



GEORGINA

Council Highlights

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York Region Official Plan Municipal Comprehensive Review, proposed 2051 population and employment forecast and land-needs assessment

Council received the report and the [presentation](#) from York Region staff. Council approved the recommendations which included support of the York Region Official Plan Municipal Comprehensive Review proposed 2051 forecast for the Town of a population of 71,900 and employment of 21,900 jobs. Council requested York Region place the expansion of the Keswick Water Resource Recovery Facility on the 10-year Capital Projects Plan in the earliest possible timeframe as the expansion is critical to meeting the population and employment targets for the Town. Council also reiterated an earlier request to York Region to similarly include the expansion of the Sutton Water Resource Recovery Facility in the Region's 10-year Capital Projects Plan.

Recreational cannabis retail stores public interest statement

Council received the report and approved the proposed [public interest statement](#) for cannabis retail stores. Council also approved a recommendation to delegate Planning Division staff to review the location of proposed recreational cannabis retail stores within Georgina and provide comment to the Alcohol and Gaming Commission of Ontario within the 15-day public notice period based on the Town's approved public interest statement.

Award of contract – pumper tanker fire apparatus

Council received the report and approved the recommendation to authorize the manager of Procurement Services to issue a purchase order to Safetek Emergency Vehicles Ltd. for the purpose of the supply and delivery of a pumper tanker fire apparatus. It will replace the current truck which is more than 23 years old and no longer meets the requirements of the Fire Underwriters Survey. This apparatus will be assigned to Station 1-8 in Pefferlaw.

Multi-Use Recreation Complex construction services

Council received the report and [presentation](#), approved the recommendations and approved the full build of the Multi-use Recreation Complex (MURC), including a Discovery Library branch. Council approved all related funding that will make up a project budget of \$50.2 million. It will be 100 per cent funded by development charges due to legislative changes at the provincial level. There will be no tax levy increases relating to the MURC capital and operating costs. Construction of the MURC is anticipated to begin in September 2021 with anticipated completion and the facility open for use expected in the fall of 2023.

Closed session

Moved by Councillor Neeson

Seconded by Councillor Harding

In regards to closed session Item. No. 18. 1. (a) of the agenda being a proposed or pending acquisition or disposition of land by the municipality or local board under section 239 (2) (c), of the Municipal Act regarding a verbal report from the CAO on potential acquisition or disposition of certain lands;

1. That Council receive the CAO's verbal update and direct staff to proceed accordingly and report back.

Carried

Moved by Councillor Waddington

Seconded by Councillor Neeson

In regards to closed session Item. 18. 1. (b) of the agenda being information explicitly supplied in confidence to the municipality or local board by Canada, a province or territory or a crown agency of any of them under section 239 (2) (h), of the Municipal Act regarding a staff verbal report, procurement matter, Egypt Works Yard update

1. That Council receive the verbal update and direct staff to proceed as discussed.

Carried.**Additional Council Information**

Comprehensive minutes of Georgina Town Council Meetings, which detail the full list of Council decisions, are available under [Agendas and Minutes](#) on the Town website once they have been ratified by Council.