAEH.

7.2 FA2021-06 Audited Financial Statements for the year ending December 31, 2020

That the District of Nipissing Social Services Administration Board (DNSSAB) approves the Audited Financial Statements for the year ending December 31, 2020 as approved through Finance and Administration Committee Resolution FA2021-06.

Carried.

8.0 MANAGER'S REPORTS

8.1 HS26-21 Emergency Procurement

RESOLUTION: #2021-51

Moved by: Dan Roveda

Seconded by: Terry Kelly

THAT the District of Nipissing Social Services Administration Board approves the use of direct negotiation in the expenditure of Social Services Relief Funds (SSRF) as outlined in HS26-21, in accordance with the Board's Purchasing Policy #CORP-01, under the authority of the DNSSAB General Business By-law #1.

This report alerts members to a policy change that allows access to SSRF 3 funding. This follows the same process as was used for SSRF 1 funding. 11 applications have been received, the evaluation process is underway, and the successful applicants will be notified.

Carried.

8.2 In Camera

RESOLUTION: #2021-52

Moved by: Amanda Smith

Seconded by: Scott Robertson

THAT the District of Nipissing Social Services Administration Board (DNSSAB) move in-camera at 3:36 PM to discuss a matter of negotiation.

Carried

8.3 Adjourn In Camera

RESOLUTION: #2021-53

Moved by: Bill Vrebosch

Seconded by: Scott Robertson

THAT the District of Nipissing Social Services Administration Board (DNSSAB) adjourns in-camera at 3:47 PM.

Carried

8.4 Approve In Camera

RESOLUTION: #2021-54

Moved by: Dan O'Mara

Seconded by: Chris Mayne

THAT the District of Nipissing Social Services Administration Board (DNSSAB) approves the direction/action agreed to in the in-camera session.

Carried

9. NEW BUSINESS

There was no new business brought forward.

10. NEXT MEETING DATE

Wednesday, June 23, 2021

11. ADJOURNMENT

Resolution No. 2021-55

Moved by: Chris Mayne

Seconded by: Scott Robertson

Resolved THAT the Board meeting be adjourned at 3:48 PM.

Carried.

MARK KING
CHAIR OF THE BOARD

CATHERINE MATHESON
SECRETARY OF THE BOARD

Minutes of Proceedings Recorder: Marianne Zadra, Executive Coordinator

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From: Ashley Sloan <ashley@southstormont.ca>
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To: Premier of Ontario | Premier ministre de l'Ontario; christine.elliott@ontario.ca; 'jim.mcdonell@pc.ola.org'; info@eohu.ca
Cc: Loriann Harbers; amo@amo.on.ca; mbeatty@stcatharines.ca
Subject: South Stormont Resolution - Lyme Disease Awareness and Action

Good day,

Please be advised that Council of the Township of South Stormont passed the following resolution on June 23, 2021:

Resolution No. 169/2021

Moved By: Councillor MacIsaac

Seconded by: Councillor Woods

That Council of the Township of South Stormont supports the resolution from the City of St. Catharines and call on the Ontario government to expand testing to all strains of Lyme Disease and improve the level of treatment and care for those diagnosed with this crippling disease, and further that this resolution of support be sent to the Premier of Ontario, Ontario Minister of Health, local MPP, the Eastern Ontario Health Unit, all Ontario municipalities, and the Association of Municipalities of Ontario, seeking their endorsement and support.

CARRIED

Kind regards,

Ashley Sloan, AMP

Deputy Clerk



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June 25, 2021

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Honourable and Dear Sirs:

Re: Resolution – Capital Gains Tax on Primary Residence

Please be advised that, at its meeting of June 14, 2021, the Council of The Corporation of the City of Port Colborne resolved as follows:

That correspondence from the Town of Fort Erie regarding Capital Gains Tax on Primary Residence, be supported.

A copy of the above noted resolution is enclosed for your reference. Your favourable consideration of this request is respectfully requested.

Sincerely,

Amber LaPointe
City Clerk

ec: All Members of Parliament
All Members of Provincial Parliament
The Regional Municipality of Niagara
Ontario Municipalities



Community Services

Legislative Services

June 1, 2021
File #120203

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Honourable and Dear Sirs:

Re: Capital Gains Tax on Primary Residence

The Municipal Council of the Town of Fort Erie at its meeting of May 31, 2021 passed the following resolution:

Whereas primary residences are currently exempt from a capital gains tax, and

Whereas currently secondary and additional non-primary properties are subject to capital gains, and

Whereas the Federal Government is currently looking into a primary residence capital gains tax as they have recognized that affordable housing has become a serious issue in Canada, and

Whereas smaller communities including the Town of Fort Erie are seeing unprecedented higher selling prices that are outpacing prices in larger cities, and

Whereas many hard-working Canadians who have only a primary residence with no additional non-primary homes count on their home equity as financial aid to apply to upsizing or downsizing their home depending on their personal situation, and

Whereas a change in taxation to primary residences would be a significant financial blow to Canadians and would create an unfair, two-tiered taxation which could lead to depleted savings, inter-generational disparities, disparities among diverse groups such as seniors who may have a significant portion of their savings vested in their primary residence, as well as, reducing the ability of home ownership thereby a further, higher need for rentals, and

Whereas the Federal government could look at other means to slow down the rapidly escalating housing costs to improve housing affordability;

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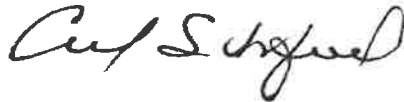
Now therefore be it resolved,

That: The Federal Government cease further consideration of eliminating capital gains tax exemptions on primary residences, and further

That: A copy of this resolution be circulated to The Right Honourable Justin Trudeau, The Honourable Doug Ford, Premier of Ontario, All Members of Parliament, All Members of Provincial Parliament, The Regional Municipality of Niagara, and all Municipalities, for their support.

Thank you for your attention to this matter.

Yours very truly,



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c.c. All Members of Parliament
All Members of Provincial Parliament
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From: SOLGENinput <SOLGENinput@ontario.ca>
Sent: June 25, 2021 3:24 PM
Subject: OPP Detachment Board Update
Attachments: OPP Detachment Boards _Qs & As June 2021.pdf

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Dear Heads of Council and First Nations Chiefs:

We are writing to provide an update on the proposal process for OPP detachment boards. We are pleased to report that we have received a majority of the proposals expected and are reviewing them to ensure that minimum requirements have been met and that all eligible communities have been engaged.

- If a proposal has already been submitted for your detachment, no further action is required from you at this time. We will be reaching out to specific communities where we have any questions or concerns and expect to be able to provide updates on the status of individual submissions later in July.
- If a proposal for your detachment is still being developed, please keep us updated on the expected submission date and let us know if we can assist.
- If your proposal is outstanding and you have not contacted us regarding the expected submission date, we ask that you do so as soon as possible.

We have developed some additional questions and answers related to detachment boards based on meetings and correspondence over the past weeks. These are attached for your reference.

Please contact Joanna Reading (Joanna.reading@ontario.ca) and Kiran Shahzad (Kiran.shahzad@ontario.ca) if you have any questions.

Q1: What are the powers/authority of the detachment board? What are the roles and responsibilities of board members?

A1:

- Under the *Community Safety and Policing Act, 2019* (CSPA), the OPP detachment boards are responsible for undertaking the following:
 - Consult with the Commissioner and otherwise participate in the selection of the detachment commander
 - Determine objectives and priorities for the detachment, not inconsistent with the strategic plan prepared by the Minister, after consultation with the detachment commander
 - Advise the detachment commander with respect to policing that is provided by the detachment
 - Monitor the performance of the detachment commander
 - Review reports from the detachment commander regarding policing that is provided by the detachment
 - Provide an annual report to the municipalities and band councils regarding policing provided
 - Consider any community safety and well-being plan adopted by a municipality or First Nation that receives policing from the detachment
- OPP detachment boards have the power (but are not required to) establish local policies with respect to policing in the detachment area, in consultation with the OPP Detachment Commander.
- The detachment commander is required to consult with the OPP detachment board when preparing or revising the Commander's local action plan for the detachment area.
- The Ministry is continuing work on additional guidance that may be shared on the role of board members, particularly provincial appointees.

Q2: What does this new structure mean for existing OPP police services boards ("section 10 boards") and Community Policing Advisory Committees (CPACs)?

A2:

- Under the new CSPA framework, there will no longer be a contract/non-contract structure for OPP policing of municipalities.
- Section 10 boards and CPACs will no longer have any statutory powers or duties once the CSPA comes into force, but they are not automatically dissolved. They may continue to exist temporarily (e.g., to deal with any matters required to be completed before dissolving). Likewise, section 10 agreements are not automatically terminated when the CSPA comes into force.

- OPP detachment boards and First Nation OPP boards will be the only form of board governance available to oversee policing provided by the OPP.
- If there are aspects of the existing board structure that work well, communities may choose to retain these elements as part of the new OPP detachment board.

Q3: Are CPACs permitted to continue after an OPP detachment board is formed?

A3:

- CPACs will no longer exist under the new legislative framework.
- Some groups may choose to continue to meet, however, they will not have statutory authority under the CSPA. Each detachment will still need to have an OPP board in place.
- Participating in a detachment board will give municipalities and First Nations a direct link to the Detachment Commander and roles in statute (see Q1).

Q4: What is the required composition of the OPP detachment board? Is there a maximum size before we should consider more than one board?

A4:

- The minimum requirements for board composition are as follows:
 - A minimum of 5 members;
 - Minimum of 20% community representation
 - 20% provincially appointed representation
- Each municipality or First Nation is guaranteed a minimum of one seat on the board. The participating councils may decide to allocate additional seats to specific municipalities or First Nations.
- The Ministry has not set a maximum board size. Board composition should be determined by local needs.
- If more than one board is being proposed for a single detachment, a rationale must be provided for the Ministry's consideration and review.

Q5: Is participation on a detachment board mandatory?

A5:

- Participation is not mandatory; however, each municipality and First Nation receiving policing services from the OPP should have an opportunity to represent their local perspectives, needs, and priorities. A municipality or First Nation may choose to not participate on a detachment board at any time; in this case their seat would not be included in the initial composition of the detachment board.

- The Act requires that there be an OPP detachment board for every detachment of the OPP, but it is not mandatory for every municipality or First Nation in the detachment area to participate on the detachment board. Regardless of whether a municipality or First Nation chooses to participate, the decisions made by the detachment board will affect the entire area for which the board is responsible.

Q6: What are the requirements for including provincial and community appointees, and how will they be reimbursed? Will the Ministry address current delays in making provincial appointments?

A6:

- As part of the Ministry's requirements, each board must include 20% provincially appointed representation and a minimum of 20% community representation. Boards may have more than 20% community representation if desired.
 - When calculating the numbers, you should round up or down to the nearest whole number (e.g., if 20% is 1.4 people, you may round down to one; if 20% is 1.5 people, you may round up to two).
- Detachment boards will be responsible for remuneration of provincial appointees and community representatives; minimum remuneration rates for provincial appointees will be prescribed in regulation.
- The Ministry will continue to work to minimize delays that have been experienced with the provincial appointments process in the past.
 - The proportion of provincial appointees for detachment boards required under the new framework is lower than the requirement for municipal boards or current section 10 boards.
 - Existing provincial appointees to section 10 boards will need to apply for appointment to a detachment board under the new framework.

Q7: What is the deadline for the submission and what are we required to submit?

A7:

- If you were not able to submit a proposal by the June 7, 2021 deadline, it does not mean the Ministry will impose a board structure on you.
- If you have not already provided the Ministry with an update on when you plan to submit your proposal, please do so as soon as possible.
- The online form does not require you to identify the names of the individuals participating on the board at this time. Basic information is required on board size and composition.

Q8: Who should be taking the lead to start proposal discussions?

A8:

- Any municipality or First Nation can take the lead to complete and submit the proposal on behalf of all eligible councils in the detachment area. To date, several municipal CAOs have taken on the task of connecting with other communities and submitting the proposal for the detachment board.
- If you are unsure which municipalities and First Nations receive policing from your OPP detachment, please contact your Detachment Commander or the Ministry.

Q9: How will the government ensure municipalities and First Nations are not left out of the proposal process?

A9:

- Part of the proposal process is that all the municipalities and First Nations in the detachment reach a consensus on the proposal.
- Should the Ministry receive a proposal that excludes some eligible communities, the Ministry will follow up to ensure everyone was included in the process.

Q10: Who must submit the proposal? Can there be more than one submission?

A10:

- The Ministry is requesting that wherever possible one form be submitted on behalf of all municipalities and First Nations in the detachment, including where more than one board is being proposed.
- The “lead” for submitting the proposal can be decided locally; however, there is no added responsibility for the lead beyond making the submission.
- All eligible communities within the detachment area must be in agreement with the proposal.
- In instances where one submission is not possible, please submit them separately and the Ministry will follow up as necessary to ensure all communities within the detachment are in agreement. If you require support, please let the Ministry know and we will work with you.

Q11: Is geographical distance a factor that can be considered in determining the number of boards needed in one detachment?

A11:

- Geography is a factor for consideration when creating your board, along with population size, the number of municipalities and First Nations in the detachment, policing demand, etc.
- The CSPA allows for more than one board per detachment.
- The Ministry will review proposals that include more than one board to ensure that multiple boards make sense for that detachment and that all communities are being considered in the overall proposal.
- Municipalities and First Nations that are proposing more than one board should also consider challenges associated with recruiting board members (e.g., inability to fill vacancies) and the costs associated with operating additional boards.

Q12: What if my detachment covers too many communities to propose just one board?

A12:

- The Ministry acknowledges that there are detachments with a large number of communities. In these cases, it is expected that more than one board may be proposed.

Q13: What happens if we cannot reach a consensus?

A13:

- The Ministry is available to support municipalities and First Nations who may be having trouble reaching a consensus on their proposal; however, ultimately the decision must be a local one.
- In cases where an acceptable proposal cannot be developed, the Ministry may determine the composition of the detachment board.

Q14: Who do I contact if one of the municipalities or First Nations in my detachment area is not listed in the online proposal form?

A14:

- If you do not see a municipality or First Nation on the online form that should be there, please contact Joanna Reading (Joanna.Reading@ontario.ca) or Kiran Shahzad (Kiran.Shahzad@ontario.ca) at the Ministry to check if it was missed and can be added to the form.

Q15: How can I review the proposal form questions before completing the form?

A15:

- You may enter answers in the form without submitting it in order to preview the questions; there is a link to download a PDF on the last page (preview page).
- A copy of the online proposal questions can also be obtained by contacting the Ministry.

Q16: We are currently working on our proposal; however, we have not heard back from all the municipalities and First Nations in our detachment. What can we do in this situation?

A16:

- The Ministry acknowledges this issue may arise and can provide assistance, as required, to prompt communities. Please raise any concerns to the Ministry as soon as possible by contacting Joanna Reading (Joanna.Reading@ontario.ca) or Kiran Shahzad (Kiran.Shahzad@ontario.ca).

Q17: Can a representative from an unincorporated area sit on the OPP detachment board?

A17:

- Yes, a representative from an unincorporated area can sit on the detachment board.
- Consideration should be given to how the representative will be selected and remunerated. However, this does not mean that detachments should not consider the wider community when determining representation on detachment boards and if desired, may appoint someone from an unincorporated area as a community representative.

Q18: Will the Ministry provide resources/funding related to board costs, including administration, remuneration and reimbursement of expenses, the transition to a detachment board, etc.?

A18:

- Costs will be the responsibility of municipalities within the detachment area and will depend on local decisions with respect to running the board.
- Costs related to First Nation participation will be a subject for future discussion.

Q19: Is training for detachment board members mandatory? Who will provide the training?

A19:

- Board members will be required to complete training with respect to the role of the board and member responsibilities prior to assuming duties on the board.
- Training is also required for Board members regarding (1) human rights and systemic racism; (2) the diverse, multiracial and multicultural character of Ontario society; and (3) the rights and cultures of First Nation, Inuit and Métis Peoples.
- This training must be completed after assuming board duties and within a period to be determined by regulation.

Q20: What are First Nation OPP Boards, and how can they be requested? Will First Nation OPP Boards have provincial appointees?

A20:

- First Nations who receive policing from the OPP, and have an agreement with the Ministry, can request a First Nation OPP Board.
- This board is similar to an OPP detachment board, but instead of jurisdiction over an entire detachment area, First Nation OPP Boards oversee policing provided by the OPP in a First Nation reserve or other specified area.
- First Nations have flexibility to determine the structure of a First Nation OPP Board. The request for a First Nation OPP Board must include the following for Minister's consideration:
 - (a) the area of responsibility for the proposed board
 - (b) the composition of the proposed board;
 - (c) the method of appointing members of the proposed board;
 - (d) the name of the proposed board; and
 - (e) the proposed term of office of members of the proposed board.
- For additional information please contact Elsbeth.Schokking@ontario.ca.

Q21: What does this mean for First Nations who do not have an agreement with the Ministry or whose agreement has expired? Will they be denied access to the First Nation OPP Board proposal process?

A21:

- In order to request a First Nation OPP Board, the First Nation community must have an agreement with the Ministry for the provision of policing by the OPP in place.

Q22: What does this new structure mean for existing boards or civilian governance structures for First Nation police services?

A22:

- OPP detachment boards do not have any oversight regarding the policing delivered by First Nation police services or First Nation Constables. They relate only to the policing provided by OPP officers.
- First Nation communities may continue to operate existing or new boards/civilian governance structures in relation to the policing they receive from First Nations Constables (i.e., by a self-administered police service or under the OFNPA).

Q23: Is it possible for First Nations receiving policing from the OPP to move from an OPP detachment board to a First Nation OPP Board?

A23:

- First Nations can opt out of a detachment board and opt into a First Nation OPP Board in the future if requested.
- The decision to request a First Nation OPP Board can be made at any time.

Q24: Do you have any updates on CSPA regulations, OPP Billing, consultations etc.?

A24:

- The Ministry is currently working on regulations that are required to bring the CSPA into force by early 2022. This includes developing the detachment board framework in conjunction with other relevant regulations.
- The new detachment board framework will not impact individual billing for municipalities. Under the CSPA, a new, separate contract process will be introduced for enhancements.
- The Ministry will continue to post CSPA matters on the regulatory registry for feedback.

Q25: Why are former OPP members not able to be on detachment boards?

A25:

- This restriction is in the CSPA and is consistent with those for municipal police service boards, in that former members of a police service cannot serve on a board governing that same service.
- This is a measure to avoid potential or perceived conflicts of interest.

Q26: Is there flexibility to evaluate/change the OPP detachment board composition in the future? If so, will the Ministry need to be involved?

A26:

- The Ministry acknowledges that changes to the composition may be desirable or required over time. Changes to the composition of OPP detachment boards will require amending regulations, which will require Ministry involvement.
 - Examples of why changes may be needed include, but are not limited to, transition of municipalities to OPP policing from another service provider, reversals of decisions to participate on the board and OPP detachment restructuring.

Q27: How will the OPP detachment board framework impact provincial grant programs currently in place?

A27:

- There are no changes anticipated to provincial grant programs at this time.
- The Ministry will consider any necessary changes/clarifications in relation to grant programs in alignment with the new framework.

Q28: What will happen to current enhancements within section 10 contracts?

A28:

- Municipalities that currently have enhancements may retain these services through an agreement with the OPP.
- The CSPA framework will continue to permit the option for enhancements.
- The OPP is developing a process for enhancement agreements.

Q29: What are the Ministry's expectations with respect to elected officials being on boards, and is this applicable to First Nations as well?

A29:

- Although not required, the Ministry is expecting that most municipalities and First Nations will be appointing a member from their Council to be on the board. This is consistent with municipal police service boards.
- Board representatives are expected to actively participate on the board, consistently attend meetings, and build knowledge of local issues and priorities over time.

Q30: Will OPP detachments provide the logistical support for boards?

A30:

- This will be a discussion for the board and the local OPP detachment, as their capacity to provide support will vary.
- Boards should consider arranging for their support independently or cooperatively through participating municipalities.

Q31: Does the OPP have direct input into the composition of the board?

A31:

- The OPP does not have direct input into the composition of the board. The board will be providing civilian advice and oversight with respect to policing provided by the local OPP detachment and commander.

Q32: Will there be oversight of detachment boards?

A32:

- The Inspector General (IG) is a new independent entity that will provide oversight for all police service boards. The IG is responsible for investigating board member misconduct as well as ensuring detachment boards' compliance with the CSPA and regulations.
- Complaints can be made to the IG regarding the conduct of detachment board members, the failure of a detachment board to comply with the CSPA or regulations or a policy of an OPP detachment board.

Q33: Has any thought been given to implementing this later, i.e., in 2023 after municipal elections?

A33:

- The Ministry will work to provide transitional time for regulations.

Q34: When can we expect to hear whether our proposal has been accepted?

A34:

- The Ministry will be reviewing submissions over the coming weeks and will follow up with communities where it has questions about specific proposals.
- An update on next steps will be provided when the review and approval process has been completed.

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From: Chicken Farmers of Ontario <communications@ontariochicken.ca>
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Subject: Nominate a Frontline Worker to Win a Chicken Donation & Dinner from Chicken Farmers of Ontario

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Chicken Farmers of Ontario (CFO) invites Mayors and Council Members, to nominate a frontline worker in your community today!

Please click the button below to nominate a frontline worker.

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The CFO Cares **“Feeding the Frontline”** campaign is our way of thanking and recognizing Ontario’s frontline workers that continue to deliver essential goods and services – helping to keep Ontarians safe, healthy, and fed. Through the campaign, CFO will award 15 frontline workers with a chicken dinner for them and their family, and the option to direct a substantial donation of chicken to a local food bank or organization of their choice.*

Nominations will close on July 23, 2021. Winners will be selected by random draw in late July.

CFO is Canada’s premier provider of trusted, family-farmed, safe, high quality, nutritious chicken.

CFO's farmers are passionate about giving back to our local communities and contribute over one million nutritious chicken meals to food banks yearly through the CFO Cares: Farmers to Food Banks program.

Since 2015, CFO Cares: Farmers to Food Banks has provided over five million fresh, locally-grown chicken meals to community food banks across the province. The COVID-19 pandemic continues to challenge Ontario families, routines and local businesses, and has dramatically increased the number of Ontarians facing food insecurity. Ontario's chicken farmers are committed to tackling food insecurity in our communities by giving back in the best way we know; with the chicken we grow.

For more information, and full contest rules, please visit ontariochicken.ca/feedingthefrontline and follow along on Twitter [@OntarioChicken](https://twitter.com/OntarioChicken) #FeedingtheFrontline.

If you have any questions, please contact Kory Preston, CFO's Manager of Public Affairs at kory.preston@ontariochicken.ca.

Thank you for your consideration and we look forward to your nomination of a frontline worker in your community.

Regards,

Chicken Farmers of Ontario

**Chicken dinner may not exceed a value of \$150 and CFO retains the right to adjust the value and/or limit the number of persons included. The selected local food bank, organization, or establishment must meet public health food handling standards and be able to logistically accept the donation.*



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Ontario Chicken Farmers are **FEEDING THE FRONTLINE!**

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June 28, 2021

AMO Policy Update – Community Paramedicine, Transportation Investments for Small and Rural Communities, and Pathway Immigration Program

Joint Community Paramedicine Policy Framework

AMO and the Ontario Association of Paramedic Chiefs (OAPC) have today submitted our [joint Community Paramedic Policy Framework](#) to the Honourable Christine Elliott, the Minister of Health, and the Honourable Rod Phillips, Minister of Long-Term Care, for their consideration and action. Both the AMO and OAPC Boards had reviewed and approved the CP Policy Framework.

AMO and the OPAC developed this paper over the last few months to set out the immediate and future requirements to successfully develop a community paramedicine system in Ontario. We are looking forward to working with the Ministries of Health and Long-Term Care as valued partners along with Ontario Health to make a community paramedicine system in Ontario a reality.

Our primary ask is for the Ministries of Health and Long-Term Care to establish a working group with us, and the City of Toronto, in order to develop an agreed upon Community Paramedicine policy framework that could start to be implemented, by enabling legislation, by Fall 2022.

We expect to have an opportunity to present the CP Policy Framework to the Ministers soon and there will be a Community Paramedicine concurrent session at the AMO conference on Tuesday, August 17th.

Ontario Extends Transportation Investments for Small and Rural Communities

The Ontario government is extending funding of up to \$14 million over two years for communities providing transportation services in unserved and underserved regions across Ontario through the [Community Transportation Grant Program](#).

Additional funding will help assist transportation services in 38 communities across the province have additional time to fully establish their transportation services as they recover from the COVID-19 pandemic and build transportation services up to a sustainable level. This will better position municipalities to continue operating after the program has completed.

This program is currently providing up to \$30 million over five years (2018-2023) to 38 municipalities to deliver [43 projects](#). This includes several municipal governments who are partnering with or serving Indigenous communities and organizations. Today's announcement will extend support for transportation services including bus service, on-demand shared rides and door-to-door transportation services supported by the program for two additional years.

Temporary Resident to Permanent Resident Pathway Immigration Program

The [Temporary Resident to Permanent Resident Pathway](#) is accepting applications until November 5th, 2021. The program offers a faster pathway to permanent residency to foreign nationals in Canada in the following categories:

- workers in Canada in health care (Stream A) and essential non-health care (Stream B)
- French-speaking workers in Canada in health care (Stream A) and essential non-health care (Stream B)
- French-speaking international graduates.

The program will accept up to 20,000 applications for temporary foreign workers in healthcare, and 30,000 applications in eligible non-health care essential occupations. Applications for French-speaking or bilingual candidates are not limited by a quota.

The application period ends on November 5th, 2021 or until application quotas have been filled, whichever comes first. The federal government has provided a [self-assessment tool](#) for potential applicants, as well as a [guide](#) through the application process.

AMO welcomes this expedited pathway to permanent residency. Many regions in Ontario, especially in rural and northern areas, would benefit from the addition of health care workers and other non-health care essential personnel to help address local labour shortages and aid workforce development.

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son Rapport annuel aujourd'hui**



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June 29, 2021

I am pleased to let you know that today I released my latest Annual Report, covering the 2020-2021 fiscal year.

You can find the entire report, media materials, backgrounders, and statistics on our website here: <https://www.ombudsman.on.ca/resources/reports-and-case-summaries/annual-reports>

We encourage you to read the chapters of the report that relate to the topic areas relevant to your interests. In each chapter, we discuss the most common issues and the types of cases we have resolved across the province. Please feel free to share this information with any interested colleagues and stakeholders.

We will also be happy to provide hard copies upon request, although we ask that you bear with us, as our usual printing and mailing process has been delayed due to the pandemic.

Should you have any questions about the report or cases related to your organization, please do not hesitate to contact us. We are also happy to assist you with any general questions about our work. You can reach our staff at info@ombudsman.on.ca.

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Subject: Primary Residences
Attachments: Letter to The Honourable Justin Trudeau, Prime Minister, regarding Capital Gains Tax exemptions on Primary Residences.pdf

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Greetings Prime Minister,

I respectfully attach for your consideration, correspondence with respect to a resolution by Frontenac County Council regarding its support for the Town of Fort Erie Resolution regarding Capital Gains Tax exemptions on Primary Residences.

Please do not hesitate to contact me should you have any questions or concerns.

Best regards,

Jannette Amini, Dipl.M.A., M.M., CMO, AOMC

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I trust you will find this in order; however should you have any questions or concerns, please do not hesitate to contact me at 613-548-9400, ext. 302 or via email at jamini@frontenacounty.ca.

Yours Truly,



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APPROVED 3 MONTH SHORT-TERM FOREST MANAGEMENT PLAN EXTENSION FOR THE OTTAWA VALLEY FOREST 2011-2021 FOREST MANAGEMENT PLAN

The Ontario **Ministry of Natural Resources and Forestry (MNRF)**, **Ottawa Valley Forest Inc. (OVFI)** and the **Ottawa Valley Local Citizens' Advisory Committee (LCAC)** would like to advise you that the 3 month short-term Forest Management Plan (FMP) extension of the approved 2011 – 2021 FMP for the **Ottawa Valley Forest** has been approved by the Regional Director.

This FMP extension extends the period of the current FMP to September 30th, 2021.

How to Access the Approved FMP Extension

The FMP extension is available electronically at the following locations:

- on the Natural Resources Information Portal – <https://nrip.mnr.gov.on.ca/s/fmp-online>
- by contacting the OVFI office; Nick Gooderham at: ngooderham@ovfi.ca during normal office hours.



Interested and affected persons and organizations can arrange a remote meeting with MNRF staff to discuss the approved FMP extension.

For further information, contact:

MNRF Contact

Krista Watters, R.P.F
Management Forester
krista.watters@ontario.ca

OVFI Contact


Nick Gooderham, R.P.F
Plan Author
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613-735-1888, ext. 201

LCAC Contact

Robin Cunningham
Ottawa Valley Local Citizens'
Advisory Committee
rcunning@bell.net

The Ministry of Natural Resources and Forestry (MNRF) is collecting your personal information and comments under the authority provided by the Forest Management Planning Manual, 2020 approved by regulation under Section 68 of the *Crown Forest Sustainability Act*, 1994. Any personal information you provide (home and/or email address, name, telephone number, etc.) may be used and shared between MNRF and/or the sustainable forest licensee to contact you regarding comments submitted. Your comments will become part of the public consultation process and may be shared with the general public. Your personal information may also be used by the MNRF to send you further information related to this forest management planning exercise. If you have questions about the use of your personal information, please contact Shari MacDonald by e-mail: shari.macdonald@ontario.ca

Renseignements en français : Elizabeth Holmes au tél: 613-302-3768 courriel: elizabeth.holmes@ontario.ca.

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Thank you For sending
me such an awesome gift,
This will ~~be~~^{become} handy when
it's time to buy textbooks
and dorm items

Thank you,

Sincerely, meakhi Olivier



Dear town of Mattawa,

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THANK YOU

Thank you for your generous gift at graduation this year. I will be using the money for books and tuition next year at Queens University.

Emma Dupuis

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June 30, 2021

Your Worship
Mayor Randall McLaren
Township of Bonfield

Dear Mayor McLaren,

Thank you for your application to the second intake of the **Municipal Modernization Program** and for your commitment to delivering modern, efficient services that are financially sustainable.

Under the third-party review stream, I am pleased to inform you that the Ford government will provide funding of up to \$80,000 towards:

- Joint Shared Services Assessment for Towns and Townships in and around Nipissing District

All funding is for the cost of an independent third-party reviewer to deliver a final report with specific and actionable recommendations for cost-savings and efficiencies by November 30, 2021.

In 2019, the Ford government launched the MMP to help small and rural municipalities modernize service delivery and identify new ways to be more efficient and effective. The impacts of the COVID-19 outbreak have made this work more important than ever. The projects selected for funding under the second intake of the Municipal Modernization Program will further support municipalities' efforts to implement efficiencies, with a focus on digital modernization, service integration, streamlining development approvals and alternative service delivery.

I understand how important this work will be to your community. To help you get started, an interim payment will be issued following execution of a transfer payment agreement. Ministry staff will forward instructions and a transfer payment agreement for each approved project in the coming days and will work with you to have it finalized. If you have questions, please contact your municipal advisor, or email municipal.programs@ontario.ca.

I would like to offer my congratulations on this funding approval and extend my best wishes as you work to improve service delivery and administrative efficiency in your municipality.

Sincerely,



Steve Clark
Minister

- c. Peter Johnston, CAO/Clerk, Township of Bonfield
- Diane Francoeur, Deputy Clerk/Treasurer, Township of Bonfield
- The Honourable Victor Fedeli, MPP, Nipissing
- Ian Pennell, Mayor, Municipality of Calvin
- Cindy Pigeau, Clerk/Treasurer, Municipality of Calvin
- Robb Noon, Mayor, Municipality of Callander
- Ashley Bilodeau, CAO, Municipality of Callander
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July 7, 2021

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**RE: INVESTING IN CANADA INFRASTRUCTURE PROGRAM (ICIP)
RURAL & NORTHERN FUNDING STREAM
CASE NUMBER 2019-04-1-1320420947**

**SUBJECT: POTENTIAL BUDGET AND SCHEDULE EXCEEDANCE
DORION ROAD HILL RECONSTRUCTION, TOWN OF MATTAWA**

Dear Ms. Danos and Ms. Hamilton:

This is firstly to acknowledge and thank you on behalf of the Town of Mattawa for your Notification of Funding Approval dated April 23, 2020 (copy attached).

We are currently advancing Engineering Design and Technical Support Studies including Schedule B Class Environmental Assessment required to call a tender in February 2022 with the objective of completing all construction works and project close-out by the end of December 2024.

As part of the project work plan our Engineers are regularly monitoring and updating construction cost estimates and project schedule. Whilst we are currently on schedule as at 60% design completion, our Engineers are currently projecting a budget overrun in the order of \$825,770 plus HST. This overrun is entirely due to Covid 19 impact on costs.

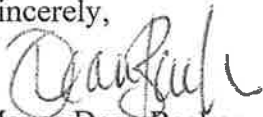
We are cognizant of the pre-Covid guidelines that all amounts in excess of eligible costs including any budget increases and overruns will be funded by the recipient. The Town is not in a financial position to absorb these costs; which is why we are monitoring the budget so closely.

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This letter is to request your disposition and support for extending the funding envelope in accordance with current contribution levels (60% Federal/33.33% Provincial/6.67% Municipality) in order that the Dorion Road Hill Reconstruction Project can be completed.

Your consideration of this request is appreciated; I await your response.

Sincerely,



Mayor Dean Backer

- c.c. - Town Council
- J. Hunton, MCIP, RPP, Sr. Vice President
Jp2g Consultants Inc.

Attachment 1 Ontario Notification of Funding Approval April 23, 2020

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April 23, 2020

Case Number 2019-04-1-1320420947

Town of Mattawa
Raymond Belanger, CAO / Treasurer
Raymond.belanger@mattawa.ca

Dear Raymond Belanger,

Re: Investing in Canada Infrastructure Program (ICIP) – Rural and Northern Funding Stream

On behalf of the Ministry of Infrastructure and the Ministry of Agriculture, Food and Rural Affairs, we are pleased to inform you that the federal review of your project under the ICIP Rural and Northern stream is now complete and that the Reconstruction of Dorion Road Hill project has been approved for funding.

Provided that the Town of Mattawa enters into a Transfer Payment Agreement (TPA), and subject to the terms and conditions of the same, the recipient is eligible to receive funding up to the following amounts:

Federal Contribution	\$2,870,400.00
Provincial Contribution	\$1,594,507.20
Total Funding Provided	\$4,464,907.20

Eligible costs incurred on and after April 20, 2020 will be eligible for provincial reimbursement. Please note that until a TPA is executed, the province will not be under any obligation to fund project costs.

The TPA will follow shortly and will outline the terms and conditions of funding, including:

- The maximum funding that will be provided. The TPA will provide the per cent funding allowed both federally and provincially to the maximum contribution amounts noted above. Under this program, costs are reimbursed typically after they are incurred and paid by the recipient. This means that you will need to have an alternative source of funding to cover eligible costs prior to review and reimbursement by the Province.
- No claims will be reimbursed and construction/site preparation cannot start prior to notification from Canada, in writing, that it is satisfied the project has met any potential Environmental Assessment and Aboriginal Consultation requirements.
- The recipient acknowledges it will fund all amounts in excess of eligible costs, including any budget increases and cost overruns, as well as any operation and maintenance costs associated with the project.
- Only costs associated with contracts that are entered into after the approval date noted above through a transparent, competitive process that ensures the best value for money are eligible.

If you procured goods or services through alternative means, please contact the email address or telephone number provided below immediately to discuss further.

- The project scope, as determined based on discussions between your staff, provincial staff, and federal officials. Please note, in some cases project descriptions have been revised to align the applications to the program criteria and remove ineligible items. This includes removal of any underground infrastructure that may have been included in the original application.
- The recipient will ensure all regulatory approvals are in place and will consult with Indigenous peoples on the project.
- The recipient will ensure all reporting requirements are met. Note that some reporting requirements may be required before claims will be processed.
- Due to agreements between the federal and provincial governments, this funding decision is to be kept confidential and cannot be not shared in any public forums (except for your municipal council) or communicated to the media. Canada and/or Ontario will contact your community to arrange joint public communication regarding the funding of your community's project.

Once the TPA is received, please review the document carefully. If changes are required, these should be made before the agreement is executed.

If you have any questions, please contact program staff via the call centre at 1-877-424-1300 or via email ICIPRural@ontario.ca.

We look forward to working with you as you implement this project.

Sincerely,

Julia Danos
Director, Intergovernmental Policy Branch
Ministry of Infrastructure

Carolyn Hamilton
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June 29, 2021

Via Email: scott@baseballhalloffame.ca

Scott Crawford, Director of Operation
Canadian Baseball Hall of Fame & Museum
PO Box 1838, 386 Church St. S.
St. Marys, ON N4X 1C2

**Re: Support for the Induction of the Coloured All-Stars into the
Canadian Baseball Hall of Fame**

Please be advised the Council of the Municipality of Chatham-Kent at its regular meeting held on June 14, 2021 passed the following resolution:

"Whereas The Chatham Coloured All-Stars first formed in 1932, with majority of the players being from North Buxton, Chatham and Windsor areas;

And Whereas they began competing in the Chatham City League in 1932;

And Whereas they broke colour barriers being the first black team to win a major championship competing for and winning the Ontario Baseball Amateur Association's Intermediate B Championship on October 24, 1934;

And Whereas the team was honoured by both the Chatham Sports Hall of Fame and the Ontario Baseball Hall of Fame;

And Whereas in 2001 and 2002, the Toronto Blue Jays wore replica Chatham Coloured All-Stars uniforms in honour of the team when Major League Baseball honoured the Negro Leagues.

Be it therefore resolved that the Municipality of Chatham-Kent endorse this resolution to support the induction of the Coloured All-Stars into the Canadian Baseball Hall of Fame".

If you have any questions or comments, please contact Judy Smith at ckclerk@chatham-kent.ca

Sincerely,



Judy Smith, CMO
Director Municipal Governance
Clerk /Freedom of Information Coordinator

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Info

From: Ryan Doyle <ryanddd123@hotmail.com>
Sent: Monday, July 05, 2021 4:30 AM
To: Info
Subject: *****-Bullying Elimination Week Proclamation. Hosted by: Canadian Bullying Elimination Author Ryan Doyle-*****
Attachments: Bullying Elimination Day (2).pdf

Attention Mayor Dean Backer!

My name is *Ryan Doyle*. I'm a *Canadian Author* of an anti-bullying book entitled "*Tears of Loneliness*" which is a partial memoir that chronicles my personal experiences involving bullying on a grade-by-grade basis. The remaining sections of "*Tears of Loneliness*" are tremendously helpful for victims of bullying as well as their family and friends.

I have made several news appearances to promote my book, but mainly to raise awareness about bullying, and to shed light on the fact that bullying must be eliminated from society at all costs. Now more than ever this country needs unity. It is my mission to proclaim *September 20th-26th 2021 "Bullying Elimination Week"*.

On the dawn of my *28th birthday* on *Wednesday, March, 18th, 2015*, I saved my mother's life. She went into cardiac arrest and I used *CPR* to save her with the help of my father. She made a full recovery. I was presented with the "*2015 City of Oshawa Heroism Award*" for saving her life. I would like to declare *September 20th-27th, 2021 "Bullying Elimination Week"*.

I'm confident that you will help me turn my mission into an inspirational reality. I need your help to make this happen. You're an excellent *Mayor*. I trust that you will assist me with this matter of urgency. You continue to go above and beyond for *Canadians*.

Thank you for your time,

Cordially,

Ryan Doyle

News Appearances:

["International Bullying Elimination Day". Hosted By: Ryan Doyle. Author of "Tears of Loneliness: The Angel Within". - "International Bullying Elimination Day" | iHeartRadio](#)

<https://www.thestar.com/news/canada/2021/02/24/standing-up-against-bullying.html>

<https://globalnews.ca/video/3876224/bullying-survivor-speaks-out>



PROCLAMATION

The Council of
The Corporation of the Town of Whitby
Hereby Proclaims

May 28th, 2021

as

Bullying Elimination Day

In the Town of Whitby
Dated this 29th day of April, 2021

Don Mitchell

Mayor Don Mitchell



Town of Whitby
Office of the Town Clerk
575 Rossland Road East, Whitby, ON L1N 2M8
www.whitby.ca

April 28, 2021

Ryan Doyle
158 Elizabeth Street
Oshawa, ON L1J 8L9

Re: Proclamation – May 28th, 2021 – Bullying Elimination Day

Further to your request for a proclamation in the Town of Whitby, please be advised that at the Council Meeting on April 26th, 2021 and per Resolution # 89-21 the Council of the Town of Whitby endorsed the following:

That the proclamation for Bullying Elimination Day on May 28th, 2021 be endorsed.

Should you require further information, please do not hesitate to contact the Office of the Town Clerk at 905-430-4315.

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read "Kevin Narraway".

Kevin Narraway
Manager of Legislative Services/Deputy Clerk

Enclosed: Proclamation Certificate



AFFORDABLE SENIOR HOUSING COMMITTEE

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MEETING AGENDA

DATE: WEDNESDAY, JULY 7TH, 2021

TIME: 4:00 P.M.

LOCATION: S. F. Monestime Municipal Council Chambers
Teleconference Number: 1-833-311-4101
Access code: 146 740 2750

1. Site Visit – 231 Tenth Street
The meeting will begin with a site visit and the Committee will return to 160 Water Street, Dr. S. F. Monestime Council Chambers, for the remainder of the meeting.
2. Call to Order
3. Adoption of Minutes
4. Update from Descon Construction
 - 4.1 Appliances Selected for Units – Update
5. New Business
6. Next Steps
7. Adjourn Meeting (Next Meeting Date Wednesday, August 4th, 2021)



AFFORDABLE SENIOR HOUSING COMMITTEE

The minutes of the committee meeting of the Affordable Senior Housing Committee held Wednesday, June 2nd, 2021 at 4:00 p.m. via videoconference due to the COVID-19 pandemic. The meeting was also available via teleconference.

Members Present: Francine Desormeau, CAO/Treasurer
Garry Thibert, Chair, Councillor of Town of Mattawa
Vala Monestime Belter, Member at Large
Eleanor Humphrey, Member at Large
Noella Burke, Member at Large
Amy Leclerc, Clerk/Revenue Services Clerk

Development Team: John Demeis, Descon Construction Ltd
David Butler, Descon Construction Ltd

Members Absent: Loren Mick, Councillor of Town of Mattawa
Laura Ross, Councillor of Town of Mattawa

1. Call to Order

Chair Thibert called the meeting to order and welcomed everyone to the meeting.

2. Welcome New Committee Member

New member Noella Burke was welcomed to the Committee by Chair Thibert.

3. Adoption of Minutes

Resolution Number ASH20-13
Moved by Vala Monestime-Belter
Seconded by Eleanor Humphrey

BE IT RESOLVED THAT the minutes of the Affordable Senior Housing Meeting of Wednesday, May 5th, 2021 be adopted as circulated.

Carried

4. Progress Update on Construction

Mr. Demeis of Descon Construction provided the committee with an update on the construction to date. The abatement has been completed in the entire building which took longer than expected.

Some demolition is not completed in south area of building due to waiting for structural engineer for shoring plan. Remaining demolition on schedule with plumbing below grade finished.

Need to push date of completion due to COVID-19 restrictions. Unable to obtain certain finishes until later date which are out of the normal situation. Cannot close walls in units until bathtubs are received, estimated 20-22 weeks for delivery. Kitchen cabinets are mid-October delivery.

Layout in all units done in most cost effective way.

5. Draft Site Plan – Landscaping/Parking Lot Layout

Drawings were provided to the Committee. Site plans look good, will have places to site and gazebo. Designated areas for smoking, gardening area and planter boxes for residents.

Fencing in front of building will be removed and have more open feel. Fencing to remain in back of building with garbage bins.

Parking lots with 30 spots for residents. Will have visitor parking of 5 or 6 spaces available.

6. Building Rendering Mockup for Signage

Renderings were provided for comment to the committee. Front view of building on rendering. Will be placed for citizens to view on far righthand side of driveway.

Committee asked to have some minor changes to sign. Remove rocks from tree area on rendering and remove bush area, keep open concept.

7. Question & Answer Fact Sheet

Fact Sheet was reviewed several times with all changes completed to date. Would like to get out as soon as possible for residents.

Will be placing on Town of Mattawa website and over social media platform and Mattawa App.

Thanked Mr. Butler for completed the document for staff.

8. Fundraising Initiatives

Mr. Harriman will set up a meeting with Bonfield Committee on fundraising. Chair Thibert and Councillor Mick will participate and update committee once meeting takes place.

9. Schedule Site Visit

Committee members would like site visit. Mr. Demeis advised would be no problem can get his team members involved. Do staggered approach if required.

Site visit would be good if can do for next scheduled meeting of Wednesday, July 7th, 2021. Mr. Demeis would be able to schedule that date and will have measures in place for that date.

For this site visit no members of the community will be invited just the committee members and an invitation to Members of Council.

10. Next Steps

Mr. Demeis will have building prepared for site visit and will circulate what is required for the site visit.

Mr. Butler will finish working on the Question & Answer Fact Sheet and submit to Francine for final approval and release.

Mr. Harriman to schedule fundraising meeting.

11. Adjourn Meeting (Next Meeting Date Wednesday, July 7th, 2021)

Resolution Number ASH20-14

Moved by Noella Burke

Seconded by Vala Monestime-Belter

BE IT RESOLVED THAT the Affordable Senior Housing Committee adjourn the meeting at 5:25 p.m.

Carried

Chair

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Francine Desormeau

From: jfelice@descongroup.com
Sent: June 10, 2021 12:27 PM
To: Francine Desormeau
Cc: 'Scott Priolo'; 'John Demeis'
Subject: FW: Mattawa Appliances

*please include
for next committee
meeting*

Hi Francine,

Unfortunately, I believe there was a bit of a misunderstanding with respect to the appliances. The cut sheets were being sent just for confirmation purposes.

I had Scott send the cut sheets just for you to confirm that the five barrier free units would receive the ranges with the front controls, this was in case you wanted to change to a standard range for the 5 barrier free units. The ranges with front control were only budgeted for the 5 barrier free units since there would be a significant cost to provide these front control ranges for the other 25 units.

Also, the fridges with the bottom freezer are substantially more expensive than the standard fridge with top freezer that we had budgeted for and switching to a model with a bottom freezer would add a significant cost to provide since they are more expensive and we would not have the same volume discounts.

We have received a significant volume discount for these appliance models due to being able to bundle your project with other current projects. This has allowed us to upgrade to Stainless Steel Appliances from the regular white appliances that were budgeted for and with no additional cost to our client's projects.

Please let us know if you have any questions or need any further information.

Sorry for the confusion.

Jeff Felice
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From: Scott Priolo [<mailto:spriolo@descongroup.com>]
Sent: Monday, June 07, 2021 3:39 PM
To: 'john@descongroup.com' <john@descongroup.com>
Subject: FW: Mattawa Appliances

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From: Scott Priolo [<mailto:spriolo@descongroup.com>]
Sent: Wednesday, May 26, 2021 10:44 AM
To: 'john@descongroup.com' <john@descongroup.com>

Cc: 'jfelice@descongroup.com' <jfelice@descongroup.com>; 'shelley@descongroup.com' <shelley@descongroup.com>
Subject: Mattawa Appliances

Hi John and Jeff,

Francine and her committee have requested the bottom freezer and all units to have ranges with front control. Please advise how you wish to proceed.

Regards,

Scott Priolo
Project Manager
Descon Construction Ltd
321-101 Worthington St E
North Bay, On, P1B1G5
Wk: 7054728749 #18
Fx: 7054726214
Cell: 7054921212

DATE: JULY 7, 2021
PROJECT: MATTAWA AFFORDABLE SENIORS HOUSING

SITE WALK-THROUGH GUIDELINES

Descon Construction Ltd has prepared a construction site walk-through for all interested stakeholders of the project. We are required to follow COVID-19 Protocols for this walk-through as per the Reopening Ontario (A flexible Response to COVID-19) Act, 2020. Currently we are in Phase 2 of the re-opening and we remain limited to the amount of people allowed inside buildings. We have provided the following procedures for our walk-through to ensure everyone's safety.

SITE WALK-THROUGH PROCEDURES – All construction work will stop during the walk-through. All people attending are asked to wear a mask and use hand sanitizer prior to entering the construction site. All visitors must wear appropriate Personal Protective Equipment (PPE) while on site including:

1. Hard hats (if you do not have one a spare hat will be provided).
2. No open toed shoes are permitted.
3. No high heel shoes are permitted.

COVID INDOOR PROTOCOL

The indoor walk-through will be limited to groups of 5 people at a time including their guide. Social distancing of 2m is to be maintained. Guides will ensure proper PPE is worn and COVID protocols are being adhered to. Visitors are requested to be cautious when on site and watch your footing when walking. Please refrain from touching walls or any other construction obstacles during the walk-through.

Each group will proceed separately through the various wings of the building and will start at the front entrance of the building (South Wing) then proceed through from the West Wing to the North Wing then to the East where they will exit the building into the rear parking area. Groups will then proceed across the parking lot back to the main entrance where any final questions and discussion may occur under the canopy by the main entrance.

COVID EXTERIOR PROTOCOL

A maximum group of 25 people are permitted to gather outside, and masks are encouraged to be worn. When possible, please continue to practice social distancing outdoors.

Thank you and enjoy your walk-through!

Amy Leclerc

From: john@descongroup.com
Sent: July 6, 2021 2:53 PM
To: Francine Desormeau
Cc: Amy Leclerc
Subject: FW: Mattawa- Follow-up on Requests
Attachments: 2031_Mattawa Senior's Residence_Front-Render_01.07.2021-smallerfilesize.jpg; 2031_Mattawa Senior's Residence_Site-Plan_01.07.2021.jpg

Hi Fran,

Attached are renderings provided last meeting with some minor modifications based on input from the committee:

1. Site Plan - added 8 parking spaces near the front entrance
2. Signage Rendering – Removed rock garden on the front island, added grass, added a few benches and put the existing tree back in place.

There isn't really any new decisions to be made by the committee other than as discussed at prior meeting to come up with what they want the sign to say (e.g. future home of...; opening soon...; The Mattawa Seniors Residence Residence..., etc.)

I will bring a larger print out that we could briefly review/discuss again and markup possible ideas tomorrow at the onsite walk-through.

Regards,

John Demeis
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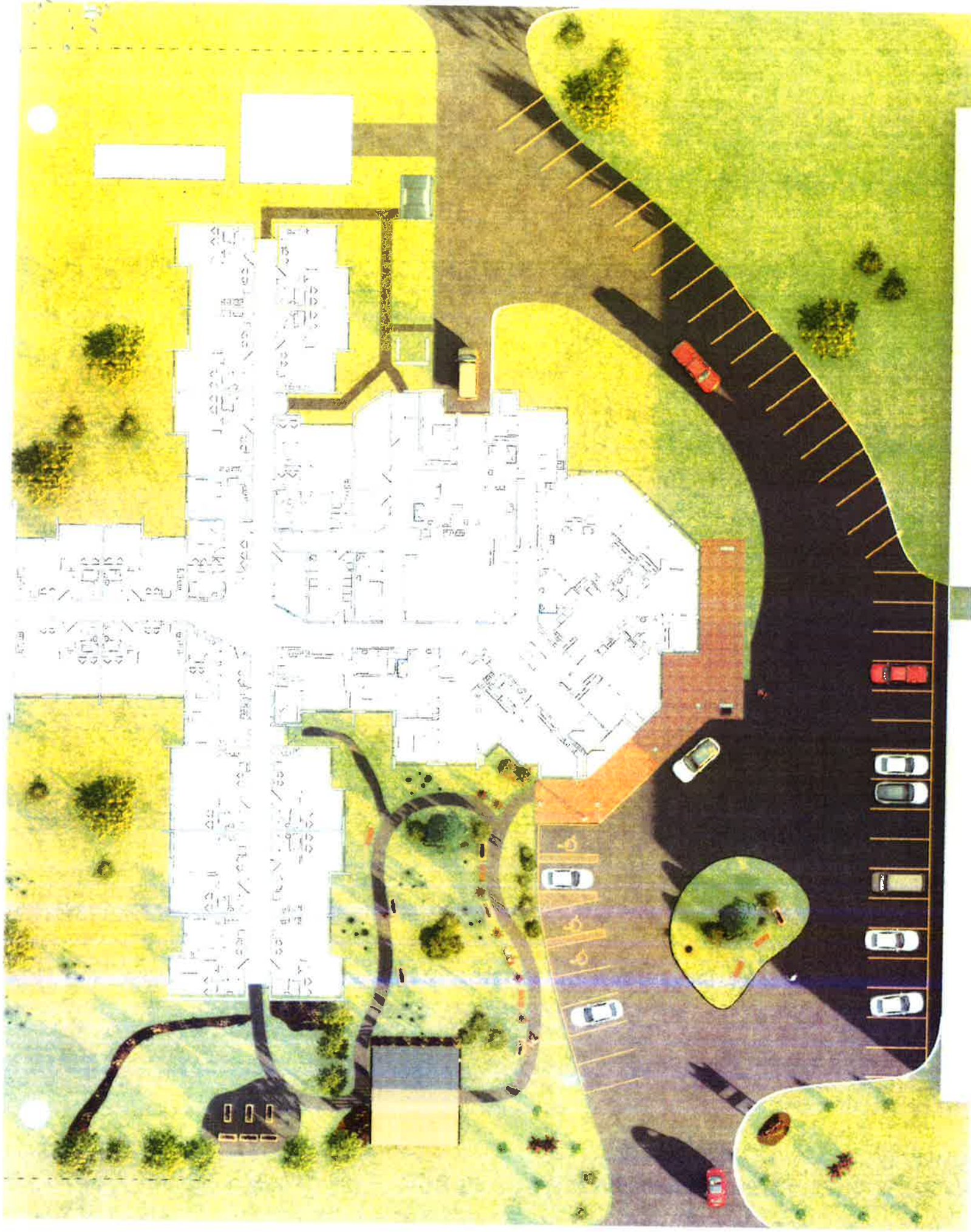
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July 6, 2021

Honorable Doug Ford
Premier of Ontario

Sent via email to: premier@ontario.ca

Honorable Stephen Lecce
Minister of Education

Sent via email to: minister.edu@ontario.ca

Honorable Caroline Mulroney
Minister of Transport

Sent via email to: minister.mto@ontario.ca

Re: Williams Point Road and Beacock Road School Bus Turnarounds

Please be advised that at the last regular meeting of the Council of the Township of Scugog held June 28 2021, the above captioned matter was discussed and the following resolution was passed:

That Report PWIS-2021-022, Williams Point Road and Beacock Road School Bus Turnarounds, be received;


That Council request the Durham Student Transportation Services to consider the previous motion of Council of April 26, 2021, and request that the policies to allow 3-point turns or backing up where necessary, to provide safer service to dead-end and private road children and prevent the need for additional turnarounds to be constructed on Township of Scugog roads; and

That Council request the Province of Ontario to consider the previous motion of Council and request that the policies to allow 3-point turns or backing up where necessary, to provide safer service to dead-end and private road children and prevent the need for additional turnarounds to be constructed on municipal roads; and

THAT a copy of this motion and the staff report be forwarded to Premier Doug Ford, Honorable Stephen Lecce (Minister of Education), Honorable Caroline Mulroney (Minister of Transport), Durham Student Transportation Services, Durham District School Board, Durham MPP Lindsey Park, Haliburton-Kawartha Lakes-Brock MPP Laurie Scott, all Durham MPPs, Durham Region, all Ontario Municipalities, Rural Ontario Municipal Association (ROMA), Ontario Good Roads Association (OGRA), and Association of Municipalities of Ontario (AMO)."

Should you require anything further regarding this matter, please do not hesitate to contact Carol Coleman, Director of Public Works and Infrastructure at 905-985-7346 ext. 149.

Yours truly,



Becky Jamieson
Director of Corporate Services/Municipal Clerk

Attachments

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April 28, 2021

Minister Stephen Lecce
Minister of Education
Sent via email to: minister.edu@ontario.ca

Re: Bus Stops on Dead End Roads

Dear Minister:

At the last regular Council meeting of the Township of Scugog held April 26, 2021, the above captioned matter was discussed and I wish to advise that the following resolution was passed:

That Dead-End Road delegations be received: from parents, [video](#), site www.durhamdeadendroadkids.ca and attached correspondence and;

Whereas Dead-End Road kids (cul-de-sacs, private roads) busing being moved from long-time residential to highspeed (some 80km) common stop pickups; percentage of 830,000 Ontario bused students impacted as Student Transportation Services (STS) citing buses shouldn't access private roads, do 3-point-turns, or back up; kids expected to walk 1-2km twice daily (caregivers 4x) in morning dark, on narrow road shoulders, with no "bus stop ahead" warning signage;

Whereas Parents report employment/housing at risk. Must leave work to drop off/pick up children to avoid safety hazards of kids walking on highways unsupervised; secondary school youth reporting education at risk as missing class/affecting grades; children with disabilities not helped like double amputee who needs stop moved 160ft; parents told it's their "responsibility to get kids to bus safely";

Whereas Parents being told busing policy is schoolboard's, but they say it's STS's, who say it's Governance Committee or Ministry of Transportation, but Ministry of Education say it's "transportation consortia who administer policy"; and trustee, governance say cannot change policies, so parents appealing to police, press, & councils re dangers then; oncoming car killed 12-yr-old Cormac and injured sister while waiting at newly relocated bus stop at the base of a hill;

Whereas STS have advised road improvements are responsibility of municipalities, yet municipalities don't own needed land, nor have \$ millions to create 77m bus turnarounds, meanwhile;

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Whereas Ontario Transportation Funding is \$1 billion; Jan 27/20 Ministry said they'd improve student transportation, review funding formula; and given STS gets their funding by scoring well in reviews, and given Ministry establishing "Student Transportation Advisory Group" to hear STS sector expertise, experience and ideas;

Now therefore be it resolved that the Municipality of Scugog requests:

THAT exceptions to allow 3-point turns or backing up where necessary, to provide safer service to dead-end and private road kids, that policies be amended to reflect; when not possible;

THAT exceptions to allow indemnification agreements to access private land for bus turnarounds to keep bus stops safer and closer to prescribed 800m distance; when not possible;

THAT "Bus Stop Ahead" warning signage be required to notify oncoming traffic, prior to STS moving common stop to main roadway;

THAT STS be comprised of solutions like mini-buses, vans, taxis, or public transit, worked into funding formula so doesn't negatively impact STS funding stats;

THAT Kid KPI "Key Performance Indicator" be included for Ministry "Effectiveness & Efficiency Follow Up Reviews", establishing benchmarks for responsive-problem-solving for kids & parents' busing concerns, and this be an STS factor to receive funding;

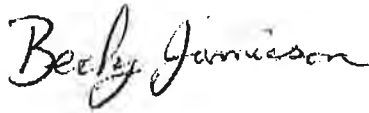
THAT Province provide "Parent Portal" for ongoing busing feedback of their STS, so families and kids can review/provide comments, especially during Ministry STS reviews and revisions to funding;

THAT Province have GPS tracking software to notify parents when children picked up/dropped off, and

THAT this motion be distributed to Premier Doug Ford, Honorable Stephen Lecce (Minister of Education), Honorable Caroline Mulroney (Minister of Transport), Durham MPP Lindsey Park, Haliburton-Kawartha Lakes-Brock MPP Laurie Scott, all Durham MPPs, Durham Region, all Ontario Municipalities, Rural Ontario Municipal Association (ROMA), Ontario Good Roads Association (OGRA), and Association of Municipalities of Ontario (AMO).

Should you require any further information in regard to this matter, please do not hesitate to contact Carol Coleman, Director of Public Works and Infrastructure Services at 905-985-7346 ext.149.

Yours truly,



Becky Jamieson
Director of Corporate Services/Municipal Clerk

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July 6, 2021

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Government Keynote Addresses

AMO 2021 includes four keynote addresses from provincial leaders including the Premier and three cabinet ministers:

- o Premier, Hon. Doug Ford – Monday, August 16, 2021 (9:15am – 9:30am)
- o Minister of Health, Hon. Christine Elliott – Monday, August 16, 2021 (2:20pm – 2:30pm)
- o Minister of Municipal Affairs, Hon. Steve Clark – Tuesday, August 17, 2021 (8:10am – 8:20am)
- o Minister of Infrastructure, Hon. Kinga Surma – Wednesday, August 17, 2021 (2:20pm – 2:30pm)

In addition, you will have the opportunity to hear from the **Minister of Finance, Hon. Peter Bethlenfalvy**, on this year's **Path to Economic Recovery Panel**, along with **Armine Yalnizyan**, sharing important perspectives on the future of employment and economic participation and **Diane J. Brisebois**, President and CEO of the Retail Council of Canada who returns to the 2021 panel with perspectives on what conditions will be required to help ensure the recovery of Ontario's retail industry and, in turn, Ontario's economy.

Three Ministers' Forums Focusing on Three Themes

This year's Ministers' Forums once again bring to you a firsthand opportunity to hear from cabinet ministers on the critical issues of the day. This includes an opportunity to submit questions.

Forum #1: Monday, August 16 (45 minutes – starting at 2:30pm)

Strengthening Community Well-being with Health, Social Services and Education

Participating Ministers:

Children, Community and Social Services: *Hon. Merrilee Fullerton*
 Associate Minister of Children and Women's Issues: *Hon. Jane McKenna*
 Citizenship and Multiculturalism: *Hon. Parm Gill*
 Colleges and Universities: *Hon. Jill Dunlop*
 Education: *Hon. Stephen Lecce*
 Health: *Hon. Christine Elliott*
 Associate Minister of Mental Health and Addictions: *Hon. Michael Tibollo*
 Long-Term Care: *Hon. Rod Phillips*
 Seniors and Accessibility: *Hon. Raymond Cho*
 Solicitor General: *Hon. Sylvia Jones*

Forum #2: Tuesday, August 17 (45 minutes – starting at 2:30pm)

Economic Recovery and Growth in Ontario

Participating Ministers:

Municipal Affairs and Housing: *Hon. Steve Clark*
 Attorney General: *Hon. Doug Downey*

Economic Development, Job Creation and Trade: *Hon. Vic Fedeli*
Associate Minister of Small Business and Red Tape Reduction: *Hon. Nina Tangri*
Associate Minister of Digital Government: *Hon. Kaleed Rasheed*
Government and Consumer Services: *Hon. Ross Romano*
Heritage, Sport, Tourism and Culture Industries: *Hon. Lisa MacLeod*
Labour, Training and Skills Development: *Hon. Monte McNaughton*
Treasury Board: *Hon. Prabmeet Sarkaria*

Forum #3: Wednesday, August 18 (45 minutes – starting at 2:30pm)

Looking Ahead on the Environment, Infrastructure and Resource Development Post-COVID

Participating Ministers:

Infrastructure: *Hon. Kinga Surma*
Agriculture, Food and Rural Affairs: *Hon. Lisa Thompson*
Energy: *Hon. Todd Smith*
Environment, Conservation and Parks: *Hon. David Piccini*
Northern Development, Mines Natural Resources and Forestry / Indigenous Affairs: *Hon. Greg Rickford*
Transportation / Francophone Affairs: *Hon. Caroline Mulroney*
Associate Minister of Transportation: *Hon. Stan Cho*

Submit Your Ministers' Forum Questions by Friday, August 6th

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The City of London might be a hub for higher education, a mecca for medical research, it's even known for the manufacturing and technology that happens there. But did you know that the Forest City also has a great music scene? London is home to some of the most talented musicians around and we want to share that talent with you on **Monday, August 16** right after the closing remarks for the day at London's **Catch-Up Concert**.

The Catch-Up Concert is a great opportunity to enjoy some great music while you answer those emails and return calls. Join the City of London on **Monday, August 16** as the London Music Office presents the "**Catch-Up Concert**"?

Catch up on work while you listen to the musical stylings of great bands like the [The McCauley Boys – Uptown Affair & Delta Stone Duo](#) – [The Rizdales](#), along with performances by [Heart Attacks Kids & Thunder Queens](#).

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RESOLUTION 0155-2021
adopted by the Council of
The Corporation of the City of Mississauga
at its meeting on June 30, 2021

0155-2021

Moved by: P. Saito

Seconded by: C. Parrish

WHEREAS The City of Mississauga operates on the Treaty and Traditional Territory of the Mississaugas of the Credit First Nation and Anishinaabe peoples, the Haudenosaunee Confederacy and the Huron-Wendat First Nation. We recognize that these peoples, and their ancestors live and lived on these lands since time immemorial on these lands called Turtle Island. The City of Mississauga is home to many First Nations, Métis and Inuit peoples; and

WHEREAS the residents of the Town, now City, of Mississauga chose for their name an anishinaabemowim name which speaks to the shared settler and Indigenous history within these lands; and

WHEREAS the City of Mississauga has committed to a path towards Reconciliation with Indigenous Peoples and has responded to the Truth and Reconciliation Commission's Calls to Action; and

WHEREAS the City of Mississauga is committed to speaking truths about our history to further our collective understanding of the past to help create a better future; and

WHEREAS the terrible uncovering of over one thousand unmarked and forgotten children burials at residential schools which have been reported over the past month is a truth about Canada's past; and

WHEREAS because of these truths the government of Canada has declared this year's Canada Day should be a time of reflection and focus on reconciliation; and

WHEREAS Gimaa Stacey LaForme of the Mississaugas of the Credit First Nation has called for this to be a time for supporting each other and contemplating the legacy and future of Canada; and

THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED that the City of Mississauga will mark Canada Day virtually this year in a manner that provides an opportunity for reflection on our shared history and commitment to a better future:

- Singing of National Anthem
- Greetings and Opening Remarks, Mayor Bonnie Crombie
- Comments from Mayor of Kariya, Japan Takeshi Inagaki
- Comments from Gimaa Stacey LaForme
- Oath of Reaffirmation performed by Members of Council
- Closing Remarks, Mayor Bonnie Crombie
- Lighting the Clock Tower orange to remember those lives lost and changed forever as a result of residential schools

- Changing the digital signage at the Square to “As we mark Canada Day, the City of Mississauga stands in solidarity with Indigenous communities across Canada.”

AND FURTHER to mark this Canada Day:

That the Council of the City of Mississauga call upon the Government of Canada to terminate its appeal of the 2019 Human Rights Tribunal Ruling, ordering Ottawa to pay compensation to First Nations Children and their families, separated in a chronically underfunded child welfare system that sees Indigenous children making up more than half the children in foster care even though they comprise only 7% of all the children under the age of 15 in Canada.

AND That this Resolution be sent to all municipalities in Canada.

Recorded Vote	YES	NO	ABSENT	ABSTAIN
Mayor B. Crombie	X			
Councillor S. Dasko	X			
Councillor K. Ras	X			
Councillor C. Fonseca	X			
Councillor J. Kovac	X			
Councillor C. Parrish	X			
Councillor R. Starr	X			
Councillor D. Damerla	X			
Councillor M. Mahoney	X			
Councillor P. Saito	X			
Councillor S. McFadden	X			
Councillor G. Carlson	X			

Unanimous (12, 0)

Info

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From: OLT COORDINATOR <OLT.COORDINATOR@ontario.ca>
Sent: Tuesday, July 06, 2021 4:13 PM
Subject: Processes for the New Ontario Land Tribunal
Attachments: Processes for the New Ontario Land Tribunal.pdf

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The Ontario government passed the [Accelerating Access to Justice Act, 2021](#), with a proclamation date of June 1, 2021. Through this Act, as of June 1, 2021, the Local Planning Appeal Tribunal, Environmental Review Tribunal, Board of Negotiation, Conservation Review Board and the Mining and Lands Tribunal were merged into a new single tribunal called the Ontario Land Tribunal (OLT).

The new OLT will help reduce delays and make the land dispute resolution process more efficient by creating a single forum to resolve disputes faster by eliminating unnecessary overlap between cases.

Website Updates

We have made important changes and updates to our [website](#), including:

- [Rules of Practice and Procedure](#)
- [Municipality/Approval Authority Form](#)
- [Appeal Form A1](#)
- [Other Forms](#)

We encourage you to visit our site and review our materials.

Electronic Document Submission

The OLT now accepts appeal documents electronically as the new Rules no longer require submissions in paper format. Electronic documents may be emailed to OLT.Registrar@Ontario.ca. However, if the size of the attachments is more than 5 megabytes, we recommend using our [Online Document Submission](#) process. It will allow you to securely submit documents up to 100 gigabytes in size.

You will need to [register](#) for this process; please visit our website for instructions.

All document file names must include the following information:

1. Document type
2. Type of party submitting the document
3. Name of the party submitting the document (including initials if the name is not unique to the case)
4. Date on which the document was created or signed, in the format DD-MMM-YYYY (e.g. 12-JAN-2021).

Below are sample document names:

- Expert Report – Defendant – ABC Inc. – 13-MAR-2021
- Financial Statement Form 13.1 – Respondent – J. Doe – 21-NOV-2021
- 11b Application – Defense – Smith – 12-JAN-2021

Please note that documents need to be submitted in Word or PDF format.

If you are submitting a complete file of appeals with the Municipal Submission Form, please structure the submission into separate files with:

- Municipal Submission Form (sample name: Municipal Submission Form – Ottawa – 19-June-2021)
- Separate files for each appeal
- Separate file for any supporting documents (may be subdivided into separate documents)
- Alternatively, a single PDF containing all the submission forms and materials may be submitted, provided it has a table of contents linked to bookmarks for the component documents

Please note that cheques and money orders **cannot** be submitted electronically. You must forward the original copies to the OLT.

The OLT now accepts appeal filing fees by credit card. Appellants do not specify credit card information on the form. Municipalities should **not** collect any credit card details for OLT appeals.

There are no changes to our filing fees at this time. Please refer to the [OLT Fee Chart](#).

If you have any questions about our processes, forms or Rules, you can contact our staff at (416) 212-6349 or toll free (866) 448-2248 or at OLT.General.Inquiry@ontario.ca.

Sincerely,

Marie Hubbard
Chair
Ontario Land Tribunal

Joe Whitehead
Executive Director
Ontario Land Tribunal



Corporation of the Town of Mattawa

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July 7, 2021

Ministry of Transportation
Regional Directors Office
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Attention: Mr. Herb Villneff
Regional Director

by e-mail and Canada Post
herb.villneff@ontario.ca

RE: Reconstruction of Dorion Road Hill

Dear Sir:

It has been some time since the Town of Mattawa was in contact with your Ministry regarding the reconstruction of Dorion Road and associated improvements to the Highway 17 intersection. See attached MTO correspondence May 3, 2013 and September 30, 2014.

As you may be aware, in August of 2020 the Town of Mattawa received notice of funding approval under the Canada Ontario Infrastructure Improvement program which will allow us to initiate this important work which will result in the reduction of the existing grade on Dorion Road Hill from the current 12% to approximately 8%.

When completed this reduction in grade on Dorion Road Hill will substantially improve the potential for future development of the proposed Town of Mattawa Light Industrial Park and immediately provide an improved level of service and safety for the general public who use Dorion Road to access Highway 17 from the southern sector of the Town of Mattawa and the Township of Papineau Cameron.

We have commissioned Jp2g Consultants Inc. Engineers Planners Project Managers to provide engineering services and they are currently in the process of completing engineering designs and obtaining necessary approvals in preparation for calling a contract in February 2022.

In this regard we acknowledge your correspondence as noted above advising:

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Firstly that any work within the permit control area will require a permit(s) from your Ministry.

Secondly in order to determine the need for improvement of Highway 17 a Traffic Impact Study or Traffic Statement by a RAQS certified service provider would be required and proposed improvements to Dorion Road must be professionally detailed to ensure a safe approach to Highway 17 with no adverse effects to its drainage system.

Thirdly that the construction of a westbound slip around and moving eastbound traffic lane signs on Highway 17 at Dorion Road would be an alternative to a full scale traffic study.

The Town of Mattawa accepts this alternative approach, particularly since we accept that a slip-around would provide safety and efficiency for long truck access to the Light Industrial Park in the future.

We understand from MTO correspondence May 3, 2013 that the Ministry may be open to discussing the possibility of a phased approach to actual physical improvements, eg: slip-around, since the Light Industrial Park is likely to develop over time; but that an agreement would have to be in place before MTO issues any permits.

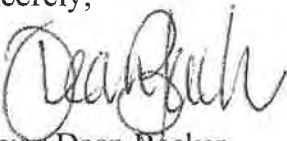
The Town is prepared to work with MTO on a mutually satisfactory “phased” approach which would see the Dorion Road Hill grade reduced in Phase 1 and work associated with providing a westbound slip- around to be provided subject to formal agreement in Phase 2.

Would it be appropriate for our engineers from Jp2g Consultants Inc. to coordinate directly with your Corridor Management Office to advance this initiative?

Please advise.

Thank you for your consideration and we await your response.

Sincerely,



Mayor Dean Backer

c.c. - Town Council
- J. Hunton, MCIP, RPP, Sr. Vice President
Jp2g Consultants Inc.

Attachments:

Attachment 1 MTO e-mail from Jeff Cole to Town of Mattawa May 3, 2013
Attachment 2 MTO correspondence Eric Doidge to Town of Mattawa September 30, 2014
Attachment 3 Preliminary Jp2g Design Drawing Westbound Slip-Around Highway 17 at Dorion Road

Cole, Jeff (MTO)

From: Cole, Jeff (MTO)
Sent: May 3, 2013 11:47 AM
To: 'Les Ranta'; Wayne.belter@mattawa.ca; Marc Mathon
Cc: Marsh, Sue (MTO); Turcotte, Ron (MTO)
Subject: RE: Mattawa - Dorion Street Improvements at Highway 17
 Les Ranta

Further to our meeting yesterday, May 2, 2013.

MTO supports the project to improve the grade on Dorion Road in order to facilitate trucks and other traffic to and from the new Mattawa Industrial Park. Permits are required from MTO for this work.

However, in conjunction with the Dorion Road and grade improvements, it is our opinion that improvements to the Highway intersection will also be necessary.

Those improvements would involve a westbound slip around and moving the passing lane signage to the east of the intersection. Those improvements would need to be undertaken by the proponent under a legal agreement with MTO and would need to cover all MTO specs and requirements, EA approval etc. In my experience, a slip around project can be expected to cost somewhere in the \$200,000 - \$400,000 range and it takes a few months to work out the agreement and have it executed, and to have contract drawings and supporting documents prepared and approved.

Typically, MTO requires the highway improvements to be completed before the development that made them necessary starts generating traffic.

We discussed the possibility of a phased approach to the actual physical highway improvements since the industrial park will likely develop over a period of time. There may be a way to do this, and we are prepared to entertain further discussions on how to do this. But at the very least, we will still want the agreement in place before we issue permits.

If the Town is prepared to work with the above, then we can get started right away preparing agreements and we can waive the need for a traffic study.

If the Town would prefer to undertake a traffic study to consider alternatives to the above, then we will be pleased to review that. In all honesty though, we are pretty confident that a study will tell us what we already know.

Please coordinate your further correspondence and submissions with Sue Marsh, Corridor Management Officer, in this office.

Sue's telephone number is 705-497-5401.

Jeff Cole

Corridor Management Planner

Ministry of Transportation - Northeastern Region

705-497-5223

From: Les Ranta [mailto:LRanta@jrichards.ca]

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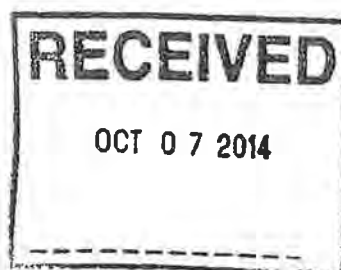
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September 30, 2014

Mr. Marc Mathon, P. Eng.
Public Works Superintendent
Town of Mattawa
PO Box 390, 160 Water Street
Mattawa, ON P0H 1V0



DIV 2014-470

Dear Mr. Mathon:

Thank you for your letter dated August 1, 2014 regarding the proposed road improvements to Dorion Road at Highway 17 in Mattawa.

The Ministry of Transportation supports and encourages economic development along and adjacent to provincial highways. I have asked our Corridor Management staff to work with you to facilitate your project.

The Public Transportation and Highway Improvement Act (PTHIA) states that any work within the ministry's permit control area will require a permit. The ministry's permit process ensures that the new traffic patterns generated by developments are safely integrated with provincial highways.

The proposed work on the municipal road as well as any necessary improvements to its intersection with Highway 17 will require a permit from the ministry.

In order for the ministry to determine the need for improvements, a traffic impact study or a traffic statement prepared by a qualified service provider under the Ministry's Registry, Appraisal and Qualification System (RAQS) will be required. The proposed improvements to Dorion Road must also be professionally detailed to ensure a safe approach to Highway 17 with no adverse effects to its existing drainage system.

Ministry staff will be happy to meet with you and your service providers to avoid any unnecessary delays. I am confident that the town is committed to work within the PTHIA provisions and cooperatively with the ministry.

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I understand that we have previously advised that construction of a westbound slip-around and moving the eastbound passing lane signs to the east of the Highway 17 and Dorion Road intersection is an alternative to a full-scale Traffic Impact Study. This option remains open to the town.

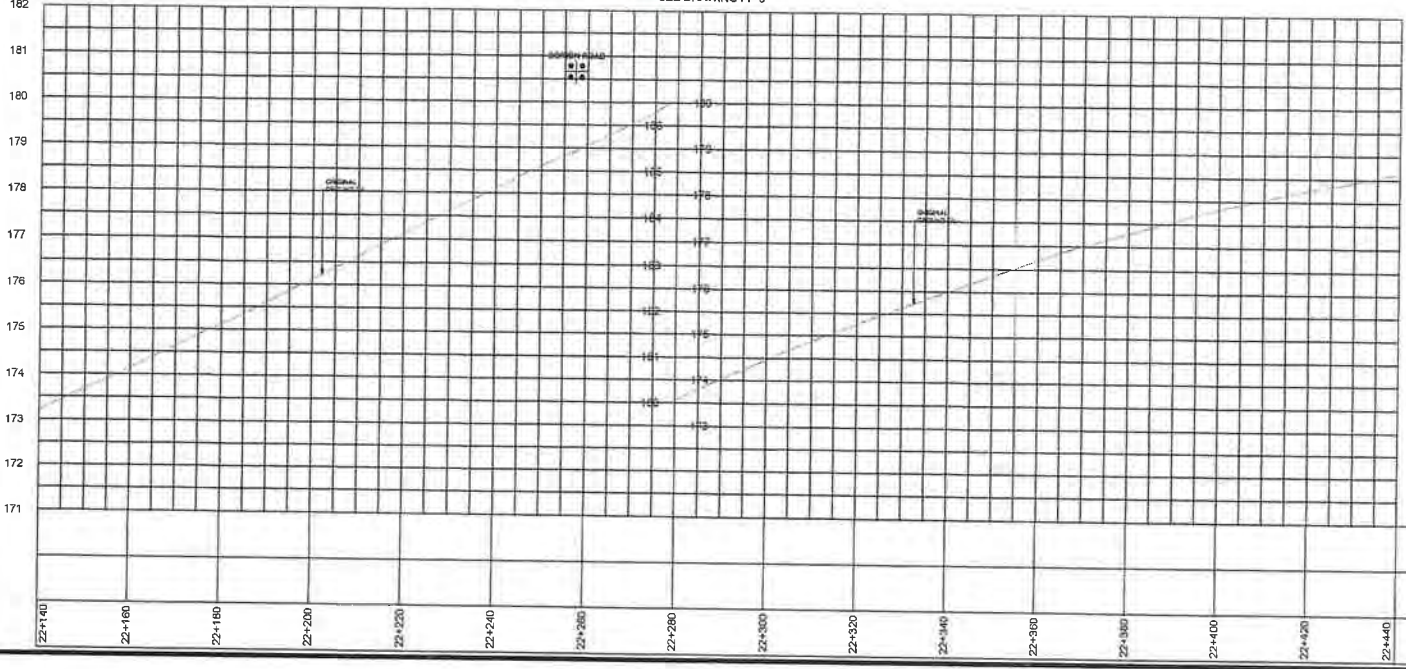
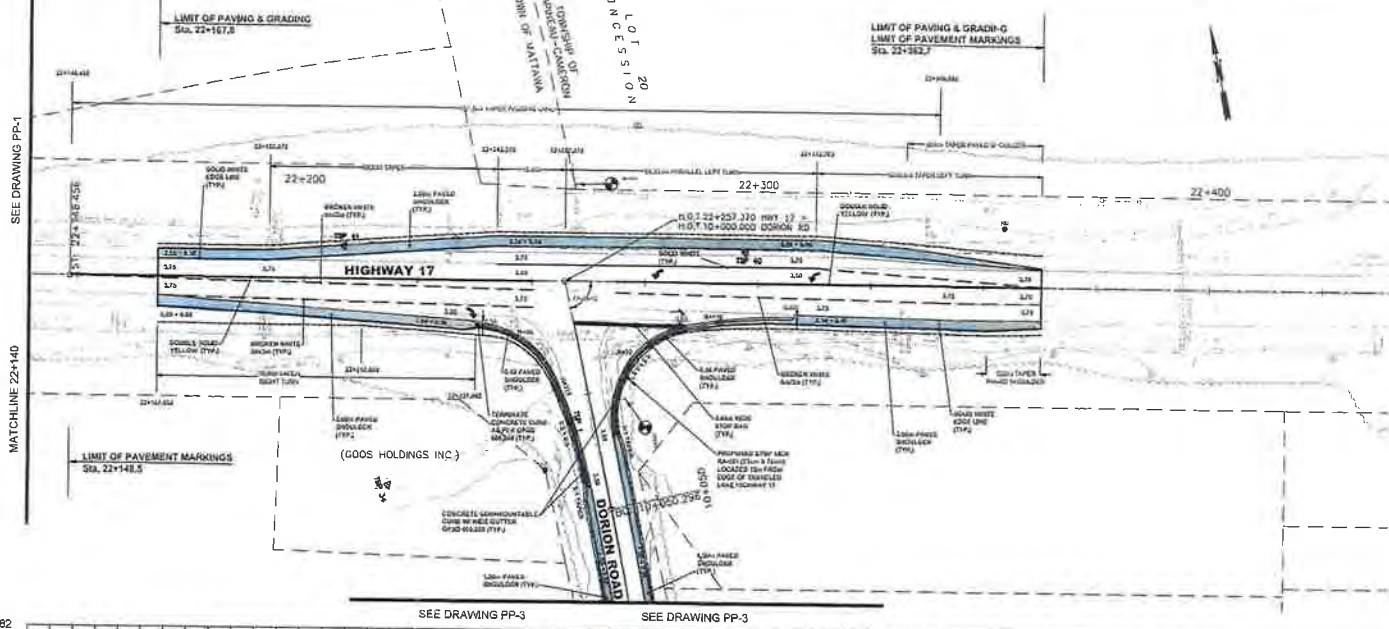
You may contact Sylvie Lauzon, Corridor Management Officer, at (705) 497-5401 with respect to the MTO's permit requirements or Marcia Mora, Head Corridor Management at (705) 467-5530 to discuss any other questions that you may have regarding our corridor.

Thank you again for your letter.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read "WED" followed by a stylized flourish.

Eric Doidge
Regional Director



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RECONSTRUCTION
MATTAWA, ONTARIO**

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ATTACHMENT 3

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July 2, 2021

MEMORANDUM TO: Municipal Chief Administrative Officers and Clerks

SUBJECT: Entering Step Two of the Roadmap to Reopen

I am writing to you today to advise that at 12:01 a.m. on June 30, 2021, Ontario has moved into Step Two of the Roadmap to Reopen (the "Roadmap"), the Government of Ontario's three-step plan to safely and cautiously reopen the province and gradually lift public health measures.

Step Two of the Roadmap

Step Two of the Roadmap focuses on the resumption of more outdoor activities and limited indoor services with small numbers of people where face coverings are worn, with other restrictions in place.

See below for an overview of Step Two of the Roadmap, which includes, but is not limited to, the following measures. Please refer to [Ontario Regulation 263/20](#) for precise requirements:

- Outdoor social gatherings and organized public events with up to 25 people;
- Indoor social gatherings and organized public events with up to 5 people;
- Outdoor meeting and event spaces limited to the number that can maintain a physical distance of at least two metres from every other person, and must not exceed 25 per cent capacity;
- Indoor meeting and event spaces closed, with exceptions for certain purposes, including for viewing for potential booking of a future event.
- Indoor religious services, rites, or ceremonies, including wedding services and funeral services permitted at up to 25 per cent capacity of the particular room;
- Essential and other select retail permitted at 50 per cent capacity;
- Non-essential retail permitted at 25 per cent capacity;
- Personal care services where face coverings can be worn at all times, and at 25 per cent capacity and other restrictions;
- Outdoor dining with up to 6 people per table, with exceptions for larger households and other restrictions;

- Outdoor fitness classes limited to the number of people who can maintain 3 metres of physical distance;
- Outdoor sports without contact or modified to avoid contact, with no specified limit on number of people or teams participating, with restrictions;
- Overnight camps for children operating in a manner consistent with the safety guidelines produced by the Office of the Chief Medical Officer of Health;
- Outdoor sport facilities with spectators permitted at 25 per cent capacity;
- Outdoor concert venues, theatres and cinemas, with spectators permitted at 25 per cent capacity;
- Outdoor horse racing and motor speedways, with spectators permitted at 25 per cent capacity;
- Outdoor fairs, rural exhibitions, festivals, permitted at 25 per cent capacity and with other restrictions

Extension of Orders under the *Emergency Management and Civil Protection Act (EMCPA)* and the *Reopening Ontario (A Flexible Response to COVID-19) Act, 2020*

Of the five emergency orders currently in effect under the Emergency Management and Civil Protection Act (EMCPA) pursuant to [O. Reg. 25/21](#) of that Act, the following three orders will be extended until July 14, 2021:

	Order in Council/Date Made	Current Revocation Date
1.	Order in Council filed as O. Reg. 8/21 (Enforcement of COVID-19 Measures), made on January 12, 2021	July 14, 2021
2.	Order in Council filed as O. Reg. 55/21 (Compliance Orders for Retirement Homes), made on February 5, 2021	July 14, 2021
3.	Order in Council filed as O. Reg. 305/21 (Regulated Health Professionals), made on April 21, 2021	July 14, 2021

Please note, the Lieutenant Governor in Council may further extend emergency orders under the EMCPA for up to 14 days at a time. For additional clarity, the following emergency orders under the EMCPA that are revoked on June 30, 2021:

	Order in Council/Date Made	Current Revocation Date
1.	Order in Council filed as O. Reg. 271/21 (Work Redeployment for Local Health Integration Networks and Ontario Health), made on April 9, 2021	June 30, 2021
2.	Order in Council filed as O. Reg. 272/21 (Transfer of Hospital Patients), made on April 9, 2021	June 30, 2021

In addition, orders made under the ROA will remain in force until July 19, 2021, with the possibility of further extension if approved by the Lieutenant Governor in Council. To

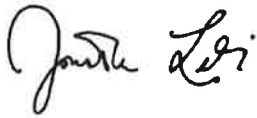
view the full list of orders in effect under the ROA, please visit [O. Reg. 458/20: "Extensions of Orders"](#) of that Act.

Enforcement of Orders

As the province cautiously moves ahead into Step Two, police officers and other provincial offences officers continue to have the authority to disperse gatherings or organized public events that are not complying with gathering/event limits and can temporarily close premises where prohibited gatherings or organized public events are occurring and require individuals to vacate.

Thank you for your dedication and ongoing cooperative efforts to help keep our communities safe and healthy.

Yours truly,

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read "Jodie Leis". The signature is written in a cursive style with a large initial "J" and a distinct "L".

for Kate Manson-Smith
Deputy Minister