

Council Highlights

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Verbal report - Multi-use Recreation Complex (MURC) update

Council received the verbal update on the status of construction of the MURC. Work completed to date includes installation of the water, sanitary and storm service pipes; preparation of the parking lot; site preparation; and temporary power has been installed. Most of the footings for the pool area and the installation of the concrete pool walls are complete, and concrete forming of the elevator shaft is nearing completion. The project is on schedule and on budget.

Pefferlaw Recreation Needs Study

Council received the report on the Pefferlaw Recreation Needs Study and approved the recommendations for new outdoor amenities for the community of Pefferlaw. Council approved a new combined skate and pump park, an outdoor sports zone on the Pefferlaw Ice Pad (PIP) for use outside the winter season, improved and enhanced existing pathway connections and park amenities, and a community garden. The new amenities will be on the grounds of Pefferlaw Park at 38 Pete's Lane.

Endorsement of the proposed Streetscape Design Manual

Council received the report and approved the recommendations to endorse the Streetscape Design Manual. It provides guidance on design details required to create aesthetically pleasing streetscapes that would be consistent with the Town's various policy documents (Secondary Plans and Community Improvement Plan). The manual also details how active transportation traffic (cycling, walking), street furniture, landscaping and place making can be incorporated into municipal and regional road allowances. Staff were directed to meet regularly with the Regional Municipality of York to review upcoming capital projects on regional road allowances and to explore all opportunities for grant funding that may assist with the implementation of streetscape enhancements.

Award of Ash tree removal and stumping contract

Council received the report and approved the recommendations to award the Ash tree removal and stumping contract to W. M. Weller Tree Service Ltd for the 32-month contract. This tree removal program is now being expanded to accelerate removals. It will remove all affected trees on municipal property within the Town over a three-year period, 2022 to 2024.

Closed session

In regards to Closed Session Item 18.1(a) on the agenda under Section 239(2)(b) of the Municipal Act, being personal matters about an identifiable individual including municipal or local board employees regarding a confidential attachment to the Committee of Adjustment for the remainder of the 2018-2022 term of office:

1. That staff be directed to proceed accordingly.

- 2. That Council receive Report No. LS-2022-0007, prepared by the Clerk's Division, Legislative Services Department, dated April 27, 2022, respecting the appointment to the Town of Georgina Committee of Adjustment for the remainder of the 2018-2022 Term of Office.
- 3. That Council execute the necessary by-law to give effect to the appointment.
- 4. That the appointment of the applicant selected by Council come into effect upon the execution of the by-law to give effect to the appointment and the acceptance of appointment by the respective committee designate.

Additional Council Information

Comprehensive minutes of Georgina Town Council Meetings, which detail the full list of Council decisions, are available under <u>Agendas and Minutes</u> on the Town website once they have been ratified by Council.