



City of Barrie

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Minutes - Final City Building Committee

Tuesday, September 21, 2021

6:00 PM

Virtual Meeting

For consideration by the General Committee on October 4, 2021

The meeting was called to order by the Chair, Councillor, C. Riepma at 6:00 p.m. The following were in attendance for the meeting:

Present: 5 - Councillor, C. Riepma
Mayor, J. Lehman
Councillor, K. Aylwin
Councillor, A. Kungl
Councillor, N. Harris

ALSO PRESENT:

Deputy Mayor, B. Ward
Councillor, M. McCann.

STAFF:

Chief Administrative Officer, M. Prowse
Committee Support Clerk, T. Maynard
Coordinator of Elections and Special Projects, T. McArthur
Deputy City Clerk, C. Swan
Director of Development Services, M. Banfield
Director of Information Technology, R. Nolan
Executive Director of Access Barrie, R. James-Reid
General Manager of Community and Corporate Services, D. McAlpine
General Manager of Infrastructure and Growth Management, A. Miller
Manager of Business Performance and Environmental Sustainability, S. Brunet
Manager of Parks and Forestry Operations, K. Rankin
Service Desk Generalist, K. Kovacs.

The City Building Committee met and reports as follows:

SECTION "A"

PRESENTATION BY S. BRUNET, MANAGER OF BUSINESS PERFORMANCE AND ENVIRONMENTAL SUSTAINABILITY CONCERNING THE CHANGES TO ONTARIO'S BLUE BOX REGULATIONS AND CITY OF BARRIE TRANSITION UPDATE

Sandra Brunet, Manager of Business Performance and Environmental Sustainability provided an presentation concerning the changes to Ontario's Blue Box Regulations and the City of Barrie Transition Update.

Ms. Brunet discussed slides concerning the following topics:

- An outline of the changes to the Ontario Blue Box Regulations;
- The legislation and the impact to the municipality;
- The changes to the Ontario Blue Box legislation and the influence on a circular economy;
- The impact to the municipality and current waste collection contract;
- The key challenges for the municipality; and
- The timelines associated with the municipalities blue box program to be in compliance with the Ontario Regulation 391/21: Blue Box.

Ms. Brunet explained that the presentation is considered an introduction to the changes to the Ontario Blue Box Regulations and that further updates would be provided at future meetings.

Members of Committee asked several questions of City staff and received responses.

REPORT OF THE HERITAGE BARRIE COMMITTEE DATED JUNE 9, 2021

The Report of the Heritage Barrie Committee dated June 9, 2021 was received.

REPORT OF THE ACTIVE TRANSPORTATION AND SUSTAINABILITY COMMITTEE DATED JULY 6, 2021.

The Report of the Active Transportation and Sustainability Committee dated July 6, 2021 was received.

REPORT OF THE COMMUNITIES IN BLOOM COMMITTEE DATED JULY 15, 2021.

The Report of the Communities in Bloom Committee dated July 15, 2021 was received.

REPORT OF THE COMMUNITIES IN BLOOM COMMITTEE DATED AUGUST 19, 2021.

The Report of the Communities in Bloom Committee dated August 19, 2021 was received.

REPORT OF THE ACTIVE TRANSPORTATION AND SUSTAINABILITY COMMITTEE DATED SEPTEMBER 7, 2021.

The Report of the Active Transportation and Sustainability Committee dated September 7, 2021.

REPORT OF THE HERITAGE BARRIE COMMITTEE DATED SEPTEMBER 8, 2021.

The Report of the Heritage Barrie Committee dated September 8, 2021 was received.

The City Building Committee met and recommends adoption of the following recommendation(s):

SECTION "B"**HERITAGE CONSERVATION DISTRICTS**

That staff in the Development Services Department investigate the feasibility and costs associated with conducting a study related to Section 40(1) of the *Ontario Heritage Act* regarding the establishment of Heritage Conservation Districts and report back to the Heritage Barrie Committee.

This matter was recommended to General Committee for consideration of adoption at its meeting to be held on 10/04/2021.

REVIEW OF CIP PLANNING ACTIVE TRANSPORTATION WEBINAR

That staff in the Development Services Department provide links to webinars from the Association of Pedestrian and Bicycle Professionals and, if necessary, purchase an annual advocate membership for the Association of Pedestrian and Bicycle Professionals for the Active Transportation and Sustainability Advisory Committee.

This matter was recommended to General Committee for consideration of adoption at its meeting to be held on 10/04/2021.

The City Building Committee met and reports as follows:

SECTION "C"

LETTER OF SUPPORT - ZERO EMISSIONS VEHICLE AWARENESS INITIATIVES

That the following be received for information purposes and no further action be taken:

“That the City of Barrie provide a letter of support for the Living Green Barrie funding application to the Natural Resources Canada’s Zero Emission Vehicle Awareness Initiatives”.

The City Building Committee met and recommends adoption of the following recommendation(s):

SECTION "D"

SINGLE TREE BY-LAW UPDATE

That further to Council motion 21-G-210, the Single Tree By-law investigation include: individual heritage trees, an evaluation of best practices from other municipalities, the potential for a more comprehensive approach to mature tree protection beyond excavation and construction, and a public and stakeholder consultation process.

This matter was recommended to General Committee for consideration of adoption at its meeting to be held on 10/04//2021.

SUNNIDALE ROAD OVERPASS

That staff in the Development Services and Infrastructure Departments consult with the Ministry of Transportation (MTO) Sunnidale Road Project Team to determine the project and cost implications of upgrading the proposed active transportation infrastructure to include sidewalks on both sides, as well as separated cycling facilities, and report back to the General Committee.

This matter was recommended to General Committee for consideration of adoption at its meeting to be held on 10/04/2021.

MUNICIPAL HERITAGE REGISTER - 84 CUMBERLAND STREET AND 125 TORONTO STREET

That the properties known municipally as 84 Cumberland Street and 125 Toronto Street be added to the Municipal Heritage Register as listed properties.

This matter was recommended to General Committee for consideration of adoption at its meeting to be held on 10/04/2021.

ADJOURNMENT

The meeting adjourned at 6:49 p.m.

CHAIRMAN