

Minutes - Final
Heritage Barrie Committee

Tuesday, March 3, 2015

7:00 PM

Sir Robert Barrie Room

**For consideration by the Infrastructure, Investment and Development Services
Committee in the City of Barrie on March 25, 2015**

**The Heritage Barrie Committee met at 7:10 p.m. in the Sir Robert Room on
March 3, 2015.**

PRESENT:

Councillor B. Ward
Councillor D. Shipley
C. Tribble, Chair
D. Exel
D. Warrilow
S. Lewis.

ALSO PRESENT:

I. Rowe
A. Rowe.

STAFF:

Committee Support Clerk, T. McArthur
Senior Policy Planner, K. Brislin.

The Heritage Barrie Committee met and reports as follows:

OSMOND J. ROWE RECOGNITION

Mr. Ian Rowe provided a presentation requesting consideration to recognize his father, Osmond J. Rowe for his contributions to the City of Barrie in the form of a plaque or naming of a park in the City.

Mr. Rowe provided a brief history concerning his father's contributions to the City of Barrie:

- Practiced law for 58 years, and served 49 years as the City Solicitor for the City of Barrie;
- Designed the City of Barrie and Simcoe County Law Association Coats of Arms;
- Volunteered for several community organizations;
- One of the founding members for the Barrie Yacht Club;
- Involved in the development of Barrie's waterfront and establishing the Barrie Marina, the creation of Centennial Beach and Lakeshore Road; and
- Recipient of the City of Barrie Sesquicentennial Award.

The Committee thanked Mr. Rowe for his presentation and advised him that the Committee will consider this matter at a future meeting.

MANDATE / GOALS FOR THE 2014-2018 TERM

C. Tribble, Chair reviewed the mandate and goals for the 2014 - 2018 Heritage Barrie Committee Term.

The Committee discussed ways to accomplish the Committee's mandate including simplifying the process for the Heritage Registry, promotions for community awareness and benefits of a property being included on the Registry and improved promotion of the City activities on web, social and print media.

2015 OBJECTIVES WORKPLAN

The Committee discussed objectives for the Heritage Barrie Committee for 2015. The Committee discussed a tax incentive program and the possibility of expanding the Heritage Barrie Awards program.

OVERVIEW OF HERITAGE ACT AND RESOURCES

K. Brislin, Senior Policy Planner provided the Committee with an overview of the Ontario Heritage Act and discussed various web resources such as the Heritage Toolkit to the Committee.

CONFERENCES, WEBINARS, WORKSHOPS AND TRAINING COURSES

The Committee discussed possible conferences, webinar, workshops and training courses available to the Heritage Barrie Committee members.

HERITAGE BARRIE WALKING TOURS

K. Brislin, Senior Policy Planner provided an overview to the Committee concerning the Heritage Barrie Walking Tours. She provided booklets to the Committee Members regarding past Heritage Barrie Walking Tours. She noted that booklets are available at the City Hall and at the Barrie Public Library.

The Committee asked questions related to the information provided and received responses.

The meeting adjourned at 8:20 p.m.

CHAIRMAN