# THE CORPORATION OF THE TOWN OF GEORGINA

## **ACCESSIBILITY ADVISORY COMMITTEE MINUTES**

Monday, May 1, 2017 9:03 AM

## Staff:

Rachel Dillabough, Deputy Clerk
Patti White, Manager of Recreation Services

## Others:

None

## 1. ROLL CALL

The following Board Members were present:

Phyllis Baines, Chair Cindy Clarke Regional Councillor Naomi Davison Dale Genge Councillor Dave Harding Toby Merker Annette Piggott, Vice Chair Lorie Ross

## Regrets:

Robert McGill

Phil Rose-Donahoe, Manager of Cultural Services

- 2. INTRODUCTION OF ADDENDUM ITEM(S) None.
- APPROVAL OF AGENDA

Moved by Lorie Ross, Seconded by Councillor Dave Harding

## **RESOLUTION NO. GAAC-2017-0026**

That the agenda be approved as presented.

#### Carried.

4. DECLARATIONS OF PECUNIARY INTEREST AND GENERAL NATURE THEREOF None.

## ADOPTION OF MINUTES

Moved by Councillor Dave Harding, Seconded by Regional Councillor Naomi Davison

#### **RESOLUTION NO. GAAC-2017-0027**

That the following set of minutes, be adopted as presented:

(1) Minutes of the Meeting of Monday, April 10, 2017.

#### Carried.

- SPEAKERS None.
- 7. DELEGATIONS/PETITIONS None.
- 8. PRESENTATIONS None.
- 9. REPORTS None.
- 10. DISPOSITIONS/PROCLAMATIONS AND GENERAL INFORMATION ITEMS
  - (1) General Information Items.

Moved by Cindy Clarke, Seconded by Toby Merker

## **RESOLUTION NO. GAAC-2017-0028**

That the General Information Listing for May 1, 2017 be received.

## Carried.

Item 6 – Patti White provided an update on behalf of Phil Rose-Donahoe. The Town has awarded the contract and expect to commence work on the asphalt trail section in mid to late May (weather permitting). The ramp section for the beach is out for tender and will close the week of May 1, 2017. Work is expected to start the day after Labour Day for completion in late fall or early winter. The beach area Mobi Mat is being awarded at Council Wednesday and will be installed by Town Staff when the park opens Spring 2018. Lake Drive crossing components will be timed to coincide with total project completion (Spring 2018, with temporary line painting sooner as required).

The Committee would like an explanation why the project won't be done this year. Patti White advised the work will disrupt the use of the beach so work will take place this fall.

The Committee would like to see work done this summer.

The Committee questioned where the asphalt trail goes in the park. Patti White advised the trail runs from the parking lot to the playground to the washrooms.

Phyllis Baines questioned when the surface on the playground will be changed from woodchips to rubber. Patti White will check with Phil Rose-Donahoe.

Item 8 – Ideas have been taken to the committee and there are a lot of ideas coming in. The committee is working on deciding what project to do.

Item 10 – It is unclear when the trailer will be built. It will not be ready for the Music in the Streets event and there is another event on the fair weekend.

Item 11 -The Chamber is not distributing the letter and the sticker. The Town will be distributing the stickers with letter.

Item 16 – Annette Piggott is getting prices for a Hoyer lift and sling. It will cost approximately \$5,000.00 and it will have to go to Council as it is a liability. There may be additional costs for training.

Moved by Lorie Ross, Seconded by Cindy Clarke

#### **RESOLUTION NO. GAAC-2017-0029**

That the Committee approve the purchase of a Hoyer lift and sling for the Leisure Pool pending a costing report.

#### Carried.

Item 19 – Patti White advised Phil Rose-Donahoe suggested the Committee schedule a site visit at the Link. The Committee felt a site visit should be done at the Link prior to completion.

Moved by Annette Piggott, Seconded by Lorie Ross

## **RESOLUTION NO. GAAC-2017-0030**

That the Committee conduct a site visit at the Link.

#### Carried.

11. MOTIONS/NOTICES OF MOTION None.

## 12. OTHER BUSINESS

- (1) Second Barrier Free Trailer

  Item discussed under 10(1)(A).
- (2) Accessibility Reserve Fund project list Item discussed under 10(1)(A).
- (3) Project costing update on De La Salle Project Chart Item discussed under 10(1)(A).
- (4) Purchase of Hoyer Lift

  Item discussed under 10(1)(A).
- (5) Town of Georgina Multi-Year Plan Update Item discussed under 10(1)(A).
- (6) Seating at Ice Palace

The Committee discussed adjusting the seating at the Ice Palace to allow for accessible viewing. Viewers need to stand in order to watch the ice in the warm area. It is the expectation that the green pad will be done first and the blue pad will be done second. Raised seating with tables has been suggested so people could sit and watch in warm area. Ideas for accessible seating have been looked at as well. There could be a ramp with a raised platform for viewing added. The hope is to have the renovation completed by fall.

Toby Merker felt this was a great solution for viewing and also suggested lowering the height of one of the windows.

Regional Councillor Naomi Davison would like the Committee to think about some ideas for accessible seating.

(7) Accessibility Issues at Young's Harbour and Leash Free Dog Park

Toby Merker advised Young's Harbour and the Leash Free Dog Park are not accessible. The park is gated and the gate is not wide enough to allow accessibility. Toby Merker will be meeting with Andrew Wall.

Moved by Toby Merker, Seconded by Cindy Clarke

## **RESOLUTION NO. GAAC-2017-0031**

That the entrance gate at Young's Harbour and the Leash Free Dog Park be widened to allow accessibility.

## Carried.

# (8) Accessibility Forum

Annette Piggott advised the forum went well. Phyllis did a great job on behalf of the Committee.

Councillor Dave Harding advised comments were made at the forum that Georgina is progressive with respect to accessibility.

13. CLOSED SESSION, IF REQUIRED, None.

## 14. MOTION TO ADJOURN

Moved by Lorie Ross, Seconded by Regional Councillor Naomi Davison

## **RESOLUTION NO. GAAC-2017-0032**

That the meeting adjourn at 10:43 a.m.

Carried.

Phyllis Baines, Chair

Rachel Dillabough,

**Deputy Clerk**