



Wednesday, February 24, 2021

2. Approval of Agenda

CW073-2021

That the agenda for the Committee of Council Meeting of February 24, 2021 be approved, as amended, to add the following:

- 11.3.1 Discussion Item at the request of Regional Councillor Dhillon, re:
Brampton Beast

Carried

4. Consent

CW074-2021

That the following items to the Committee of Council Meeting of February 24, 2021 be approved as part of Consent:

(8.3.1, 9.4.1, 11.2.4, 11.4.1, 12.2.1, 12.2.2, 12.2.4, 12.2.5, 12.2.6, 12.2.7, 15.1)

Yea (11): Mayor Patrick Brown, Regional Councillor Santos , Regional Councillor Vicente , City Councillor Whillans, Regional Councillor Palleschi, Regional Councillor Medeiros, City Councillor Bowman, City Councillor Williams , Regional Councillor Fortini , City Councillor Singh, and Regional Councillor Dhillon

Carried (11 to 0)

6. Government Relations Matters

6.1 CW075-2021

That the staff update re: **Government Relations Matters**, to the Committee of Council Meeting of February 24, 2021, be received.

Carried

CW076-2021

Whereas a major transmission corridor through the Region of Peel is a significant provincial investment and must be done thoughtfully and with sufficient review and;

Whereas the EA initiated by the previous provincial government was cancelled due to strong objection from experts in rural development, renewable cities, agriculture, environment and efficient transportation and;

Whereas the Province's proposal to fast-track the environmental assessment process represents key environmental, social and economic risks to the City of Brampton and the Region of Peel and;

Whereas Environmental Defence has filed a request for designation under Section 9 of the Federal Impact Assessment Act requesting the GTA West proposed project and associated major transmission corridor be considered within federal jurisdiction and;

Whereas the TRCA, the regulatory authority for developments in flood plains, wetlands and valley lands, has objected to the potential impact of the proposed major transmission corridor as well as the streamlined Environmental Assessment process, and;

Whereas a federal environmental assessment represents a key opportunity for enhanced oversight of the GTA West Major Transmission Corridor;

Therefore be it resolved that the City of Brampton request the Government of Canada to conduct an Environmental Impact Assessment of the proposed major transmission corridor, including the boulevard option and;

That a copy of this motion be sent to Prime Minister Justin Trudeau, Minister of Transportation Caroline Mulroney, Minister of Environment and Climate Change Jonathan Wilkinson, all Brampton MP's and MPP's and Mississauga, Caledon and Peel Councils.

Yea (11): Mayor Patrick Brown, Regional Councillor Santos , Regional Councillor Vicente , City Councillor Whillans, Regional Councillor Palleschi, Regional Councillor Medeiros, City Councillor Bowman, City Councillor Williams , Regional Councillor Fortini , City Councillor Singh, and Regional Councillor Dhillon

Carried (11 to 0)

6.2 CW077-2021

That the update from Mayor P. Brown, re: **COVID-19 Emergency**, to the Committee of Council Meeting of February 24, 2021, be received.

Carried

7. Public Delegations

7.1 CW078-2021

That the delegation from Johanne Rappoccio, VP Operations, Bempro Global Group, to the Committee of Council Meeting of February 24, 2021, re: **Overview of the Impacts of COVID-19 on Bempro Global Group**, be received.

Carried

7.2 CW079-2021

That the delegation from Sena Munasinghe, President, Sri Lanka Canada Association of Brampton, to the Committee of Council Meeting of February 24, 2021, re: **Peace Monument for all Sri Lankans**, be received.

Yea (11): Mayor Patrick Brown, Regional Councillor Santos , Regional Councillor Vicente , City Councillor Whillans, Regional Councillor Palleschi, Regional Councillor Medeiros, City Councillor Bowman, City Councillor Williams , Regional Councillor Fortini , City Councillor Singh, and Regional Councillor Dhillon

Carried (11 to 0)

8. Community Services Section

(Regional Councillor R. Santos, Chair; City Councillor C. Williams, Vice-Chair)

^8.3.1 CW080-2021

That the **Minutes of the Brampton Sports Hall of Fame Committee Meeting of February 4, 2021**, to the Committee of Council Meeting of February 24, 2021, Recommendations SHF001-2021 to SHF003-2021 be approved, as published and circulated.

Carried

The recommendations were approved as follows:

SHF001-2021

That the Agenda for the Brampton Sports Hall of Fame Committee meeting of February 4, 2021 be approved as published and circulated.

SHF002-2021

That the discussion, re: Format for the 2021 Brampton Sports Hall of Fame Induction Ceremony to the Sports Hall of Fame Committee meeting of February 4, 2021 be received.

SHF003-2021

That Brampton Sports Hall of Fame do now adjourn to meet again on March 4, 2021 at 7:00 p.m. or at the call of the Chair.

9. Legislative Services Section

(City Councillor J. Bowman, Chair; City Councillor D. Whillans, Vice-Chair)

9.3.1 CW081-2021

That staff be requested to report on options with respect to business licensing fees during the COVID-19 pandemic, to the March 10, 2021 Committee of Council meeting.

Carried

^9.4.1 CW082-2021

That the correspondence from Brampton NDP MPPs Gurratan Singh, Kevin Yarde and Sara Singh, dated February 10, 2021, to the Committee of Council Meeting of February 24, 2021, re: **Approval of Cannabis Stores in Brampton**, be received.

Carried

10. Economic Development Section

(Regional Councillor M. Medeiros, Chair; Regional Councillor P. Vicente, Vice-Chair)

10.1.1 CW083-2021

That the presentation titled: **Support Local Brampton Update (File CE.x)**, to the Committee of Council Meeting of February 24, 2021, be received.

Carried

10.1.2 CW084-2021

That the presentation titled: **Industrial Commercial Investment (ICI) Outreach Program (File CE.x)**, to the Committee of Council Meeting of February 24, 2021, be received.

Carried

11. Corporate Services Section

(City Councillor H. Singh, Chair; Regional Councillor R. Santos, Vice-Chair)

11.1.1 CW085-2021

1. That the staff presentation, re: **Request to Begin Procurement – Multi-functional Print Services**, to the Committee of Council Meeting of February 24, 2021, be received.
2. That the staff report titled: **Supplementary Report - Request to Begin Procurement – Multi-Functional Printers and Services, Print Shop Printers and Services, Specialized Printers**, to the Committee of Council Meeting of February 24, 2021, be received; and
3. That the Purchasing Agent be authorized to commence procurement of Multi-Functional Printers and Services, Print Shop Printers and Services and Specialized Printers.

Carried

11.2.1 CW086-2021

That the report titled: **Purchasing Activity Quarterly Report – 4th Quarter 2020**, to the Committee of Council Meeting of February 24, 2021, be received.

Carried

11.2.2 CW087-2021

That the report titled: **Property Tax Assistance for 2021**, to the Committee of Council Meeting February 24, 2021, be **referred** to staff for further consideration and a report back in detail on the various options available.

Yea (11): Mayor Patrick Brown, Regional Councillor Santos , Regional Councillor Vicente , City Councillor Whillans, Regional Councillor Palleschi, Regional Councillor Medeiros, City Councillor Bowman, City Councillor Williams , Regional Councillor Fortini , City Councillor Singh, and Regional Councillor Dhillon

Carried (11 to 0)

11.2.3 CW088-2021

1. That the report titled: **Annual Sponsorship Update 2021**, to the Committee of Council Meeting of February 24, 2021, be **deferred** to the March 10, 2021 Committee of Council Meeting; and
2. That the awarding of sponsorships be paused in the interim.

Carried

^11.2.4 CW089-2021

1. That the staff report titled: **2021 Brampton Farmers' Market Location**, to the Committee of Council Meeting of February 24, 2021, be received; and
2. That Gage Park, Wellington Street West and Ken Whillans Square be approved as the temporary location for the 2021 and, if required, the 2022 season of the Brampton Farmers' Market, based on stakeholder feedback.

Carried

^11.4.1 CW090-2021

That the correspondence from Robert Tremblay, President, AMCTO, dated February 18, 2021, to the Committee of Council Meeting of February 24, 2021, re: **An Open Letter to Ontario Municipal Councils**, be received.

Carried

12. Public Works and Engineering Section

(Regional Councillor P. Vicente, Chair; Regional Councillor P. Fortini, Vice-Chair)

^12.2.1 CW091-2021

1. That the staff report titled: **Traffic By-law 93-93 - Administrative Update (File I.AC)**, to the Committee of Council Meeting of February 24, 2021, be received; and,

2. That a by-law be passed to amend Traffic By-law 93-93, as amended, as outlined in the subject report.

Carried

^12.2.2 CW092-2021

1. That the report titled: **All-way Stop Review – Landview Road and Cloverhaven Road/ Dinosaur Street - Ward 10 (File I.AC)**, to the Committee of Council Meeting of February 24, 2021, be received; and,
2. That a by-law be passed to amend Traffic By-law 93-93, as amended, to implement an all-way stop control at the intersection of Landview Road and Cloverhaven Road/ Dinosaur Street (Ward 10).

Carried

12.2.3 CW093-2021

1. That the report titled: **Parking/Stopping Related Concerns – Finley Road - Ward 3 (File I.AC)**, to the Committee of Council Meeting of February 24, 2021 be received; and,
2. That a by-law be passed to amend Traffic By-law 93-93, as amended, to implement “No Stopping, Anytime” restrictions on the north side of Finley Road between West Drive and the westerly limit of Finley Road (including cul-de-sac).

Carried

^12.2.4 CW094-2021

1. That the report titled: **Request to Begin Procurement – 2021 Road Resurfacing – Wards 1-9**, to the Committee of Council Meeting of February 24, 2021, be received; and
2. That the Purchasing Agent be authorized to commence the procurement for the 2021 Road Resurfacing Program.

Carried

^12.2.5 CW095-2021

1. That the report titled: **Request to Begin Procurement – Hiring of Consultants and General Contractors for Various New Construction and State of Good Repair Projects**, to the Committee of Council Meeting of February, 24, 2021, be received;
2. That the Purchasing Agent be authorized to commence the procurement for Consulting services for the design and contract administration of a new Animal Shelter;
3. That the Purchasing Agent be authorized to commence the procurement for General Contracting services for the demolition project at Victoria Park Arena;
4. That the Purchasing Agent be authorized to commence the procurement for General Contracting services for the new construction project Fire Station 201 at 25 Rutherford Rd S.;
5. That the Purchasing Agent be authorized to commence the procurement for General Contracting services for the roof replacement for Clark Transit facility;
6. That the Purchasing Agent be authorized to commence the procurement for General Contracting services for the rehabilitation of the garage for Market Square Parking Garage;
7. That the Purchasing Agent be authorized to commence the procurement for General Contracting services for the replacement of LED Pylon Signs for multiple facilities;
8. That the Purchasing Agent be authorized to commence the procurement for General Contracting services for the Roof and Building Repairs at Century Gardens Recreation Centre;
9. That the Purchasing Agent be authorized to commence the procurement for General Contracting services for the Change Room Refresh at Earnscliffe Recreation Centre;
10. That the Purchasing Agent be authorized to commence the procurement for General Contracting services for the addition at Bramalea Tennis Club; and
11. That the appropriate City officials be authorized and directed to take the necessary action to give effect thereto.

Carried

^12.2.6 CW096-2021

1. That the report titled: **Downtown Brampton Flood Protection: Federal Contribution Agreement and Commencement of Procurement**, to the Committee of Council Meeting of February 24, 2021 be received;
2. That staff be authorized on behalf of the City to enter into a Contribution Agreement with the Government of Canada to access up to \$38.8M of Federal funds towards the implementation of the Downtown Brampton Flood Protection solution recommended in the approved Environmental Assessment, representing the amount approved by the Federal Government under the Disaster Mitigation and Adaptation Fund;
3. That Council commit the remaining project costs of \$67.6M for implementation of the Downtown Brampton Flood Protection; and
4. That the Purchasing Agent be authorized to begin procurement for detailed design of the Downtown Brampton Flood Protection works.

Carried

^12.2.7 CW097-2021

1. That the report titled: **Recommendation for Options and Request to Begin Procurement for the Scott Street Bridge Replacement - Ward 1**, to the Committee of Council Meeting of February 24, 2021, be received;
2. That staff be directed to proceed with the design and construction of the temporary pre-fabricated steel truss structure that will accommodate pedestrians and cyclists (Option 4); and
3. That the Purchasing Agent be authorized to commence the procurement for the replacement of the Scott Street Bridge.

Carried

12.3.1 CW098-2021

That the delegation from Jack Gibbons, Chair, Ontario Clean Air Alliance, to the Environment Advisory Committee Meeting of February 9, 2021, re: Municipal Resolution - Phasing Out Ontario's Gas-Fired Power Plants be received; and,

WHEREAS the Government of Ontario is forecast to increase greenhouse gas (GHG) emissions from Ontario's natural gas-fired power plants from 3 megatonnes CO₂e in 2017 to 11 megatonnes CO₂e by 2030 and to approximately 13 megatonnes CO₂e by 2040, reversing more than a third of the GHG reductions that were achieved by phasing out coal-fired power plants; and,

WHEREAS GHG emissions are causing temperatures to rise in Canada at more than double the rate of the rest of the world, causing impacts to municipal operations and affecting City of Brampton residents; and,

WHEREAS, in June 2019, the City of Brampton declared a climate emergency; and,

WHEREAS, in September 2020, the City of Brampton approved the City's first comprehensive Community Energy and Emissions Reductions Plan (CEERP); and,

WHEREAS the CEERP sets out ambitious goals, including reducing GHG emissions by 30% from 2016 levels by 2030, 50% by 2040, and at least 80% by 2050; and

WHEREAS, if the City is to meet its targets under the CEERP, the Ontario electricity grid must remain low carbon; and,

NOW THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED:

1. That the City of Brampton requests the Government of Ontario to place an interim cap of 2.5 megatonnes per year on GHG emissions from Ontario's natural gas-fired power plants and develop and implement a plan to phase-out all natural gas-fired electricity generation by 2030 to ensure that Ontario meets its climate targets; and,
2. That the City of Brampton request that the Government of Ontario invest in residential, business, industrial and institutional energy efficiency programs to reduce the need for additional natural gas-fired power plants; and,
3. That this resolution be sent to the Minister Environment, Conservation, and Parks, the Minister of Energy, Northern Development and Mines, David Piccini, MPP, and Ontario Premier Doug Ford.

Yea (10): Regional Councillor Santos , Regional Councillor Vicente , City Councillor Whillans, Regional Councillor Palleschi, Regional Councillor Medeiros, City Councillor Bowman, City Councillor Williams , Regional Councillor Fortini , City Councillor Singh, and Regional Councillor Dhillon

Absent (1): Mayor Patrick Brown

Carried (10 to 0)

CW099-2021

That the **Minutes of the Environment Advisory Committee Meeting of February 9, 2021**, to the Committee of Council Meeting of February 24, 2021, Recommendations EAC001-2021 to EAC009-2021 be approved, as published and circulated.

Carried

The recommendations were approved as follows:

EAC001-2021

That the agenda for the Environment Advisory Committee Meeting of February 9, 2021, be approved, as published and circulated.

EAC002-2021

That the delegation from Jack Gibbons, Chair, Ontario Clean Air Alliance, to the Environment Advisory Committee Meeting of February 9, 2021, re: Municipal Resolution - Phasing Out Ontario's Gas-Fired Power Plants be received; and,

WHEREAS the Government of Ontario is forecast to increase greenhouse gas (GHG) emissions from Ontario's natural gas-fired power plants from 3 megatonnes CO₂e in 2017 to 11 megatonnes CO₂e by 2030 and to approximately 13 megatonnes CO₂e by 2040, reversing more than a third of the GHG reductions that were achieved by phasing out coal-fired power plants; and,

WHEREAS GHG emissions are causing temperatures to rise in Canada at more than double the rate of the rest of the world, causing impacts to municipal operations and affecting City of Brampton residents; and,

WHEREAS, in June 2019, the City of Brampton declared a climate emergency; and,

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WHEREAS the CEERP sets out ambitious goals, including reducing GHG emissions by 30% from 2016 levels by 2030, 50% by 2040, and at least 80% by 2050; and

WHEREAS, if the City is to meet its targets under the CEERP, the Ontario electricity grid must remain low carbon; and,

NOW THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED that it is the position of the Environment Advisory Committee:

1. That the City of Brampton requests the Government of Ontario to place an interim cap of 2.5 megatonnes per year on GHG emissions from Ontario's natural gas-fired power plants and develop and implement a plan to phase-out all natural gas-fired electricity generation by 2030 to ensure that Ontario meets its climate targets; and,
2. That the City of Brampton request that the Government of Ontario invest in residential, business, industrial and institutional energy efficiency programs to reduce the need for additional natural gas-fired power plants; and,
3. That this resolution be sent to the Minister Environment, Conservation, and Parks, the Minister of Energy, Northern Development and Mines, David Piccini, MPP, and Ontario Premier Doug Ford.

EAC003-2021

1. That the presentation from Karley Cianchino, Environmental Planning Student, Public Works and Engineering, to the Environment Advisory Committee of February 9, 2021 re: Pursuing Bee City Canada designation for the City of Brampton be received;
2. That the Environment Advisory Committee endorse the City of Brampton pursuing the Bee City Canada designation, and recommend that Council direct City staff to submit the Bee City Canada application to designate Brampton as a Bee City.

EAC004-2021

1. That the verbal update from Michael Hoy, Supervisor, Environmental Planning, Public Works and Engineering, to the Environment Advisory Committee Meeting of February 9, 2021, re: Centre for Community Energy Transformation (CCET) be received; and,
2. That the delegation by Sylvia Roberts, Brampton Resident, to the Environment Advisory Committee meeting of February 9, 2021, re: Centre for Community Energy Transformation (CCET), be received.

EAC005-2021

That the verbal update from David Laing, Grow Green Network Working Group Chair, to the Environment Advisory Committee Meeting of February 9, 2021, re: Status of the Grow Green Network, be received.

EAC006-2021

That the verbal update from Michael Hoy, Supervisor, Environmental Planning, to the Environment Advisory Committee Meeting of February 9, 2021, re: Progress on the Grow Green Network Website Update be received.

EAC007-2021

That the verbal update from Zoe Milligan, Environmental Project Specialist, Public Works and Engineering, to the Environment Advisory Committee Meeting of February 9, 2021, re: Designating September as Brampton Tree Month be received.

EAC008-2021

That the Correspondence from City Councillor Whillans, to the Environment Advisory Committee Meeting of February 9, 2021, re: Atlas365 Inc. Announcement titled "Black Entrepreneurs Get Green, In A Majority White Cannabis Industry: Atlas365 Inc. Secures Oversubscribed Round for New Portfolio Company: Canurta Inc.", be received.

EAC009-2021

That the Environment Advisory Committee do now adjourn to meet again on Tuesday, April 13, 2021 at 6:00 p.m. or at the call of the Chair.

12.3.2 CW100-2021

That the following item be **deferred** to the March 10, 2021 Committee of Council Meeting:

Discussion Item at the request of Regional Councillor Dhillon re: Street Parking in Countryside Village

Carried

15. Closed Session

15.1 CW101-2021

That the Director, Strategic Communications and Corporate Support Services, be delegated authority to approve and execute any required agreements and other documents deemed necessary for completing the induction into the Arts Walk of Fame 2021 program, on such terms and conditions as may be satisfactory to the Senior Manager, Cultural Services or designate, and in a form satisfactory to the City Solicitor or designate.

Carried

16. Adjournment

CW102-2021

That the Committee of Council do now adjourn to meet again on Wednesday, March 10, 2021 at 9:30 a.m. or at the call of the Chair.

Carried