



# The Regional Municipality of Durham

## COUNCIL INFORMATION PACKAGE

### March 16, 2018

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There are no Information Reports

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There are no Early Release Reports

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1. [City of Oshawa](#) – Resolution passed at their Council meeting held on February 20, 2018, endorsing the Town of Lakeshore's resolution with respect to allocating a proportionate share of the new tax revenues generated by the sale of marijuana to municipalities and to create a fund similar to the Gas Tax Fund

#### **Other Municipalities Correspondence/Resolutions**

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4. [City of Stratford](#) – re: correspondence from Ed Dujlovic, President, Ontario Chapter, Canadian Public Works Association, Director of Infrastructure and Development Services, City of Stratford, requesting that municipalities proclaim May 20 – 26, 2018 as National Public Works Week
5. [City of Hamilton](#) – re: Resolution passed at their Council meeting held February 28, 2018, regarding Offering School Property to Municipalities for a dollar

#### **Miscellaneous Correspondence**

1. [Haliburton, Kawartha, Pine Ridge District Health Unit](#) – re: Correspondence provided from Dr. R. Kyle, Commissioner and Medical Officer of Health, from Mark Lovshin, Chair, Board of Health for the Haliburton, Kawartha, Pine Ridge District Health Unit, regarding the 2018 Annual Service Plan including the 2018 Budget for the Haliburton, Kawartha, Pine Ridge District Health Unit

#### **Advisory Committee Minutes**

There are no Advisory Committee Minutes

Members of Council – Please advise the Regional Clerk at [clerks@durham.ca](mailto:clerks@durham.ca) by 9:00 AM on the Monday one week prior to the next regular Committee of the Whole meeting, if you wish to add an item from this CIP to the Committee of the Whole agenda.



# Interoffice Memorandum

**Date:** March 16, 2018

**To:** Committee of the Whole

**From:** Dr. Robert Kyle

**Subject:** Health Information Update – March 9, 2018

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Health  
Department

Please find attached the latest links to health information from the Health Department and other key sources that you may find of interest. Links may need to be copied and pasted directly in your web browser to open, including the link below.

You may also wish to browse the online Health Department Reference Manual available at [Board of Health Manual](#), which is continually updated.

Boards of health are required to “superintend, provide or ensure the provision of the health programs and services required by the [Health Protection and Promotion] Act and the regulations to the persons who reside in the health unit served by the board” (section 4, clause a, HPPA). In addition, medical officers of health are required to “[report] directly to the board of health on issues relating to public health concerns and to public health programs and services under this or any other Act” (sub-section 67.(1), HPPA).

Accordingly, the Health Information Update is a component of the Health Department’s ‘Accountability Framework’, which also may include program and other reports, Health Plans, Quality Enhancement Plans, Durham Health Check-Ups, Performance Reports, business plans and budgets; provincial performance indicators and targets, monitoring, compliance audits and assessments; RDPS certification; and accreditation by Accreditation Canada.

Respectfully submitted,

Original signed by

R.J. Kyle, BSc, MD, MHSc, CCFP, FRCPC, FACPM  
Commissioner & Medical Officer of Health

*“Service Excellence  
for our Communities*

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## **UPDATES FOR COMMITTEE OF THE WHOLE**

### **March 9, 2018**

#### **Health Department Media Releases/Publications**

<https://goo.gl/CRTk8g>

- NEW Reporting Requirements for Veterinarians (Feb 13)

<https://goo.gl/e1HfGT>

- Lead in Drinking Water (Feb 14)

<https://goo.gl/RrUoqv>

- Infectious Diseases at a glance (Feb 20)

<https://goo.gl/6e5Yhf>

- Should I give Tdap-IPV or DTap-IPV-Hib? (Feb 27)

<https://goo.gl/B21MB3>

- Durham Region Health Department warns residents about street drugs resembling Xanax (Mar 1)

<https://goo.gl/3nsj5C>

- It's Time to Spring Forward and Change Your Batteries (Mar 5)

<https://goo.gl/A78GfN>

- STOP Program returns for smokers who want to quit (Mar 6)

#### **GOVERNMENT OF CANADA**

##### **Department of Finance Canada**

<https://goo.gl/BrVuBD>

- Budget 2018: Equality and Growth for a Strong Middle Class (Feb 27)

##### **Employment and Social Development Canada**

<https://goo.gl/UhE3DF>

- Government of Canada creates equal access and opportunities for people with disabilities (Feb 16)

<https://goo.gl/p1Diqw>

- Minister Duclos release report on nationwide engagement to reduce poverty (Feb 20)

##### **Environment and Climate Change Canada**

<https://goo.gl/hjhtok>

- The Government of Canada outlines next steps in clean-energy transition (Feb 16)

## **Health Canada**

<https://goo.gl/Ja7pBS>

- Health Canada Reminds Canadians about Safe Levels of Alcohol Consumption (Mar 7)

## **Infrastructure Canada**

<https://goo.gl/cLw5aj>

- Increased federal funding for infrastructure projects in small communities (Feb 16)

## **Innovation, Science and Economic Development Canada**

<https://goo.gl/vPXh2P>

- Canada's new Advanced Manufacturing Supercluster expected to create over 13,500 middle-class jobs in Ontario and across Canada (Feb 22)

## **Prime Minister's Office**

<https://goo.gl/EpViwL>

- Government of Canada to create Recognition and Implementation of Rights Framework (Feb 14)

## **Public Safety Canada**

<https://goo.gl/nU4hLD>

- The Government of Canada increases support for public safety personnel on the front-lines (Mar 2)

## **Status of Women Canada**

<https://goo.gl/M2UnHD>

- Minister Monsef announces funding for women's empowerment on International Women's Day (Mar 8)

## **GOVERNMENT OF ONTARIO**

### **Office of the Premier**

<https://goo.gl/Rq1sff>

- Better, Faster Emergency Care to Scarborough (Feb 14)

<https://goo.gl/3vQNr1>

- Premier's Statement on Changes to the Executive Council (Feb 26)

<https://goo.gl/VCcHFp>

- Women's Economic Empowerment Strategy a Canadian First (Mar 6)

### **Ontario Ministry of Advanced Education and Skills Development**

<https://goo.gl/CYAbrK>

- Ontario Helping Colleges and Universities Fight Climate Change and Improve Energy Efficiency (Feb 12)

### **Ontario Ministry of Children and Youth Services**

<https://goo.gl/rJHPed>

- Statement from the Minister of Children and Youth Services and the Attorney General on the Motherisk Commission Final Report (Feb 26)

### **Ontario Ministry of Community Safety and Correctional Services**

<https://goo.gl/wGqz4T>

- Ontario Passes Legislation to Strengthen Community Safety (Mar 9)

### **Ontario Ministry of Economic Development and Growth**

<https://goo.gl/ytusQ3>

- Province Supporting Auto Innovation in Ontario (Feb 12)

### **Ontario Ministry of Education**

<https://goo.gl/EjxqMR>

- Ontario Marking Ten Years of Collaboration on Indigenous Education (Mar 9)

<https://goo.gl/c42Xtp>

- Ontario Making Schools Safer For Students and Staff (Mar 9)

### **Ontario Ministry of Energy**

<https://goo.gl/HqpAsa>

- Darlington's Unit 2 Nuclear Refurbishment Marks Half-Way Point (Feb 15)

### **Ontario Ministry of the Environment and Climate Change**

<https://goo.gl/99jW5S>

- Ontario Announces Results of First Joint Ontario, Quebec, California Cap and Trade Auction (Feb 28)

### **Ontario Ministry of Finance**

<https://goo.gl/T9YW6o>

- Ontario Signs Agreement-in-Principle with Anishinabek Nation (Mar 8)

<https://goo.gl/2twZki>

- Ontario Supporting Municipalities to Ensure Safe Transition to Federal Cannabis Legislation (Mar 9)

### **Ontario Ministry of Health and Long-Term Care**

<https://goo.gl/FzvffA>

- 2016 Annual Report of the Chief Medical Officer of Health of Ontario (Feb 28)

<https://goo.gl/SWiPws>

- Ontario Moving Quickly to Expand Life-Saving Overdose Prevention Programs (Mar 7)

### **Ontario Ministry of Labour**

<https://goo.gl/1m2JK5>

- Ontario Supporting Workplace Health and Safety (Feb 15)

### **Ontario Ministry of Research, Innovation and Science**

<https://goo.gl/WhmWWE>

- Ontario Supporting Technologies to Fight Climate Change (Feb 13)

### **Ontario Ministry of the Status of Women**

<https://goo.gl/NbZPf8>

- Ontario Launches New Strategy to End Gender-Based Violence (Mar 1)

### **Ontario Ministry of Tourism, Culture and Sport**

<https://goo.gl/Mnw743>

- Ontario Passes Ground-Breaking Legislation to Protect Amateur Athletes (Mar 6)

### **Ontario Ministry of Transportation**

<https://goo.gl/BxMpQn>

- PRESTO Coming to Shoppers Drug Mart Locations Across the GTHA (Mar 5)

## **OTHER ORGANIZATIONS**

### **Canadian Institutes of Health Research**

<https://goo.gl/oFdFpH>

- Bringing engineers and health scientists together to make a difference in the lives of patients (Feb 22)

### **Choosing Wisely Canada**

<https://goo.gl/oCq3cm>

- Choosing Wisely Canada launches “Opioid Wisely” (Mar 1)

### **Competition Bureau Canada**

<https://goo.gl/seqx8L>

- Big data and innovation: Competition Bureau highlights key themes for competition policy and enforcement in Canada (Feb 19)

### **Education Quality and Accountability Office**

<https://goo.gl/N3bFto>

- Schools Recognized for Supporting Students with Special Education Needs (Feb 28)

### **Financial Accountability Office of Ontario**

<https://goo.gl/in4M8j>

- Partial Sale of Hydro One Expected to Result in Long-Term Cost to the Province (Feb 12)

<https://goo.gl/7jUZUV>

- Service fee revenue to increase 8 per cent in 2017-18 (Mar 6)

### **Health Quality Ontario**

<https://goo.gl/xmGUCC>

- New standards help both health care professionals and patients manage opioid use (Mar 7)

### **Institute for Clinical Evaluative Sciences**

<https://goo.gl/sdfUTP>

- Single fathers have the highest mortality rates when compared to single mothers and partnered fathers (Feb 14)

<https://goo.gl/5ECSZ5>

- Childhood cancer survivors at higher risk of mental health events (Feb 22)

<https://goo.gl/AAWsfA>

- Almost all Ontarians accumulate multiple chronic conditions over their lifetime (Mar 5)

### **Mental Health Commission of Canada**

<https://goo.gl/6v7gsg>

- Healthcare providers and their role in understanding stigma (Feb 14)

### **Office of the French Language Services Commissioner**

<https://goo.gl/Vo1Pnz>

- Study on Designation: Revitalizing the Provision of French Language Services (Mar 7)

### **Office of the Privacy Commissioner of Canada**

<https://goo.gl/PPtwM1>

- OPC funds initiatives to raise privacy awareness by highlighting outcomes of privacy research (Feb 14)

### **Statistics Canada**

<https://goo.gl/fQSMYz>

- Statistics Canada is conducting a National Cannabis Survey (Feb 16)





**The Regional  
Municipality  
of Durham**

HEALTH DEPARTMENT

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March 14, 2018

Mr. Ralph Walton  
Regional Clerk  
The Regional Municipality of Durham  
P.O. Box 623  
605 Rossland Road East  
Whitby, ON L1N 6A3

Dear Mr. Walton:

Pursuant to Section 72 of the *Health Protection and Promotion Act*, I am submitting the attached notice regarding funding for public health programs and services to the Corporation of the Regional Municipality of Durham.

I would appreciate it if you could bring this notice to the attention of the Regional Council.

Respectfully submitted,

Original signed by:

Robert Kyle, BSc, MD, MHSc, CCFP, FRCPC, FACPM  
Commissioner & Medical Officer of Health

cc Jim Clapp  
Barb Goodwin

NOTICE TO THE  
CORPORATION OF THE REGIONAL MUNICIPALITY OF DURHAM

RE: *FUNDING FOR PUBLIC HEALTH PROGRAMS AND SERVICES*

Pursuant to the *Health Protection and Promotion Act* (HPPA), the Corporation of the Regional Municipality of Durham is hereby given notice by the Commissioner & Medical Officer of Health on behalf of the Council of the Regional Municipality of Durham pursuant to the Council's duties under the HPPA as the Board of Health for the Durham Regional Health Unit, that the estimated Regional funding required for the 2018 fiscal year is \$17,324,487. The corresponding annualized Regional funding is estimated to be \$17,218,487. This funding is required to enable Council to fulfill its obligations under the HPPA including to provide or ensure the provision of public health programs and services and to otherwise comply with the HPPA and the regulations.

The Corporation of the Regional Municipality of Durham is further given notice that it is obligated to ensure that this funding is made available to the Council to fulfill its duties under the HPPA throughout the course of the 2018 fiscal year.

File: A-2114

March 9, 2018

Right Honourable Justin Trudeau  
Prime Minister of Canada  
Sent via email: [justin.trudeau@parl.gc.ca](mailto:justin.trudeau@parl.gc.ca)

Re: Allocating a proportionate share of the new tax revenues generated by the sale of marijuana to municipalities and to create a fund similar to the Gas Tax Fund

Oshawa City Council considered the above noted matter at a meeting on February 20, 2018 and adopted the following recommendation of the Finance Committee:

"That Lakeshore Council's resolution concerning tax revenue generated from the retail sale of marijuana as described in City Council Referral FIN 18-18 be endorsed."

Please find attached Lakeshore Council's original resolution.

If you require further assistance, please contact Stephanie Sinnott, Executive Director, Finance Services/Treasurer at the address below or by telephone at 905-436-3311.



Andrew Brouwer  
City Clerk

c: Town of Lakeshore  
Honourable Kathleen Wynne, Premier of Ontario  
Andrew Scheer, Leader, Conservative Party of Canada  
Jagmeet Singh, Leader, New Democratic Party of Canada  
Elizabeth May, Leader, Green Party of Canada  
Victor Fedeli, Interim Leader, Progressive Conservative Party  
Honourable Andrea Horwath, Leader, New Democratic Party  
Federation of Canadian Municipalities (F.C.M.)  
Association of Municipalities Ontario (A.M.O.)  
All Durham MPs and MPPs  
All Durham Area Municipalities



FIN-18-18

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**TOWN OF LAKESHORE**

419 Notre Dame St.  
Belle River, ON N0R 1A0

January 22, 2018

Right Honourable Justin Trudeau,  
Prime Minister of Canada  
Office of the Prime Minister  
80 Wellington Street  
Ottawa, ON K1A 0A2

Dear Prime Minister Trudeau:

**RE: MARIJUANA TAX REVENUE**

At their meeting of January 16, 2018 the Council of the Town of Lakeshore duly passed the following resolution.

577-01-2018 Councillor Wilder moved and Councillor McKinlay seconded:

**It is recommended that:**

**WHEREAS** marijuana will soon be available for purchase through retail outlets in Canada;

**WHEREAS** the sale of marijuana will generate new tax revenues;

**WHEREAS** the Government of Canada and the Government of Ontario have been actively discussing how to distribute the new tax revenues generated by the sale of marijuana;

**WHEREAS** the Government of Canada and the Government of Ontario have thus far not agreed to distribute any of the new tax revenues generated by the sale of marijuana to municipalities directly;

**WHEREAS** municipalities are responsible for critical infrastructure projects, such as roads, bridges, water treatment and delivery of potable water;

**WHEREAS** municipalities face a significant challenge in funding critical infrastructure projects and have limited options for increasing revenues, aside from raising property taxes, which negatively impacts all taxpayers; and

**WHEREAS** the new tax revenues generated from the sale of marijuana, could be used to help offset infrastructure costs for municipalities.

**NOW THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED** that the Government of Canada and the Government of Ontario be urged to allocate a proportionate share of the new tax revenues generated from the sale of marijuana, to municipalities directly;

**BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED** that the Government of Canada and the Government of Ontario be urged to create a fund, similar to the Gas Tax Fund and the Clean Water and Wastewater Fund, from the new tax revenues generated by the sale of marijuana, to provide funding to municipalities for infrastructure projects;

**BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED** that a copy of this motion be sent to the Right Honourable Justin Trudeau, Prime Minister of Canada, Mr. Andrew Scheer, Leader of the Conservative Party of Canada, Mr. Jagmeet Singh, Leader of the New Democratic Party of Canada, Ms. Elizabeth May, Leader of the Green Party of Canada, all Members of Parliament, the Honourable Kathleen Wynne, Premier of Ontario, Mr. Patrick Brown, Leader of the Progressive Conservative Party of Ontario, Ms. Andrea Horwath, Leader of the New Democratic Party of Ontario, and all Members of Provincial Parliament in Ontario; and

**BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED THAT** a copy of this Motion be sent to the Federation of Canadian Municipalities (FCM), and the Association of Municipalities of Ontario (AMO) for their consideration.

**Motion Carried Unanimously**

Should you require any additional information with respect to the above matter, please contact the undersigned.

Yours truly,



Mary Masse  
Clerk

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cc: Honourable Kathleen Wynne, Premier of Ontario  
cc: Mr. Andrew Scheer, Leader of the Conservative Party of Canada  
cc: Mr. Jagmeet Singh, Leader of the New Democratic Party of Canada  
cc: Ms. Elizabeth May, Leader of the Green Party of Canada  
cc: Hon. Patrick Brown, Leader of Progressive Conservative Party  
cc: Hon. Andrea Horwath, Leader of New Democratic Party  
cc: Members of Provincial Parliament in Ontario  
cc: Federation of Canadian Municipalities (FCM)  
cc: Association of Municipalities Ontario (AMO)  
cc: Via Email - All Ontario Municipalities

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**Lisa Lyons**  
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March 7, 2018

Sent via email to all Greater Toronto Area Municipalities

Dear Sir/Madam:

**RE: Resolution: Participation in Earth Hour – March 24, 2018**

I am writing to advise that the above referenced matter was considered at the Committee of the Whole meeting held on February 26, 2018

Council, at the regular meeting held on March 5, 2018 adopted the following recommendations:

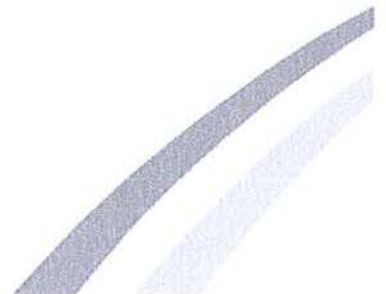
1. That at 8:30 PM on Saturday, March 24, 2018, the Corporation of the Town of Newmarket will join other cities around the world in literally "turning out the lights" by shutting off all non-essential lighting and power in all of its facilities, where feasible, and without jeopardizing safety, for one full hour; and,
2. That the Corporation of the Town of Newmarket's participation in Earth Hour will be widely promoted and publicized in order to raise awareness about this important issue and in order to encourage every individual, household and business in town to join in by turning off their lights and electrical power for one hour at 8:30 PM on Saturday, March 24, 2018; and,
3. That a copy of this Resolution will be forwarded to every municipality in the Greater Toronto Area, encouraging them to participate in Earth Hour.

**Please see the attached resolution.**

Yours sincerely,

A handwritten signature in black ink that reads "Kiran Saini".

Kiran Saini  
Deputy Clerk





March 5, 2018

Moved by: Councillor Vegh

Seconded by: Councillor Broome

### **Resolution R5-2018**

Whereas climate change is the biggest environmental threat to our planet and a major concern for all Canadians; and,

Whereas at exactly 8:30 p.m. on Saturday, March 24, 2018, major cities around the world will turn off their lights and electrical power for one hour to raise awareness about climate change and to symbolize that, working together, the people of the world can make a difference in the fight against global warming;

Whereas the event, called "Earth Hour", began in Sydney, Australia in 2007 as 2.2 million people turned off their lights to take a stand against climate change; and,

Whereas since then, it has become an annual, globally-observed event;

Whereas participating in Earth Hour sends a powerful message to every citizen and business around the world that it's possible to take action on climate change and that switching off our lights and electrical power is just one simple action we can take to help make a difference; and,

Whereas in the last several years, Newmarket has continued to be a leader in this effort, with one of the highest rates of reduction in electricity consumption in the GTA;

Therefore be it enacted by the Municipal Council of the Corporation of the Town of Newmarket as follows:

1. That at 8:30 p.m. On Saturday, March 24, 2018, the Corporation of the Town of Newmarket will join other cities around the world in literally "turning out the lights" by shutting off all non-essential lighting and power in all of its facilities, where feasible, and without jeopardizing safety, for one full hour; and,

2. That the Corporation of the Town of Newmarket's participation in Earth Hour will be widely promoted and publicized in order to raise awareness about this important issue and in order to encourage every individual, household and business in town to join in by turning off their lights and electrical power for one hour at 8:30 p.m. On Saturday, March 24, 2018; and,
3. That a copy of this Resolution will be forwarded to every municipality in the GTA, encouraging them to participate in Earth Hour.



Mayor Tony Van Bynen





March 12, 2018

To: Association of Municipalities of Ontario (AMO)  
200 University Avenue, Suite 801  
Toronto, Ontario M5H 3C6

Federation of Canadian Municipalities (FCM)  
24 Clarence Street  
Ottawa, Ontario K1N 5P3

And To: All Ontario Municipalities

Re: User Pay Childcare Services at AMO and FCM Conferences

Dear Sir/Madam,

At its regular council meeting of March 5, 2018, Essex Town Council discussed the issue of ensuring access to childcare services for elected and municipal officials when they attend with their families at AMO and FCM conferences.

As a result of the discussion the following resolution was passed by Essex Town Council at its March 5, 2018 regular meeting:

Moved by Councillor Bondy  
Seconded by Councillor Voakes

**(R18-03-096) That** the Association of Municipalities of Ontario (AMO) and the Federation of Canadian Municipalities (FCM) be requested to offer user pay childcare services at conferences during conference hours;

**And that** this resolution be circulated to all Ontario municipalities.

**Carried**



On behalf of Essex Town Council we accordingly ask the Association of Municipalities of Ontario and the Federation of Canadian Municipalities to respectfully give consideration to this request. Should you have any questions or comments regarding this matter, please feel free to contact the undersigned.

Yours truly

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read "Robert Auger".

Robert Auger, L.L.B.  
Clerk, Legal and Legislative Services  
Town of Essex  
Email: [rauger@essex.ca](mailto:rauger@essex.ca)

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Town of Halton Hills  
Office of the Mayor  
**Rick Bonnette**

March 5, 2018

Kathleen Wynne, Premier  
Legislative Building  
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**Re: Protection of Municipally-Designated 'Whitebelt' Areas**

Dear Premier Wynne:

I am writing to express my concern about a recent motion that was passed by Halton Regional Council concerning designation of lands within the Halton Hills boundary. As you can appreciate, upholding a municipality's rights to plan and develop for the purposes of managing growth in a responsible, sustainable and strategic manner that best meets the needs of its communities is a fundamental role of the local planning authority.

Further, please know that public engagement is a tenet of Halton Hills Council and to this end I have led a citizen task force that resulted in the creation of a Public Engagement Charter. This document was approved by Council and speaks to the municipality's commitment to engaging its citizens in a transparent and participatory manner with appropriate notification to residents and specific vested interest parties on issues as appropriate. I would ask that any consideration by your government of the motion passed by Halton Regional Council would allow such time for a proper and thorough consultation with our Halton Hills residents.

To be clear, the Town of Halton Hills (the Town) supports the potential greenbelt expansion study area as currently defined by the Province. The Town *does not* support the Regional resolution and the request to extend the study area for Greenbelt expansion to include the 'whitebelt' lands within the inner ring until the appropriate analysis and review is completed. Further, the Region's resolution pre-empts its own Municipal Comprehensive Review which will include the growth management strategy up to 2041.



Your consideration in denying the request for Greenbelt expansion into Halton Hills lands is appreciated and failing this direction, I respectfully request that the municipality be allowed the time to consult with its residents and that these findings be included in the Province's consideration of this matter.

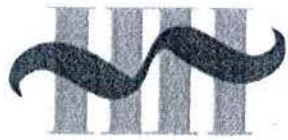
Sincerely,



Rick Bonnette, Mayor

c.

Minister of Municipal Affairs  
Minister of Economic Development and Growth  
Members of Halton Hills Council  
Greater Golden Horseshoe Municipalities  
Association of Municipalities of Ontario  
Halton Hills Chamber of Commerce  
Environmental Defence  
Friends of the Greenbelt Foundation  
Ontario Greenbelt Association  
Ontario Nature  
Earth Roots  
Eco Spark  
Save the Oaks Ridges Moraine (STORM)  
Building Industry and Land Development Association



**REGION OF HALTON – PLANNING & PUBLIC WORKS COMMITTEE MEETING**  
**February 21, 2018**

*WHEREAS the Greenbelt is an integral component of land use planning in the Greater Golden Horseshoe, complementing the Growth Plan to encourage smart planning, the reduction of sprawl, protection of natural and hydrological features and agricultural lands; and*

*WHEREAS the Province's Advisory Panel chaired by David Crombie recommended that the Greenbelt grow to address the protection of areas of critical hydrological significance, such as key headwaters; and*

*WHEREAS the Province's current study area for Greenbelt expansion has prematurely omitted areas under the most direct threat of development, known as the 'whitebelt' which is neither in the Greenbelt nor in the urban settlement area that contain such critical areas; and*

*WHEREAS a fulsome study of all potential Greenbelt expansion areas should be undertaken as part of this review in order to make the best, most consistent land use planning decisions across the Greater Golden Horseshoe;*

**THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED,**

*THAT the Region of Halton commend the province for continued action toward growing the Greenbelt through the current consultation process; and*

*THAT the province be strongly urged to extend the study area for Greenbelt expansion to include the whitebelt lands within the inner ring, lands that are the most immediately vulnerable to development in the province; and*

*THAT that the province expeditiously grow the Greenbelt by incorporating appropriate whitebelt lands within the inner ring to protect our limited freshwater and natural heritage features; and*

*THAT this resolution be distributed to the Premier of Ontario, the Minister of Municipal Affairs, all Greater Golden Horseshoe municipalities, the Association of Municipalities of Ontario, Environmental Defence, Friends of the Greenbelt Foundation, the Ontario Greenbelt Association, Ontario Nature, Earth Roots, Eco Spark, and Save the Oak Ridges Moraine (STORM).*

**1 Halton Hills Drive, Halton Hills, Ontario L7G 5G2**



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**Infrastructure & Development Services Department**

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[www.stratfordcanada.ca](http://www.stratfordcanada.ca)

March 12, 2018

Via Email

Dear Mayor and Council:

**Re: 2018 National Public Works Week  
May 20 – 26, 2018  
"The Power of Public Works"**

Since 1960, public works officials in Canada and the United States have celebrated National Public Works Week. This annual observance, which takes place during the third full week in May, is designed to educate the public regarding the importance of our nation's public infrastructure and services. It serves, moreover, as a time to recognize the contributions of public works professionals who work in the public interest to build, manage and operate the essential infrastructure and services of our communities. The week is organized by the Canadian Public Works Association (CPWA) and the American Public Works Association (APWA) and is being celebrated for its 58<sup>th</sup> year in 2018.

The theme for the 2018 National Public Works Week is ***"The Power of Public Works."*** This theme gives voice to the impact the many facets of public works have on modern civilization. From providing clean water to disposing of solid waste, to building roads and bridges or planning for and implementing mass transit, to removing snow on roadways or devising emergency management strategies to meet natural or manmade disasters, public works services determine a society's quality of life.

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Sincerely,



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National Public Works Week  
May 20–26, 2018  
"The Power of Public Works"

Municipal Proclamation

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DONE at the \_\_\_\_\_, Ontario this \_\_\_\_\_ the day of \_\_\_\_\_ 2018.

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Mayor

**Infrastructure & Development Services Department**

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March 12, 2018

Via Email

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Mayor



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Ontario Municipalities

Dear Sir/Madame,

**Re: Offering School Property to Municipalities**

At its meeting of February 28, 2018, Hamilton City Council endorsed The Town of Essex's resolution regarding the above matter, as follows:

That when schools boards make decisions to close schools that they have to offer the building to the local municipality for a dollar.

Yours truly,

Janet Pilon, CMMIII, DPA, CMO  
Manager, Legislative Services/Deputy Clerk

cc Robert Auger  
Clerk, Legal and Legislative Services  
Town of Essex

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March 13, 2018

Honourable Helena Jaczek  
Minister of Health and Long-Term Care  
10th Floor, Hepburn Block  
80 Grosvenor Street  
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Dear Minister Jaczek:

**Re: 2018 Annual Service Plan including the 2018 Budget for the Haliburton, Kawartha, Pine Ridge District Health Unit**

At its meeting on February 15, 2018, the Board of Health for the Haliburton, Kawartha, Pine Ridge District Health Unit approved its 2018 Annual Service Plan (Plan) including the 2018 Budget. As the Board discussed the Plan and Budget, it expressed its concerns that the Ministry of Health and Long-Term Care (MOHLTC) had frozen base funding at 2014 levels for our Health Unit and others. Of course, the Board recognizes that there have been additions to base funding for targeted purposes such as the recent Harm Reduction Program Enhancement funding. Boards of health continue to face significant financial pressures as costs increase with no corresponding increase in base funding going into this fourth-year post-budget freeze. Locally, our obligated municipalities have increased their share of the Board's base funding every year to the point that now the ratio of cost-shared base funding is 29% municipal to the MOHLTC's 71%. We understand that the majority of Ontario boards of health are in a similar position.

As you know, the past couple of years have been a period of significant transformation for Ontario boards of health with the release of the new Ontario Public Health Standards (OPHS), amended and new protocols and guidelines to support the new OPHS and amendments to the *Health Protection and Promotion Act, 1990* and many of its Regulations. The Board is most appreciative of the Harm Reduction Program Enhancement funding, and other minor adjustments to base funding. However, the Board is concerned about the MOHLTC's increasing expectations regarding the new/amended OPHS, protocols and guidelines including those pertaining to Infection Prevention and Control Lapse investigations, engagement with the Local Health Integration Networks, the new School Health Program Standard, the Healthy Environments Program Standard requirement for health impact assessment related to climate change, and follow-up of hepatitis C cases to name a few, as well as the role of public health regarding opioids and the new cannabis legislation. Doing more with less is causing strain on staff and the Board is concerned about the psychological and physical well-being of Health Unit employees in light of ever-increasing requirements and our ability to deliver programs and services.

The Board has implemented many initiatives over the past four years to address the provincial funding shortfall including closing branch offices and renegotiating leases as well as utilizing technological solutions where feasible to address telephone and fax as well as organizational meetings. The Board recognizes its important role in community-based health promotion, disease prevention and health protection over a large geographic area with a low population density. The Board values its relationships with the broader health sector as well as its many community partners and stakeholders including local municipalities, school boards, children's aid societies, law enforcement, non-governmental

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Honourable Helena Jaczek

March 13, 2018

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agencies and community coalitions and wishes to build on these relationships to implement the new OPHS. The Board is concerned that if the provincial share of the base budget remains frozen, decisions will need to be made regarding delivery of essential programs and services and the remaining programs may erode making them harder to re-build when not maintained at optimal levels.

The Board has again approved a 2% municipal increase for the Health Unit this year and has requested a 2% increase in its base funding from the MOHLTC in addition to some one-time requests to facilitate addressing new program requirements. Municipalities are also facing increasing cost pressures and may be challenged to continue to offset provincial funding with enhanced municipal support in the future. The Board respectfully requests that the MOHLTC approve its 2018 Annual Service Plan including the 2018 Budget. Lastly, with this request to approve the proposed budget, the Board would greatly appreciate earlier budget approval than the historic September to November timeline so that the Health Unit can effectively plan and implement one-time funding approvals.

Sincerely

BOARD OF HEALTH FOR THE HALIBURTON,  
KAWARTHA, PINE RIDGE DISTRICT HEALTH UNIT



Mark Lovshin  
Chair, Board of Health

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