



City of Barrie

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Minutes - Final Active Transportation and Sustainability Committee

Tuesday, December 17, 2019

9:00 AM

Huronian Room "A"

For consideration by the City Building Committee on January 7, 2020.

The meeting was called to order by the Chair, Councillor, K. Aylwin at 9:31 a.m. The following were in attendance for the meeting:

Present: 5 - Councillor K. Aylwin
A. Carlyle
A. McNair - Nature Barrie
J. Northcote
T. Searls

Absent: 3 - Councillor S. Morales
E. Jacoby-Hawkins
S. Diaz - SMDHU

STAFF:

Acting Deputy City Clerk, T. McArthur
Manager of Parks and Forestry Operations, K. Bradley
Manager of Planning and Asset Management, K. Oakley
Supervisor of Forestry, K. Rankin.

The Active Transportation and Sustainability Committee met and reports as follows:

SECTION "A"

SOUTHSHORE NATURALIZATION SUBCOMMITTEE REPORT

Al McNair provided a report to the Committee concerning the 2019 activities of the Southshore Naturalization Subcommittee.

Mr. McNair discussed the subcommittee's suggestion of consideration of the City prioritizing an Allandale Station Park Naturalization Management Plan for the 2021 Business Plan. He identified the preparation work for the site needed to be undertaken prior to starting the Management Plan such as a detailed site ecological inventory in 2020, City forestry plans for the site, ongoing gradual naturalization and removal of invasive species such as the dog strangling vine, garlic mustard, and poison ivy. Mr. McNair suggested that assistance from Community Partners such as Living Green Barrie, Nature Barrie, and the Barrie Native Friendship Centre could assist with completing the preparation work.

Attachments: [Appendix A - Southshore Naturalization Subcommittee Report 191217.docx](#)

The Active Transportation and Sustainability Committee met and recommends adoption of the following recommendation(s):

SECTION "B"

ALLANDALE STATION PARKING NATURALIZATION PLAN

1. That staff consider prioritizing an Allandale Station Park Naturalization Plan as part of the 2021 Business Plan.
2. That staff in the Roads, Parks, and Fleet Department work with community partners to complete the preparation work by 2020 as identified in Appendix "A" of the Southshore Naturalization Subcommittee Report dated December 17, 2019.

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This matter was recommended to the City Building Committee for consideration of adoption at its meeting to be held on 1/7/2020.

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SECTION "C"

2020 WORK PLAN

Councillor, K. Aylwin, Chair provided a draft Work Plan for 2020 to the Committee for input.

The Committee discussed the priority areas of the Work Plan that included Climate Change Mitigation Adaptation, Waste Reduction and Diversion, Active Transportation, Land Use (affordable housing and urban agriculture) and Natural Assets and Ecosystem Services.

The Committee agreed to discuss this item at the next meeting and to appoint a Committee member to lead the projects.

The meeting adjourned at 10:29 a.m.

CHAIRMAN