



GEORGINA

**THE CORPORATION OF THE
TOWN OF GEORGINA
Council Agenda**

Wednesday, April 2, 2025
9:00 AM

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1. CALL TO ORDER- MOMENT OF MEDITATION

“The Town of Georgina recognizes and acknowledges that we are on lands originally used and occupied by the First Peoples of the Williams Treaties First Nations and other Indigenous Peoples, and on behalf of Mayor and Council, we would like to thank them for sharing this land. We would also like to acknowledge the Chippewas of Georgina Island First Nation as our close neighbour and friend, one with which we strive to build a cooperative and respectful relationship.

We also recognize the unique relationship the Chippewas have with the lands and waters of this territory. They are the water protectors and environmental stewards of these lands and we join them in these responsibilities.”

2. ROLL CALL

3. COMMUNITY ANNOUNCEMENTS

1. Pet Of The Month - Animal Shelter staff introducing pets available for adoption from the Georgina Animal Shelter

4. INTRODUCTION OF ADDENDUM ITEM(S)

5. APPROVAL OF AGENDA

6. DECLARATION OF PECUNIARY INTEREST AND GENERAL NATURE THEREOF

7. ADOPTION OF MINUTES

8. SPEAKERS AND DELEGATIONS

1. PRESENTATION; Claire Malcolmson providing information on freshwater salt pollution and the need for salt management

(Advisement: Refer to Item 13.1, a Motion regarding salt management)

9. PETITIONS

10. PUBLIC MEETINGS None

1. Statutory Meeting(s) Under The Planning Act Or Meetings Pertaining To The Continuation Of Planning Matters

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2. Statutory Meeting(s) Under Other Legislation
3. Other Public Meetings

11. REPORTS

1. Adoption Of Reports Not Requiring Separate Discussion

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| a. Proposed Modifications to the Community improvement Plan (CIP) Grant Programs | 9 |
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Report No. SI-2025-0002

Recommendation(s):

1. That Council receive Report No. SI-2025-0002 prepared by the Economic Development and Tourism Division, Strategic Initiatives Department dated April 2, 2025 respecting proposed modifications to the Community Improvement Plan (CIP) Grant Programs.
2. That Council adopt the proposed modifications to the Community Improvement Plan (CIP) Grant Program as follows:
 - Enhance the scope of the Accessibility Grant in order to support interior renovations intended to improve accessibility.
 - Increase the maximum allowable grant for all grant streams within the Community Improvement (CIP) Grant Program from \$5,000 to \$7,500.

2. Reports Requiring Separate Discussion

12. DISPOSITIONS, PROCLAMATIONS, AND GENERAL INFORMATION ITEMS

1. Dispositions/Proclamations

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| a. Georgina Agricultural Advisory Committee requesting the Georgina Fire Department provide Grain Bin Safety Training | 12 |
| b. Nottawasaga Valley Conservation Authority Board of Directors opposition to the proposed amalgamation of the NVCA and the LSRCA | 13 |
| c. B'Nai Brith National Organization of Canada requesting municipalities across Canada to ban the public display of the nazi swastika and other nazi symbols | 21 |
| d. Town of Richmond Hill requesting endorsement of its position concerning the redistribution of Provincial Sales Tax and GST to municipalities | 23 |

(Advisement: Town Council passed a similar motion on

January 15, 2025 in support of the Region of York's position on this matter)

e.	Georgina Equity and Diversity Advisory Committee requesting 'Hate Has No Place Here' stickers be re-printed for distribution	25
f.	Bradford West Gwillimbury requesting endorsement of its position on landlord tenant reform and the creation of balanced protections	26
g.	Georgina Accessibility Advisory Committee requesting that staff review and suggest additional accessible participation opportunities for the Georgina Ice Palace	28
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17.	CLOSED SESSION	
1.	Motion to move into Closed Session of Council	
a.	PERSONAL MATTERS ABOUT AN IDENTIFIABLE INDIVIDUAL, INCLUDING MUNICIPAL OR LOCAL BOARD EMPLOYEES, Section 239(2)(b), MA; Volunteer Award of Merit Nominees	
2.	Motion to reconvene into Open Session of Council and report on matters discussed in Closed Session	
18.	CONFIRMING BYLAW	

1. Bylaw Number 2025-0024 (COU-2) confirming proceedings of Council on April 2, 2025

19. MOTION TO ADJOURN