

City of Barrie

70 Collier Street P.O. Box 400 Barrie. ON L4M 4T5

Final City Council

Wednesday, September 24, 2025

8:00 PM

Council Chamber

CALLING TO ORDER

The meeting was called to order by Mayor, A. Nuttall at 7:10 p.m. The following were in attendance for the meeting:

Present: 11 - Mayor, A. Nuttall

Deputy Mayor, R. Thomson

Councillor, C. Riepma
Councillor, C. Nixon
Councillor, AM. Kungl
Councillor, A. Courser
Councillor, N. Nigussie
Councillor, G. Harvey
Councillor, J. Harris
Councillor, S. Morales
Councillor, B. Hamilton

STAFF:

Chief Administrative Officer, M. Prowse

City Clerk/Director of Legislative and Court Services, W. Cooke

Coordinator of Elections and Special Projects, T. McArthur

Deputy City Clerk, T. Macdonald

Director of Information Technology, R. Nolan

Director of Legal Services, I. Peters

Executive Director of Development Services, M. Banfield

Fire Chief, K. White

General Manager of Access Barrie, R. James-Reid

General Manager of Infrastructure and Growth Management, B. Araniyasundaran

Interim Director of Finance, C. Smith

Senior Manager of Corporate Finance and Investment, C. Gillespie

Senior Policy Advisor and Legislative Coordinator, E. Chappell

Service Desk Specialist, M. Burry.

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DIRECT MOTIONS

25-A-089 MOTION WITHOUT NOTICE - AUTOMATED SPEED ENFORCEMENT PROGRAM

Moved by: Deputy Mayor, R. Thomson Seconded by: Councillor, G. Harvey

That pursuant to Section 7.1 of the Procedural By-law 2019-100, permission be granted to introduce a motion without notice concerning the Automated Speed Enforcement Program.

CARRIED

25-A-090 AUTOMATED SPEED ENFORCEMENT PROGRAM

Moved by: Deputy Mayor, R. Thomson Seconded by: Councillor, G. Harvey

That staff be directed to move towards phasing out the Automated Speed Enforcement Program with an end date of December 31, 2025 unless otherwise directed by the Province of Ontario; and

That notwithstanding the Procurement By-law, staff be authorized to negotiate agreement(s) to implement a Red Light Camera Program in the City of Barrie, based on evaluation of best value to the City and report back to General Committee prior to execution of an agreement detailing costs, logistics and timing of the program and that funding for this program come from the ASE Reserve; and

That staff in the Development Services Department continue to explore other traffic calming measures that could be installed throughout the City and report back to the Community Safety Committee with options; and

That correspondence be sent to the Provincial Government requesting funding to assist with additional traffic calming measures.

The recorded vote was taken as follows:

Yes: 9 Mayor, A. Nuttall

Councillor, C. Riepma
Councillor, C. Nixon
Councillor, AM. Kungl
Deputy Mayor, R. Thomson
Councillor, N. Nigussie
Councillor, G. Harvey
Councillor, J. Harris
Councillor, S. Morales.

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No: 2 Councillor, A. Courser Councillor, B. Hamilton

CARRIED

ENQUIRIES

Members of Council did not address any enquires to City staff.

ANNOUNCEMENTS

Members of Council provided announcements concerning a number of matters.

CONFIRMATION BY-LAW

Moved by: Deputy Mayor, R. Thomson Seconded by: Councillor, AM. Kungl

That leave be granted to introduce the following Bill and this Bill be read a first, second and third time this day and finally passed:

BY-LAW Bill #108

2025-108

A By-law of The Corporation of the City of Barrie to confirm the proceedings of Council at its meeting held on the 24th day of September, 2025.

CARRIED UNANIMOUSLY

ADJOURNMENT

Moved by: Deputy Mayor, R. Thomson Seconded by: Councillor, C. Riepma

That the meeting be adjourned at 8:07 p.m.

Mayor, Alex Nuttall

Wendy Cooke, City Clerk

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