



Final
Active Transportation and
Sustainability Advisory Committee

Thursday, March 6, 2025

5:30 PM

Sir Robert Barrie Room

ACTIVE TRANSPORTATION AND SUSTAINABILITY ADVISORY COMMITTEE REPORT
For Consideration by the Infrastructure and Community Investment Committee on
April 30, 2025.

The meeting was called to order by Chair, Councillor S. Morales at 5:37 p.m. The following were in attendance for the meeting:

Present: 10 - Chair – Councillor S. Morales
J. Bourne
L. Hoffarth
K. MacLeod - SMDHU
D. McKeown - Nature Barrie
J. Northcote
S. Schwartz - Living Green
W. Steimle
E. vanWesenbeeck
D. Waters

Absent: 2 - Councillor, B. Hamilton
N. Flinn

STAFF:
Legislative Coordinator, D. Glenn
Manager of Energy Management, A. McMullin

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

SECTION "A"

SUSTAINABILITY INITIATIVES PRESENTATION BY ADAM MCMULLIN

Adam McMullin, Manager of Energy Management from the Corporate Facilities department provided a presentation regarding Sustainability Initiatives - City of Barrie Energy Management and Greenhouse Gas Mitigation.

Mr. McMullin discussed slides concerning the following topics:

- Objectives of the presentation and the current mandate;
- Overview of the Activities provided from 2022 to present;
- City goals and projects moving forward; and
- Current collaboration and engagement opportunities.

Members of committee asked questions regarding district energy and location, green development standard and having a standard step code for the city, the building code and having developers hit net zero.

WORK PLAN REVIEW

This item was deferred to the next meeting.

UPDATES FROM WORKING GROUPS:

a) Circular Economy:

The team lead provided an update regarding Repair Café's and that they met with the library who is looking to increase the amount of Repair Café's that are currently happening. The next Repair Café is taking place on April 5. The team lead will circulate the next two events to the committee.

b) Building, Energy and Housing:

This update was deferred to the next meeting.

c) Food Productions and Security:

This update was deferred to the next meeting.

d) Active and Non-Active Transportation:

The team lead provided an update regarding looking into if the

city has a standard for roads design and if there is a system in place to track traffic.

e) Environment and Nature:

This update was deferred to the next meeting.

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

SECTION "B"

COMMITTEE NAME CHANGE

That the name of the Active Transportation and Sustainability Advisory Committee be changed to the Sustainability Advisory Committee.

This matter was recommended (Section "B") to Infrastructure and Community Investment Committee for consideration of adoption at its meeting to be held on 4/30/2025.

ADJOURNMENT

The meeting adjourned at 7:37 p.m.

CHAIRMAN