



City of Barrie

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Minutes - Final Town and Gown Committee

Wednesday, June 23, 2021

10:00 AM

Virtual Meeting

For consideration by the Finance and Corporate Services Committee on September 14, 2021.

The meeting was called to order by the Chair, Councilor C. Riepma at 10:02 a.m. The following were in attendance for the meeting:

- Present:** 4 - Councillor C. Riepma
J. Morozuk
B. Muscat - Georgian College
T. Zubyck - Georgian College
- Absent:** 4 - R. Calvano - Georgian College
R. Cardwell - East End Household Association
J. Chevrier
Robb Meier

STAFF:

Committee Support Clerk, B. Thompson
Manager of FPPE/Deputy Fire Chief, C. Clark
Supervisor of Traffic Operations, J. Sharp

The Town and Gown Committee met and reports as follows:

BUSINESS LICENCE - ABSENTEE LANDLORDS UPDATES

Councillor Riepma indicated that there were no updates to provide to the Committee.

GEORGIAN COLLEGE UPDATES

Brian Muscat, Georgian College said that the college will continue to be remote throughout the summer and fall semesters. He indicated that they are hoping to be able to bring back more services to the campus for the start of the fall semester.

Todd Zubyck, Georgian College indicated that there were no changes from a security aspect and has no updates to provide.

Mr. Muscat provided that there will be a virtual orientation following the Head Start Program which will happen prior to the start of the semester.

Carrie Clark, Manager of FPPE/Deputy Fire Chief said that Barrie Fire and Emergency Services would like to integrate educational pieces into the Head Start Program on items such as home safety for students, a virtual evacuation drill, and how to check your fire alarm.

CITY UPDATES

Jeff Sharp, Supervisor of Traffic Operations provided an update that all temporary speed cushions were installed in Ward 1. He indicated that staff were working with an engineering group on the permanent traffic calming measures on Codrington Street. Mr. Sharp mentioned that speed boards were put in place, and the one at Codrington Street has reported average speeds of 42 to 52 kilometres per hour.

Mr. Sharp further noted that staff are investigating an all-way stop on Indian Arrow Road and Penetang Street and currently collecting data. He mentioned that the residents within the area were surveyed to get their views on the potential for the installation of an all-way.

Ms. Clark explained the Barrie Fire's Door-to-Door Fire Safety Campaign which was put on hold. She indicated it is anticipated that by September through to the end of October, fire crews will be out, with a goal of reaching 10,000 houses, to make sure fire alarms are working and provide information.

Judy Morozuk indicated that there were no updates from the Barrie Public Library since the last meeting.

ADJOURNMENT

The meeting adjourned at 10:46 a.m.

CHAIRMAN