



## Georgina Town Council June 3, 2026

### **DELEGATION; Jessica Merriman and Jonathan Scott, Rescue Lake Simcoe Coalition concerning its report 'Protect Our Plan; From Good Goals to Practical Progress'**

Council received the deputation and endorsed the report, Protect our Plan; From Good Goals to Practical Progress, from the Rescue Lake Simcoe Coalition. The report outlines a clear path forward that requires action from all levels of government to address challenges, including phosphorus pollution, excessive road salt use and beach closures that have occurred for two consecutive summers. Local leadership has been strong, with municipalities investing more than ever in stormwater retrofits, green infrastructure, wastewater upgrades and the proposed phosphorus reduction facility in Bradford. Council directed staff to bring a briefing note back to Council regarding what the Town is doing to support the report.

### **Annual Update – 2024-2028 Economic Development and Tourism Strategy**

Council received the report regarding the annual update – 2024-2028 Economic Development and Tourism Strategy. This is the second update for the strategy. Significant progress was made in year two, with 37 of 42 actions completed or in progress, demonstrating the Town's commitment to economic growth, business retention, tourism development and downtown revitalization. Positive trends in business growth, job creation and tourism impact reinforce the Town's strategic direction.

### **2025 Annual Accessibility Report**

Council received and endorsed the report regarding the 2025 Annual Accessibility Report. The Town is proud of the progress achieved in 2025 and remains committed to advancing the priorities outlined in the Multi-Year Accessibility Plan, continuing to identify and remove barriers, and enhancing accessibility throughout the Town of Georgina and the community.

### **2025 Climate Action Year In Review**

Council received the report regarding the 2025 Climate Action Year in Review. This is the first annual report regarding the implementation of the Climate Action Plan. Staff continue to work cross departmentally and with external partners to advance the objectives outlined in the plan.

## **2025 Strategic Plan Annual Report**

Council received the report regarding the 2025 Strategic Plan Annual Report. This is the third in a series of annual reports associated with the Town's 2023-2027 Corporate Strategic Plan. The annual report provided Council with an update on how the Town is progressing towards meeting its strategic goals. In year three (2025), staff made significant strides toward achieving the Town's goals with 82.4 per cent (56 of 68 initiatives) completed or progressed to their final stage over the course of the Strategic Plan, 10.3 per cent (7 of 68) initiatives in progress and 34 of 50 performance measures/indicators trending in the desired direction.

## **Single source extension of the Solid Waste Collection Contract with GFL Environmental Inc.**

Council received the report regarding a single source extension of the Solid Waste Collection Contract with GFL Environmental Inc. and approved a single source acquisition under the Town's Procurement Policy, being the extension of the current solid waste collection agreement with GFL for the period Jan. 1, 2028 to Sept. 30, 2029, subject to final review by Procurement Services and Legal Services. The extension is required to maintain uninterrupted curbside collection service while the N6 municipalities complete the next joint competitive procurement process for waste collection services and allow sufficient time for transition and implementation of the new long-term contract.

## **Closed session**

In regard to closed session Item 17.1.a, under Section 239 (3.1) of the Municipal Act, being education or training session regarding waste collection on request for proposal, That Council receive the training provided.

## **Additional Council information**

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