# **Government Relations Matters**

City Council June 15, 2022



## **Region of Peel**

**Regional Committees** 



### **Region of Peel Accessibility Advisory Committee**

Thursday, 16 June 2022 @ 9:30 AM | Meeting agenda is available here

### **Government Relations Committee**

Thursday, 16 June 2022 @ 11:00 AM | Meeting agenda is available here

### **Regional Council Policies and Procedures Subcommittee**

Thursday, 16 June 2022 @ 1:00 PM | Meeting agenda is available here

The Public Affairs team reviewed the committee agendas and engaged with relevant department staff.



## **Region of Peel**





### 6.1 2022 Association of Municipalities of Ontario (AMO) Annual Conference Update (Recommendation)

Summary:

• The report contains the proposed list of delegations with Provincial Ministers and outlines the preparation process for the 2022 AMO Conference.

### Staff Comments (Public Affairs):

- The deadline to submit delegation requests is Friday June 24, 2022 and the Public Affairs team has identified twelve (12) delegation meetings to be submitted.
- As in previous years, the Public Affairs team works with departments to prepare detailed advocacy materials, including schedule and issues coordination with the Region.

Staff Recommendation:

• Support recommendation



#### 4 | Provincial Updates

## **Provincial Government**

Updates



**June 8, 2022:** most of the province's remaining provincial masking requirements, including on public transit, have expired as of 12:00 a.m. on June 11, 2022

- Masks will still be required in long-term care and retirement homes.
- The province will continue to monitor for any significant changes, including any new variants of concern.

The Government Relations team is working with the Mayor's office on congratulatory letters to the Premier and newly elected Brampton MPPs.



## **Federal Government**

## Canada

Updates



**June 9, 2022:** Bill C-8, An Act to implement certain provisions of the economic and fiscal update tabled in Parliament on December 14, 2021 and other measures received Royal Assent.

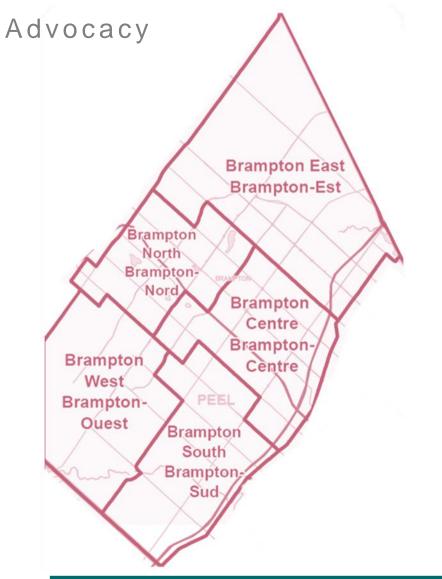
- Implements a national, annual 1% tax on the value of nonresident, non-Canadian-owned residential real estate in Canada that is considered to be vacant or underused.
- Up to an additional \$1.72B for COVID-19 rapid tests.

**June 8, 2022:** the Minister of Seniors, announced the launch of a new initiative called Age Well at Home.

- Budget 2021 provided \$90M in funding for Age Well at Home.
- Under the calls for proposals, organizations will be able to apply for funding for projects from two streams:
  - In-Home Support Pilot Projects
  - Scaling Up for Seniors.
- Application deadline is July 22, 2022.



## **Federal Government**



### **Meeting with Brampton Members of Parliament**

- Confirmed a meeting with Brampton Members of Parliament (MPs) on **Tuesday June 28, 2022**.
- Opportunity for Council and MPs to highlight key issues, share updates, identify opportunities for collaboration.
- The Government Relations team coordinating details.





Canada

### THANK YOU!

