

MEMORANDUM

TO: Mayor Quirk
Members of Council

FROM: Rachel Dillabough, Town Clerk

SUBJECT: General Information Items

DATE: April 10, 2024

Please notify the Clerk's office if you wish to have any of these items placed on the agenda for discussion:

- i) Township of Adelaide Metcalfe requesting the Province consider increasing the maximum annual tile loan limit to a minimum of \$100,000, from the 2004 level of \$50,000.
- ii) Clearview Township endorsing Bill C-63, The Online Harms Act requiring online tech companies and social media platforms remove child pornography and other dangerous content within 24 hours once identified by the operator.
- iii) Prince Edward County encouraging the Province to create a Municipal Accessibility Fund for municipalities to develop, implement and enforce OADA standards.
- iv) City of Brantford requesting the Federal government to exclude home heating from the federal carbon tax to reduce the burden on citizens and reinstate home energy retrofit rebate and grand programs.
- v) Township of Warwick supporting a measured approach to Ontario's energy transition
- vi) Town of Shelburne encouraging all levels of government to eradicate all forms of racism, especially Islamophobia and antisemitism.
- vii) Town of Richmond Hill requesting the Federal government maintain the Canada Community-Building Fund to provide infrastructure funding to support growth
- viii) Regional Council Decision; York Region Vision Zero Traveller Safety Plan to reduce severe collisions and create a safer traveller experience.
- ix) Regional Council Decision; York Region's Norther Six Municipalities Housing Accelerator Fund Applications
- x) Regional Council Decision; 2024-2027 York Region Plan to Support Seniors - Navigating Forward Together including; mandating prevention-focused annual in-home supports, policy planning and funding across seniors continuum of health and social care, sustainable funding for preventative and responsive Community Para-medicine programs to assist vulnerable seniors in their homes, investments to sustain, scale and spread programs and supports to enhance seniors' access to technology, establishment of provincial service system manager to coordinate and align improvements across multiple ministries, sectors and stakeholders supporting seniors.
- xi) Regional Council Decision; A Place to Thrive, York Region's 2024 to 2027 Plan for Newcomer Inclusion to support the success of newcomers settling in York Region under three priority areas – Economic Prosperity, Social Inclusion and Healthy Communities.

- xii) Regional Council Decision; Approach to Developing York Region's 2025 to 2035 10-Year Housing and Homelessness Plan, anticipated to be brought to Council in Q2 of 2025 and implementation plans for each segment of the housing continuum in 2024 that will inform the 10-year plan.
- xiii) Regional Council Decision; GO Transit Station Funding Act, 2023 – Regulatory Recommendations, requesting the Province for clarification concerning a Station Contribution Fee

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