



City of Barrie

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Minutes - Final Environmental Advisory Committee

Wednesday, January 4, 2017

7:00 PM

Sir Robert Barrie Room

For consideration by the Community Services Committee of the City of Barrie on
February 1, 2017.

The Environmental Advisory Committee met at 7:10 p.m. in the Sir Robert
Barrie Room and the following were in attendance:

Present: 6 - Chairman P. Bursztyn
S. Bollinger
A. McNair
G. Poisson
C. Reynolds
W. Wilson

Absent: 1 - Councillor M. McCann

STAFF:

Committee Support Clerk, J. Werth

Manager of Sustainable Development, M. Kalyaniwalla.

The Environmental Advisory Committee met and reports as follows:**PRESENTATION REGARDING THE OFFICIAL PLAN REVIEW**

M. Kalyaniwalla, Manager of Sustainable Development of the Planning and Building Services Department provided a presentation regarding the Official Plan Review.

Mr. Kalyaniwalla discussed slides concerning the following topics:

- The historical background information regarding the initial approval and updates to the Official Plan;
- An overview of the Hewitt's Secondary Plan and the Salem Secondary Plan;
- Highlights of the Provincial Policy Statement and the Provincial Growth Plan;
- Maps illustrating the progression of the City of Barrie's urbanized areas from 1954 to 2012;
- A review of the three pillars to develop a sustainable and resilient Official Plan:
 - Economic prosperity
 - Environmental stewardship
 - Inclusive community; and
- An overview of the proposed changes and their effect on future planning.

In closing, Mr. Kalyaniwalla detailed the next steps in the Official Plan Review process.

Members of the Committee asked a number of questions related to the information provided and received responses from the presenter.

ANNEXED LAND PLANNING TOOLS

M. Kalyaniwalla, Manager of Sustainable Development suggested inviting the new Manager of Growth in the Planning and Building Services Department to a future meeting of the Environmental Advisory Committee to review the planning tools to support sustainable development within the City of Barrie.

The Committee deferred this item to a future meeting.

CITY OF BARRIE ENERGY AND ENVIRONMENTAL INITIATIVES

The Committee discussed potential topics for one minute videos concerning home energy saving tips and the City of Barrie's current energy saving projects.

The Committee requested that staff from Access Barrie be invited to a future meeting to further discuss the idea of creating one minute environmental videos.

The Committee deferred this item to a future meeting.

ELECTRIC VEHICLE CHARGING STATIONS

P. Bursztyn reviewed City Council's Motion 16-G-306 of December 19, 2016 regarding the Investigation of the Installation of Level II Electric Vehicle Charging Stations.

The meeting adjourned at 8:47 p.m.

CHAIRMAN