



Georgina Town Council July 9

Presentation: Lake Simcoe Region Conservation Authority representatives regarding chloride in the Lake Simcoe watershed

Council received the [presentation](#) from Lake Simcoe Region Conservation Authority (LSRCA) representatives regarding chloride in the Lake Simcoe watershed. There has been a growth in the concentration of chloride in Lake Simcoe over the past 50 years. Council referred the presentation to the Environmental Advisory Committee and staff to work on outreach with the LSRCA including public education sessions.

Presentation: Joseph Moncada, Director of Library Services/CEO, and Bobbi Sabatini, Library Board Chair, presenting the Georgina Public Library 2024 Year in Review

Council received the presentation from Joseph Moncada, Director of Library Services/CEO, and Bobbi Sabatini, Library Board Chair, on the Georgina Public Library 2024 Year in Review. The library saw record numbers in 2024 with more than 470,000 people visiting one of the branches. Another highlight of the year was the opening of the Discovery Branch at the Multi-Use Recreation Complex which saw more than 52,000 visitors in less than 10 months. View the [full report](#) and find out more about library services at georginalibrary.ca.

Service delivery review of the Georgina Centre for Arts and Culture, Georgina Military Museum and Georgina Chamber of Commerce

Council received the report regarding the service delivery review of the Georgina Centre for Arts and Culture, Georgina Military Museum and Georgina Chamber of Commerce. Council approved the following funding amounts from the Non-profit Grant Program for a five-year term with an annual two per cent inflationary increase and directed the Treasurer to list them as separate line items in the budget moving forward – Georgina Centre for Arts and Culture, \$165,000; Georgina Military Museum - \$28,000; and Georgina Chamber of Commerce - \$67,000. Staff were provided with delegated authority to implement a five-year service agreement with an optional one-year extension and key performance indicators for the Georgina Centre for Arts and Culture and the Georgina Chamber of Commerce. Council also provided staff the delegated authority to implement a 10-year lease agreement for the Georgina Centre for Arts and Culture for the purpose of grant submissions. Council approved any service agreements with Town funding greater than \$100,000 annually shall require an annual financial

audit. As well, Council directed that annual briefing notes come to Council for the Georgina Centre for Arts and Culture, Georgina Military Museum and Georgina Chamber of Commerce.

Closed session

In regard to Closed Session Item 17.1.a under Section 239 (2) (a) of the Municipal Act being the security of the property of the municipality or local board, regarding cyber security,

That Council receive the update provided.

In regard to Closed Session Item 17.1.b under Section 239 (2) (a) of the Municipal Act being the security of the property of the municipality or local board, regarding facility security,

That Council receive the update provided.

Additional Council information

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