

City of Barrie

70 Collier Street (Box 400) Barrie, ON L4M 4T5

Minutes - Final Town and Gown Committee

Tuesday, February 28, 2017

10:00 AM

Sir Robert Barrie Room

For consideration by the Finance and Corporate Services Committee of the City of Barrie on March 29, 2017.

The Town and Gown Committee met at 10:05 a.m. in the Sir Robert Barrie Room and the following were in attendance:

Present: 4 - Councillor B. Ainsworth

R. Calvano - Georgian College

J. Fisher

J. Hanson - East End Homeowners Association

Absent: 5 - S. Emslie - Georgian College

B. Muscat - Georgian College

F. Ottaway

C. Riepma - East End Homeowners Association

T. Zubyck - Georgian College

ALSO PRESENT:

Barrie Police Service, Sergeant J. Brooks.

STAFF:

Committee Support Clerk, J. Werth Supervisor of Enforcement Services, R. Osborne Zoning Officer, V. Cyr.

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The Town and Gown Committee met and reports as follows:

RENTAL HOUSING REVIEW - UPDATE

R. Osborne, Supervisor of Enforcement Services of the Legislative and Court Services Department provided an update regarding Staff Report LCS005-17 concerning a review of the Licensing, Regulating and Governing Residential Rental Units that was received by General Committee at its meeting held on February 27, 2017.

GENERAL UPDATES

Sergeant J. Brooks of the Barrie Police Service noted that there were no recent community or safety issues to report in Ward One.

- R. Calvano, Director of Campus Safety and Security at Georgian College provided an overview of the security initiatives at the College. Mr. Calvano advised that last year the College introduced a free mobile app called Safe@Georgian. He noted that this app includes Georgian College security contact information and news feeds such as weather and emergency lockdown information as part of the College's mass communication notification system.
- Mr. Calvano advised that the College has adopted a new emergency lockdown procedure in the event of a possible violent or life-threatening incident. He noted that additional information is available from the Georgian College website under the Campus and Security section.
- R. Osborne, Supervisor of Enforcement Services provided an update from the Enforcement Services Branch of the Legislative and Court Services Department on matters related to:
 - An overview of business licensing requirements in accordance with the City's Transportation and Business Licensing By-laws;
 - Complaints regarding interior and exterior property standard issues; and
 - The Applications, Permits, Licenses and Inspections (APLI) database is scheduled to launch in the Spring 2017. This database will allow Enforcement Services staff to print violation notices while off site as well as improve resident notification timelines.

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The meeting adjourned at 10:43 a.m.

CHAIRMAN

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