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**THE TOWNSHIP OF GEORGIAN BAY
Council**

DATE: 10 May 2021

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Mayor Koetsier	_____	_____	

DEFERRED _____ **CARRIED** X **DEFEATED** _____ **REFERRED** _____

BE IT RESOLVED THAT Council endorse the Township of The Archipelago Resolutions 21-073 regarding road management action on invasive phragmites.

Peter Koetsier
Mayor



Township of The Archipelago

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April 9, 2021

21-073

**Moved by Councillor Barton
Seconded by Councillor Manner**

RE: Road Management Action On Invasive Phragmites

WHEREAS Phragmites australis (Phragmites) is an invasive perennial grass that continues to cause severe damage to wetlands and beaches in areas around the Great Lakes including Georgian Bay; and

WHEREAS Phragmites australis grows and spreads rapidly, allowing the plant to invade new areas and grow into large monoculture stands in a short amount of time, and is an allelopathic plant that secretes toxins from its roots into the soil which impede the growth of neighboring plant species; and

WHEREAS Phragmites australis results in loss of biodiversity and species richness, loss of habitat, changes in hydrology due to its high metabolic rate, changes in nutrient cycling as it is slow to decompose, an increased fire hazard due to the combustibility of its dead stalks, and can have an adverse impact on agriculture, particularly in drainage ditches; and

WHEREAS invasive Phragmites has been identified as Canada's worst invasive plant species by Agriculture and Agrifood Canada; and

WHEREAS the Ontario government has made it illegal to import, deposit, release, breed/grow, buy, sell, lease or trade invasive Phragmites under the Invasive Species Act; and

WHEREAS Phragmites occupy over 4,800 hectares of land around Lake St. Clair alone, while 212 hectares of Phragmites occupy land along the St. Lawrence River. The Georgian Bay Area is particularly affected by Phragmites australis, with more than 700 stands along the shorelines and multiple visible stands on the highways and roads that threaten valuable infrastructure and wetland areas; and

WHEREAS volunteers, non-governmental organizations, and various municipalities have invested tens of thousands of dollars in investments and labour annually for more than eight years in executing managements plans to control invasive Phragmites on roads, coasts, shorelines and in wetlands; and

WHEREAS roads and highways where Phragmites that are left untreated become spread vectors that continually risk new and treated wetlands and coastal shoreline areas; and

WHEREAS according to “Smart Practices for the Control of Invasive Phragmites along Ontario’s Roads” by the Ontario Phragmites Working Group, best road management practices for Phragmites australis include early detection, herbicide application, and cutting; and

WHEREAS these best management practices are most effective when used in a multi-pronged approach as opposed to when used as stand-alone control measures; and

WHEREAS mother nature does not recognize political boundaries. Therefore, it is imperative that Municipalities, Districts, the Province, and the Federal government work together in collaboration to eradicate Canada’s worst invasive plant species Phragmites australis;

NOW THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED that Council for the Corporation of the Township of The Archipelago directs its staff to implement best management practices to promote early detection of invasive Phragmites, and to implement best management practices for invasive Phragmites, and to join the Ontario Phragmites Working Group to collaborate on the eradication of Phragmites in Ontario.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that Council for the Corporation of the Township of The Archipelago directs staff to insert clean equipment protocols into tenders and that there is oversight that the protocols are followed; and

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that Council for the Corporation of the Township of The Archipelago requests the Ontario Ministry of Transportation to map and treat invasive Phragmites annually on all its highways; and

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that the Ontario Ministry of Transportation (MTO) communicates the strategy on mapping (detecting sites) and controlling invasive Phragmites on provincial highways, the specific highway management plans and results by each MTO region and each highway in the region and work in coordination with the Township of The Archipelago; and

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that Council for the Corporation of the Township of The Archipelago directs its staff to send this resolution to all municipalities that are part of the Georgian Bay watershed, to all municipalities in the Great Lakes watershed, to the Minister of Transportation, Christopher Balasa the Manager, Maintenance Management Office, and MPP Norman Miller.

BE IT FINALLY RESOLVED that Council for the Corporation of the Township of The Archipelago requests all levels of government to consider funding support to aid the Township of The Archipelago in managing invasive phragmites; and directs staff to send a copy of this resolution to the Ontario Minister of Environment, Conservation and Parks and the Minister of Environment and Climate Change Canada.

Carried.

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May 13, 2021

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- PJ Marshall Awards - Call for submissions for 2021.
- AMO 2021 Conference: Women's Leadership Forum.
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- Don't forget to request your delegation meetings!
- June date added: *Leading Through Crisis: Strengthening Personal Resilience*.
- Space available for AMO's Land Use Planning workshops: May 27 & June 3.
- What's new and what's changed at MindBeacon.
- The Blue Box Regulation Update blog.
- LAS webinar: Waterworks supplies.
- Time to report your annual energy use.
- OMWA Water 101 for Councillors & Senior Staff webinar.
- IESO launches engagement on Gas Phase-out Impact Assessment.
- Intelligent Public Sector Showcase: May 26 - 28.
- Careers: Ministry of Finance and Windsor.

AMO Matters

AMO has [submitted feedback](#) on Health Canada's draft guidance on personal production of medical cannabis. The submission is informed by AMO's Personal and Designated Medical Cannabis Staff Working Group.

Every year at the AMO Conference the [PJ Marshall Awards](#) recognize municipal excellence and innovation in capital projects, operating efficiencies and new approaches to service delivery. If you have something you are proud to share, the deadline for [2021 submissions](#) is May 28, 2021.

Eye on Events

Moderated by Nam Kiwanuka, host of TVO's *The Agenda in the Summer*, join this year's esteemed panelists for the second annual Women's Leadership Forum: the Honourable Elizabeth Dowdeswell, OC OOnt, Lieutenant Governor of Ontario; the Honourable Jean Augustine PC CM OOnt CBE; and Elizabeth May OC, Member of

Parliament for Saanich-Gulf Islands. [Register today!](#)

This year's AMO 2021 Conference Women's Networking Session will be hosted by the Honourable Jill Dunlop, Associate Minister of Children and Women's Issues. Join this 1 hour session on [Tuesday August 17](#).

2020 was an historical moment for laying bear the necessity to honestly and transparently face the issues of human rights, diversity, equity and inclusion. AMO has developed training to help members better understand these important and complex issues along with their roles and obligations. Space is limited. Register [here](#).

Delegation meetings are a key feature of the AMO Conference. To request delegation meetings as part of your AMO 2021 Conference experience, visit the Conference [website](#) and click on the "Delegations" tab before June 4. Don't forget, you must be a registered delegate to participate in delegation meetings.

AMO and the Loomex Group are offering training that provides tools for elected officials to build resilience and strength in providing leadership through and beyond COVID-19. *Leading Through Crisis: Strengthening Personal Resilience* training is now also being offered on June 17, 2021. This important training has limited capacity, [register today](#).

Join this 3 hour workshop to learn the fundamentals of planning and your important role as an elected official in decision making. [Register here](#).

MindBeacon, [AMO's digital mental health program partner](#), has made a number of enhancements to its Workplace Mental Health Program. [Join us for a webinar on May 26](#) at noon where MindBeacon will share its new program to support a greater number of Canadians looking for mental health therapy.

LAS

The Blue Box Regulation offers an opportunity to fix the broken blue box system that cannot keep up with the record amounts of recycling litter, but the program has not yet been finalized. [Read our latest blog](#) to see how this may affect your municipality.

[Join our webinar](#) on May 19 at 10am to learn how our *NEW* Waterworks Supply category can help your water and wastewater treatment plants run smoothly. From pumps to meters and everything in between, you can now buy the products and equipment you need under the [Municipal Group Buying Program](#).

The Ministry of Energy, Northern Development and Mines is now accepting [O. Reg. 507/18](#) annual energy reports. Reporting is for the energy used in 2019 and **due by July 1, 2021**. Ministry information [webinars](#) will be on May 26, and June 9 and 23. Email any questions to BPSsupport@ontario.ca.

Municipal Wire*

The Ontario Municipal Water Association is providing *Water 101 for Councillors & Senior Staff*: a [free one-hour webinar](#) on May 28, 11 am, to help leaders understand

their legal and ethical responsibilities as owners of public drinking water systems.

Phasing out gas generation is being discussed among municipalities. Register for the [IESO's May 27 webinar](#) as they seek input on the scope of an assessment around possible impacts to the electricity system.

AMO members have free access to this dynamic event until May 20th. Use code AMO to register or contact pratishtha@iotevents.ca. Visit: intelligentcities.ca.

Careers

[Senior Policy Advisor - Ministry of Finance](#). Location: Cannabis Policy Unit (CPU), Toronto. Additional Information: 1 Permanent, Full Time. Please apply only online at [Ontario Public Service Careers](#) quoting Job ID 162968, by Tuesday, May 25, 2021. Please follow the instructions to submit your application.

[City Engineer & Corporate Leader, Environmental Protection & Infrastructure Services - City of Windsor](#). A thriving city, surrounded on three sides by water, the City of Windsor is one of Ontario's best kept secrets, sitting within a day's drive of over half of the North American population. Reports to: Chief Administrative Officer. To apply for this position, please submit your application and related materials to [Richard Rankin](#) and state the title of the position in the subject line of your email.

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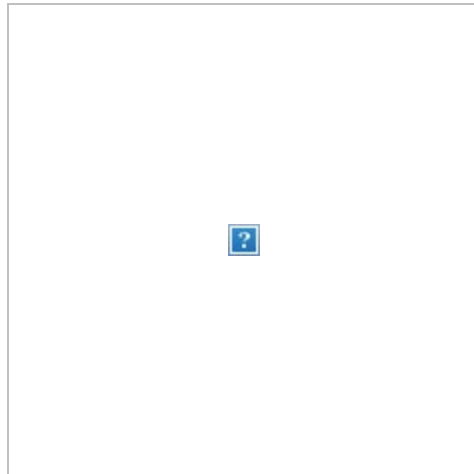
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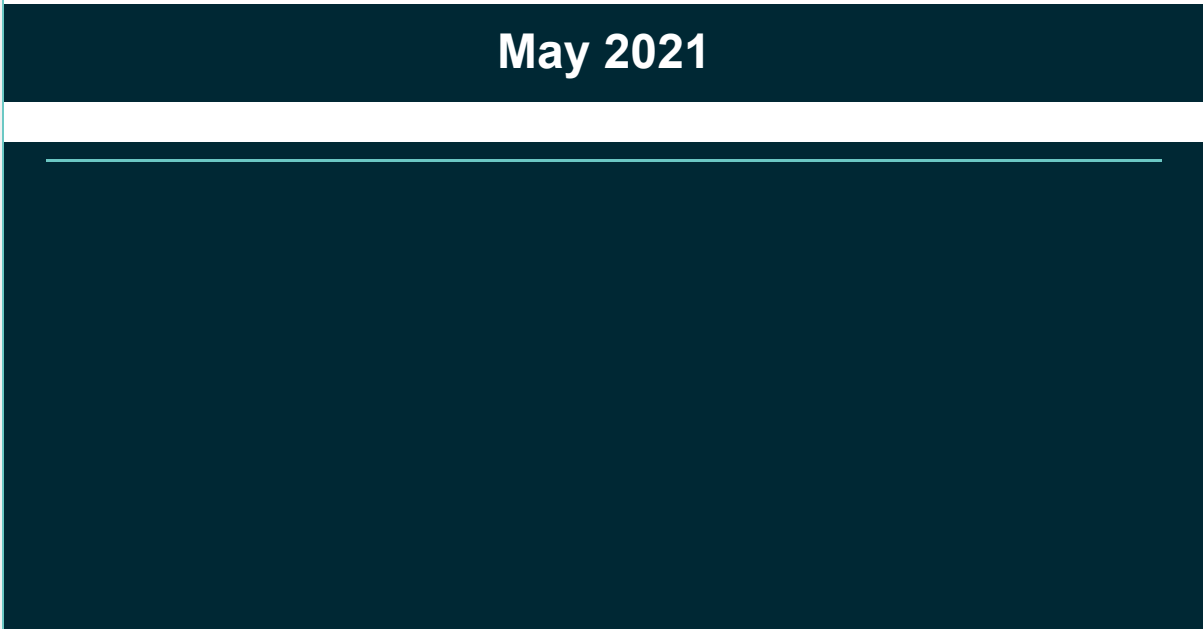
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May 2021





Durham is Home

As we all know, the pandemic has had disastrous impacts on the tourism industry; from destinations and restaurants, to independent retailers and event facilities.

Durham Tourism has launched the [Durham is Home](#) collection as a component of our recovery strategy. The vision is to foster interest in Durham Region's many communities through a confident new form of community promotion. We can all work together to tell our shared story of why Durham Region is a truly great place to live and work, and showcase love of our home community. By wearing our community, we can communicate to others that Durham is vibrant, diverse, and caring.

We can all become ambassadors, and support the locally-owned and operated tourism businesses of our region, helping to build back stronger.

To design the collection, we hosted 17 brainstorming sessions with 70 representatives

from across the region. 139 concepts were proposed, and our debut collection features 22 icons. T-shirts, hoodies, and hats, as well as water bottles, tote bags, stemless glasses and campfire mugs are in the collection.

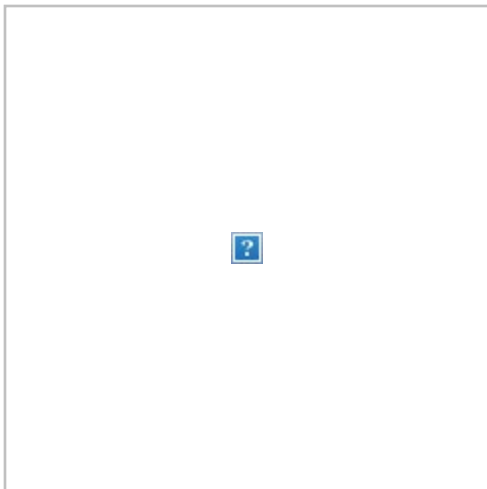
Proceeds from the sale of items that are earned by Durham Tourism will be invested into the recovery and restoration of our tourism industry, promoting the businesses, destinations, and events that make Durham wonderful.

Explore our community collections at www.durhamtourism.ca/shop.

Read more about the project: <https://www.durham.ca/en/tourism/news/durham-is-home.aspx>.

If you have any questions or feedback, please contact us at tourism@durham.ca.

[Explore Durham is Home](#)



The Second Wedge Brewing Co. wins 2021 Bicycle Friendly Business Award

According to Ontario By Bike/Transportation Options, many Ontario residents are keen to make summer plans that include their bicycles, being respectful of current travel restrictions. Over 1,500 Ontario businesses certified as bicycle friendly by [Ontario By Bike](#) are ready to roll out a welcome to cyclists.

To recognize the businesses that have gone above and beyond, offering extra services and amenities to cyclists stopping at their locations, Ontario by Bike has awarded a [best bicycle friendly business award](#) to a business from each of the 13 tourism regions. A whole-hearted congratulations to [The Second Wedge Brewing Co.](#) in Uxbridge, awarded the 2021 Best Bicycle Friendly Business in York Durham Headwaters!

The Second Wedge has been Ontario by Bike certified since they opened, and they are well-known for welcoming cyclists and riders of the surrounding Uxbridge trails. They aren't kidding when they say "All Trails Lead Here!"

[Learn more](#)



2021 Durham Region Business Count

You might be getting a call soon! Durham Region is seeking information from all businesses for the [2021 Durham Region Business Count](#). If people work there, it is a business! This includes home-based businesses, schools and hospitals, as well as store-fronts, professional offices and more.

Durham Region completes a Business Count to gather information and data we are not able to gather from other sources. This information informs many departments at the Region and helps us to undertake projects such as:

- Planning for infrastructure needs
- Creating programs to support local business growth
- Promoting Durham Region's tourism assets
- Planning transit routes
- Building local business directories
- Monitoring and reporting on local business and economic trends

The Business Count was cancelled in 2020 due to the pandemic. In 2021, the Count will be conducted by telephone and email. Our Business Count team will be travelling throughout the region and where possible, will not enter businesses to help keep the process safe for everyone. Home-based businesses are also encouraged to participate.

Gathering data is especially important this year as we work to support business recovery. If you have questions about the count, please contact businesscount@durham.ca.

Local Food Week

Let's celebrate all things local food! There is an abundance of fresh, delicious food being grown here in Durham Region. Enjoy the flavours of the region during Local Food Week.

Local Food Week occurs on the first week of June every year; this year it runs from **May 30 to June 5**.

Find local farms and craft beverages in Durham Region at InvestDurham.ca/LocalFood and the [Durham Farm Fresh](#) interactive farm map to find local food producers near you.



[Learn more](#)



Ontario Tourism and Travel Small Business Support Grant

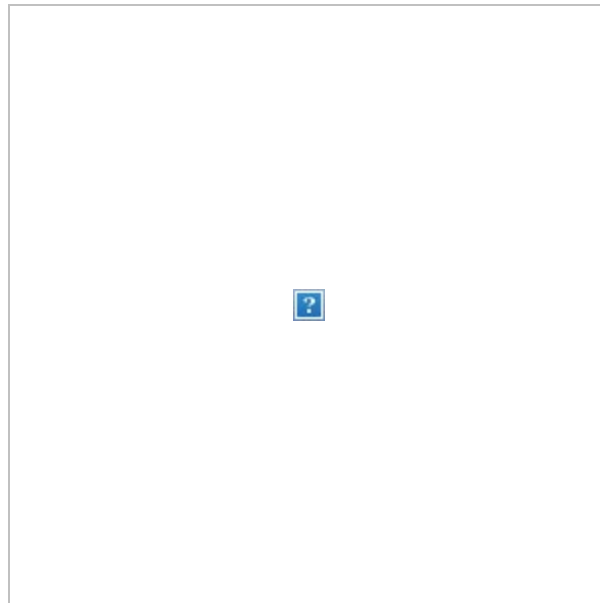
The Ontario government is providing one time payments of \$10,000 to \$20,000 to support eligible small tourism and travel businesses struggling to recover from the impact of the COVID-19 pandemic through the new \$100-million [Ontario Tourism and Travel Small Business Support Grant](#). The launch of the program was announced by Lisa MacLeod, Minister of Heritage, Sport, Tourism and Culture Industries, on **May 13**.

This grant will support eligible small tourism and travel businesses that did not receive the Ontario Small Business Support Grant (OSBSG), such as travel agents, hotels, motels, resorts, and bed and breakfasts. To qualify, businesses must have fewer than 100

employees and demonstrate they have experienced a minimum 20 per cent revenue decline between 2019 and 2020.

Small business owners can use the grant in whatever way makes the most sense for their business. Applications close on **June 25**.

[Learn more](#)



For unique trip ideas or to plan your perfect day, visit DurhamTourism.ca, or call 1-800-413-0017. If this information is required in an accessible format, contact [Durham Tourism](#).

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City Of Brantford
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Re: Support Resolution
Withdraw Prohibition on Golfing and other Outdoor Recreational Activities

Please be advised the Council of the Municipality of Chatham-Kent at its regular meeting held on May 10, 2021 considered the aforementioned topic and subsequent to discussion, the following was resolved:

Moved by CI Thompson Second by CI Crew

That Chatham-Kent Council supports the resolution from the City of Brantford dated April 30, 2021 re: Withdraw Prohibition on Golfing and other Outdoor Recreational Activities.

A copy of the above noted resolution is enclosed for your reference. If you have any questions or comments, please contact Judy Smith at judys@chatham-kent.ca

Sincerely,

Judy Smith
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Judy Smith, CMO
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Hon. Doug Ford, Premier
 Local MP& MPP
 Association of Municipalities of Ontario (AMO)
 All Municipalities in Ontario



April 30, 2021

Hon. Doug Ford, Premier
Room 281
Legislative Building, Queen's Park
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Sent via email: premier@ontario.ca

Dear Premier Ford,

Please be advised that at the Brantford City Council Meeting held April 27, 2021, the following resolution was adopted:

Request - Province of Ontario withdraws its prohibition on golfing and any other outdoor recreational activities

WHEREAS COVID-19 restrictions have had significant impacts; and

WHEREAS many forms of socializing, recreation and sport have been curtailed; and

WHEREAS the game of golf can be enjoyed while maintaining proper social distancing;

THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED THAT The Corporation of The City of Brantford recommends:

- A. THAT The Province of Ontario withdraws its prohibition on golfing and any other outdoor recreational activities which can be enjoyed while maintaining proper social distancing; and
- B. THAT the City Clerk BE DIRECTED to forward a copy of this resolution to the Premier of Ontario; Will Bouma, MPP, Brantford-Brant, the Association of Municipalities of Ontario, Ontario Big City Mayors; and the list of other Municipalities in Ontario.

Yours truly,

Tanya Daniels
City Clerk
tdaniels@brantford.ca

cc MPP Will Bouma, Brantford-Brant
Association of Municipalities of Ontario (AMO)
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The Honourable Jonathan Wilkinson
 Minister of Environment and Climate Change
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The Honourable Marie-Claude Bibeau
 Minister of Agriculture and Agri-Food
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 Ottawa, ON K1A 0A6

Re: Support Resolution for Exempt Carbon Tax on all Primary Agriculture Producers

Please be advised the Council of the Municipality of Chatham-Kent at its regular meeting held on May 10, 2021 considered the aforementioned topic and subsequent to discussion, the following was resolved:

Moved by CI Latimer; Seconded by CI Pinsonneault:

“That Chatham-Kent Council support the resolution from the County of Norfolk re: Exempt Carbon Tax on all Primary Agriculture Producers.”

and

“In addition, that the exemption extend to the transportation system for all trucking across Canada.”

A copy of the above noted resolution is enclosed for your reference. If you have any questions or comments, please contact Judy Smith at judys@chatham-kent.ca

Sincerely,

Judy Smith

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- c. Premier of Ontario
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 All Municipalities in Ontario

CORPORATION OF THE MUNICIPALITY OF CALVIN

Resolution

DATE: April 13, 2021 NO. 2021-097

MOVED BY Heather Olmstead

SECONDED BY Sandy Cross

“THAT the Council of the Corporation of the Municipality of Calvin supports the Norfolk County Agricultural Advisor Board’s letter dated December 20, 2020 regarding the application of the carbon tax on primary agriculture producers, and;

THAT this resolution be sent to the Premier of Ontario, the Minister of Environment and Climate Change, the Honourable Vic Fedeli, MPP and circulated to all municipalities in Ontario.”



CARRIED _____

DIVISION VOTE

<u>NAME OF MEMBER OF COUNCIL</u>	<u>YEA</u>	<u>NAY</u>
<u>Coun Cross</u>	<u>X</u>	<u> </u>
<u>Coun Maxwell</u>	<u>X</u>	<u> </u>
<u>Coun Olmstead</u>	<u>X</u>	<u> </u>
<u>Mayor Pennell</u>	<u>X</u>	<u> </u>



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February 23, 2021

The Honourable Jonathan Wilkinson
Minister of Environment and Climate Change
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The Honourable Marie-Claude Bibeau
Minister of Agriculture and Agri-Food
House of Commons
Ottawa, ON K1A 0A6

Dear Ministers,

I am writing to advise that Norfolk County Council supports the attached Norfolk County Agricultural Advisory Board's letter regarding the application of the carbon tax on primary agriculture producers. It is the recommendation of Norfolk County Council that the Federal Government consider the concerns of the agricultural community and move to exempt all primary agriculture producers from current and future carbon taxes. Please find attached the full recommendation.

Thank you for your attention,

Yours truly,

A handwritten signature in cursive script that reads "Kristal Chopp".

Kristal Chopp
Mayor, Norfolk County

P.c. Norfolk County Council
Association of Municipalities of Ontario
Federation of Canadian Municipalities
Ontario Municipalities

Dec 7, 2020

The Honourable Marie-Claude Bibeau, MP
Minister of Agriculture and Agri-Food House of Commons
Ottawa, Ontario
K1A 0A6

Dear Minister Bibeau

Our agricultural advisory board (AAB) who represents the agricultural sector in Norfolk County, Ontario is very concerned about the federal government's current carbon pricing policies. It is our hope that you consider our concerns and move to exempt all primary agriculture producers from current and future carbon taxes.

Carbon tax remains as a major cost of production for producers in Norfolk County. Although some farm fuel purchases are exempt, it is selective and does not meet the needs of the entire agriculture industry. Currently crop drying, heating/cooling of livestock barns and cooling of perishable commodities are still subject to full carbon taxes.

Currently there are no replacements for fossil fuels in agricultural production. As a result, carbon tax policies are not appropriate for the agricultural sector and only decrease farm margins.

Norfolk County which is known as Ontario's garden is home to one of the country's largest diversity of crop production. In addition to the extensive vegetable, fruit and grain production it boasts some of the highest ecological diverse natural habitats, plants and animals in Canada. There is approximately 25% tree cover in the county which is the highest percentage of forested land in Southwestern Ontario. Norfolk County It is also home to over 10,000 acres of woodlots and wetlands protected under Long Point Conservation Authority. In addition to the natural woodlots and wetlands there is also extensive fruit production with 2000 acres of apples and 1000 acres of sour cherries. A mature orchard can fix upwards of 18 mt of CO₂ annually.

The adoption of production practices to protect the soil and environment are advanced in Norfolk County. There has been a wide implementation of cover cropping, planting green and reduced tillage practices all of which sequester carbon. Additional farming practices of 4R nutrient management coupled with precision technology ensure that appropriate nutrients are applied at the right time, place and rate. In many cases sensitive water sources around ponds and wetlands are planted with buffer strips and soil erosion control measures of grassed waterways and windbreaks are also common practices. ALUS (alternative land use) programs have been embraced across the county, taking unproductive land out of production, and returning it to natural native grass plantings, trees and constructed wetlands. Currently there are 1148 active projects with 189 producers covering 1573 acres in Norfolk County managed under the ALUS program.

The agriculture industry has made great strides to protect the environment and will continue to improve production practices that reduces the carbon footprint in food production.

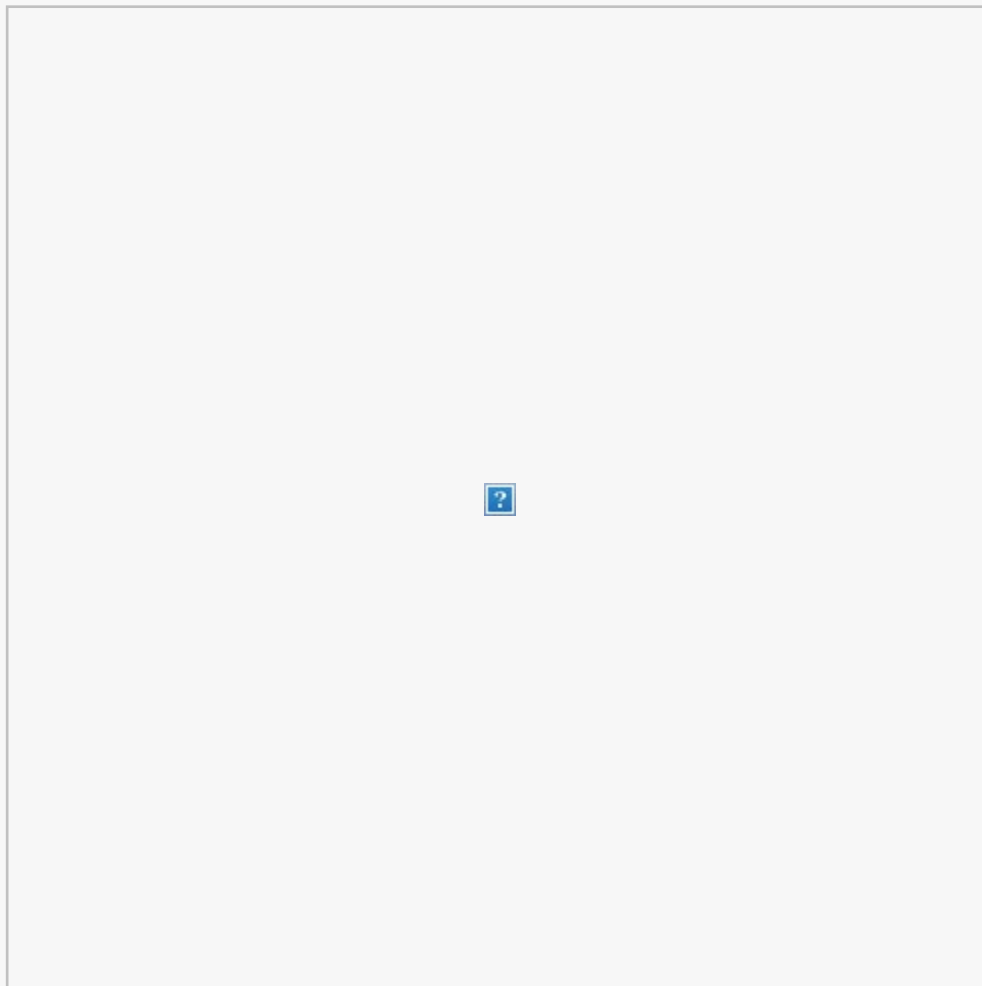
The AAB board believes that all on farm fuels used in agricultural production should be exempt from carbon tax. This should include natural gas, propane, gas, and diesel. We strongly urge the government to be consistent with a sector wide exemption to current carbon tax policies.

Sincerely,

Dustin Zamecnik
Chair of Norfolk County Agriculture Advisory Board

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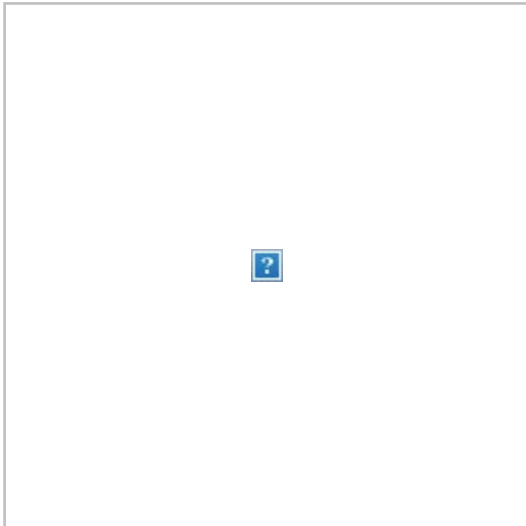
Let's talk about Mental Health

The COVID pandemic has brought unprecedented hardships to our business community. Whether you are working from home or trying to keep your business going through all the 'stay at home' orders, your mental health may be suffering. Join us at our next Brock Networking Group with Chrissy Vandenberg, Social Worker from the Brock Community Health Centre. Chrissy will discuss Mental Health and provide us with tips on how to deal with these stressful times.

Click below to RSVP



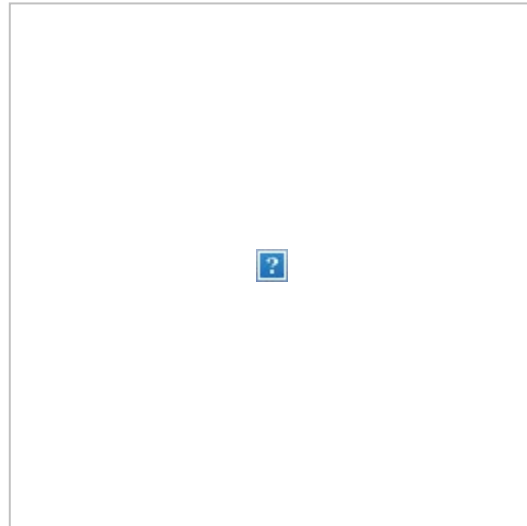
Sign me up for the July BNG



**Ontario Tourism and Travel
Small Business Support Grant**

The Ontario government is providing one-time payments of \$10,000 to \$20,000 to support eligible small tourism and travel businesses struggling to recover from the impact of the COVID-19 pandemic through the new \$100-million [Ontario Tourism and Travel Small Business Support Grant](#).

This grant will support eligible small tourism and travel businesses that did not receive the Ontario Small Business Support Grant (OSBSG), such as travel agents, hotels, motels, resorts, and bed and breakfasts. To qualify, businesses must have fewer than 100 employees and demonstrate they have experienced



**Digital Durham: THRIVE
Online Symposium**

Digital experts will be discussing digital trends, the power of video, as well as how to transform and leverage online presence to grow small business. With speakers from Digital Main Street, MasterCard and Facebook/Instagram and digital agencies, this event is sure to enlighten every business owner. During the lunchtime hour there will be breakout rooms with experts discussing digital transformation, cyber security and social media tools. The day will end with a giveaway. All sessions will be recorded and available to ticket holders after the event and if you cannot attend.

a minimum 20 per cent revenue decline between 2019 and 2020

Small business owners can use the grant in whatever way makes the most sense for their business.

Applications close on **June 25**

When: **Wednesday, May 26**

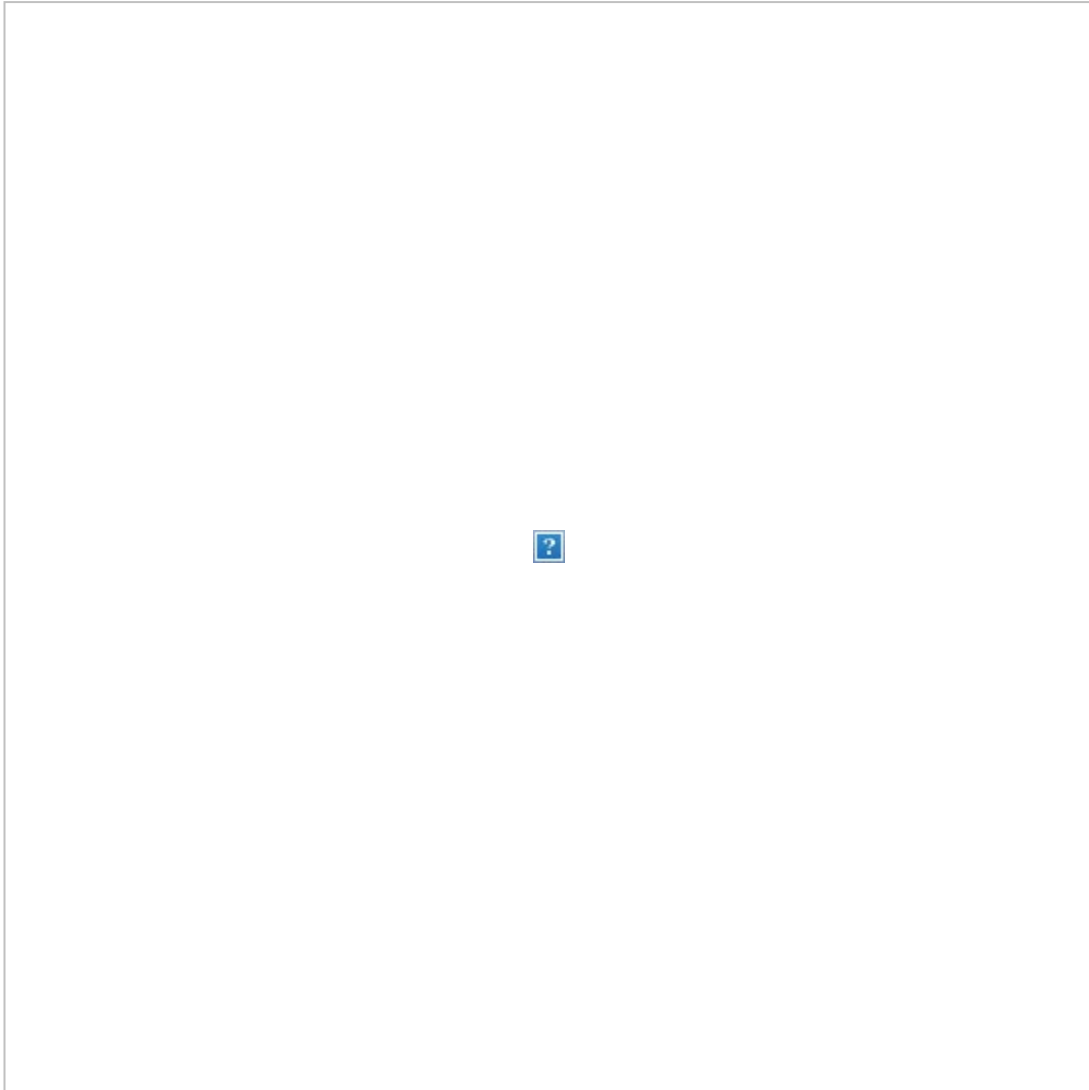
Time: 10 PM - 3 PM

Where: Online

Tickets are \$35

[Register](#)

[Learn More Here](#)



The DWA and the Social Research Centre at Ontario Tech, with significant input from community partners, have worked collaboratively to develop a survey designed to provide significant information on employers in Durham Region. The Employer Survey will fill substantial gaps in labour market information and lead to a better understanding of the skills and needs of businesses.

This survey will inform the creation of a series of strategic plans to support the workforce needs of employers in key sectors across the Region. These planning documents will help the government and other stakeholders better align existing resources, and potentially develop new resources, to improve support for employers.

[Click Here to Take the Survey](#)



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Hon. Doug Ford, Premier
 Room 281
 Legislative Building, Queen's Park
 Toronto, ON M7A 1A1

Sent via email: premier@ontario.ca

May 14th 2021

Attn: Premier Ford,

Please be advised that at the Town of Plympton-Wyoming Council Meeting held Wednesday, May 13th 2021, the following resolution was adopted:

Motion 20

Moved by Mike Vasey, Seconded by Netty McEwen that Council support item 'p' of correspondence from the City of Brantford regarding a request for the Province of Ontario to withdraw its prohibition on golfing and any other outdoor recreational activities.

Motion Carried.

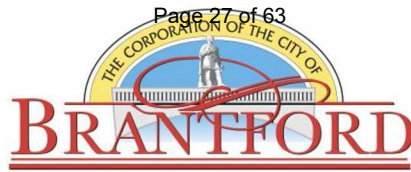
If you have any questions regarding the above motion, please do not hesitate to contact me by phone or email at ekwarciak@plympton-wyoming.ca.

Sincerely,

Erin Kwarciak
 Clerk

ekwarciak@plympton-wyoming.ca

Cc: (via e-mail)
 Bob Bailey, MPP
 AMO
 All Ontario Municipalities



April 30, 2021

Hon. Doug Ford, Premier
Room 281
Legislative Building, Queen's Park
Toronto, ON M7A 1A1

Sent via email: premier@ontario.ca

Dear Premier Ford,

Please be advised that at the Brantford City Council Meeting held April 27, 2021, the following resolution was adopted:

Request - Province of Ontario withdraws its prohibition on golfing and any other outdoor recreational activities

WHEREAS COVID-19 restrictions have had significant impacts; and

WHEREAS many forms of socializing, recreation and sport have been curtailed; and

WHEREAS the game of golf can be enjoyed while maintaining proper social distancing;

THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED THAT The Corporation of The City of Brantford recommends:

- A. THAT The Province of Ontario withdraws its prohibition on golfing and any other outdoor recreational activities which can be enjoyed while maintaining proper social distancing; and
- B. THAT the City Clerk BE DIRECTED to forward a copy of this resolution to the Premier of Ontario; Will Bouma, MPP, Brantford-Brant, the Association of Municipalities of Ontario, Ontario Big City Mayors; and the list of other Municipalities in Ontario.

Yours truly,

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read "Tanya Daniels".

Tanya Daniels
City Clerk
tdaniels@brantford.ca

cc MPP Will Bouma, Brantford-Brant
Association of Municipalities of Ontario (AMO)
Ontario Big City Mayors
All Ontario Municipalities

Date:	17/05/2021
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From: [Ontario Volunteer Service Awards \(MHSTCI\)](#)
To: [Ontario Volunteer Service Awards \(MHSTCI\)](#)
Subject: 2021 Senior of the Year Award / Prix de la personne âgée de l'année de l'Ontario 2021
Date: May 12, 2021 1:29:14 PM
Attachments: [2021 Senior of the Year-Prix de la personne âgée de l'année.docx.pdf](#)
[How to Download Complete and Submit Online Forms \(June 2020\).pdf](#)
[Comment télécharger, remplir et soumettre des formulaires en ligne \(juin 2020\).pdf](#)

(Un message en français suivra)

Dear Mayor, Reeve and Members of Council:

I am writing to invite you to submit a nomination for the [2021 Senior of the Year Award](#).

Our seniors have worked hard to help to build this great province that all Ontarians enjoy today. This award gives each municipality in Ontario the opportunity to honour one of their outstanding local seniors and the contributions they've made to enrich the social, cultural, or civic life of their community.

This year, the nomination deadline has been extended to May 31, 2021.

For more information and to download the nomination form, please visit the [Senior of the Year](#) webpage. Once you submit a nomination, a personalized certificate with your nominee's name will be sent to you. I encourage you to present it to your nominee in June in conjunction with Seniors' Month.

I would also encourage you to promote Seniors Month in your community, as much as possible. This year's theme is Stay Safe, Active and Connected. For more information, keep checking the Seniors' Month webpage: [Celebrating seniors in Ontario](#).

The government of Ontario is proud to work with municipalities on this initiative. Seniors have generously offered their time, knowledge and expertise to make this province a great place to live, and it is important we recognize those valuable contributions.

If you have any questions about the 2021 Senior of the Year Award, please contact the Volunteer Recognition Unit at OntarioVolunteerServiceAwards@ontario.ca.

Thank you in advance for your support of local seniors and Seniors' Month.

Sincerely,

(Original signed by)

Raymond Cho
Minister for Seniors and Accessibility

Monsieur le Maire/Madame la Mairesse, Préfet et Membres du Conseil,

Je vous écris pour vous inviter à soumettre une candidature pour le [Prix de la personne âgée de l'année de l'Ontario](#) pour 2021.

Nos aînés ont travaillé fort pour bâtir la merveilleuse province dont peuvent profiter aujourd'hui tous les Ontariens et toutes les Ontariennes. Ce prix offre l'occasion à chaque municipalité de l'Ontario de rendre hommage à l'un des remarquables aînés de sa région et de souligner ses contributions ayant permis d'enrichir la vie sociale, culturelle ou citoyenne de sa communauté.

Cette année, la date limite pour la soumission des candidatures a été reportée au 31 mai 2021.

Pour en savoir plus ou télécharger le formulaire de mise en candidature, consultez la page Web du [Prix de la personne âgée de l'année de l'Ontario](#). Une fois que votre candidature est soumise, un certificat personnalisé, comprenant le nom de votre candidat ou candidate, vous sera envoyé. Je vous encourage à le présenter au récipiendaire en juin, dans le cadre du Mois des aînés.

Je vous encourage également à promouvoir le plus possible le Mois des aînés dans votre collectivité. Le thème de cette année est "Rester en sécurité, actif et branché". Pour en savoir plus, consultez régulièrement la page Web du Mois des aînés : [Hommage aux personnes âgées de l'Ontario](#).

Le gouvernement de l'Ontario est fier de collaborer avec les municipalités dans le cadre de cette initiative. Les aînés offrent généreusement leur temps, leurs connaissances et leurs compétences pour faire de notre province un endroit où il est agréable de vivre, et il est important que nous soulignions leurs précieuses contributions.

Si vous avez des questions au sujet du Prix de la personne âgée de l'année 2021, communiquez avec l'équipe de la reconnaissance des bénévoles à OntarioVolunteerServiceAwards@ontario.ca.

Merci à l'avance du soutien que vous offrez aux aînés de votre région et de vos efforts visant à souligner le Mois des aînés.

Cordialement,

(Originale signée par)

Raymond Cho
Ministre des Services aux aînés et de l'Accessibilité

Volunteer Recognition Nomination Forms

from Ontario.ca/honoursandawards

How to:

- [Download forms](#)
- [Using Adobe to open PDFs](#)
- [Complete online forms](#)
- [Submit forms online](#)
- [Get support](#)

HOW TO DOWNLOAD FORMS

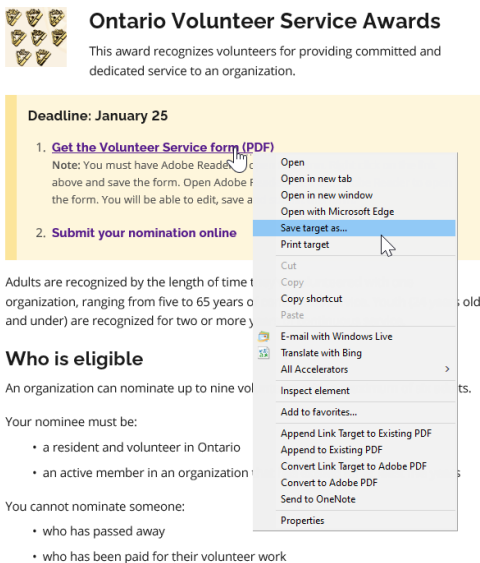
You will need Adobe to view the form. If you do not have Adobe, you can download Adobe Reader free on the [Adobe website](#).

If you have an updated version of Adobe, the plug-in for your browser may not have been updated. To fix this problem, **RIGHT CLICK** on the PDF link and download the form to your computer (see screen shots below).

Once you have downloaded the PDF, close your browser and open the file directly from your computer. If the file is still not opening, see instructions on [how to use Adobe to open PDF documents](#).

FOR PC USERS

Internet Explorer, Firefox or Safari (PC): Right click using the mouse click on “save target as.”



Ontario Volunteer Service Awards
This award recognizes volunteers for providing committed and dedicated service to an organization.

Deadline: January 25

1. [Get the Volunteer Service form \(PDF\)](#)
Note: You must have Adobe Reader installed on your computer. You must have Adobe Reader installed on your computer above and save the form. Open Adobe Reader and save the form. You will be able to edit, save and print the form.
2. [Submit your nomination online](#)

Adults are recognized by the length of time they have served an organization, ranging from five to 65 years of continuous service. Youth (24 years old and under) are recognized for two or more years of continuous service.

Who is eligible
An organization can nominate up to nine volunteers, with a maximum of six adults.

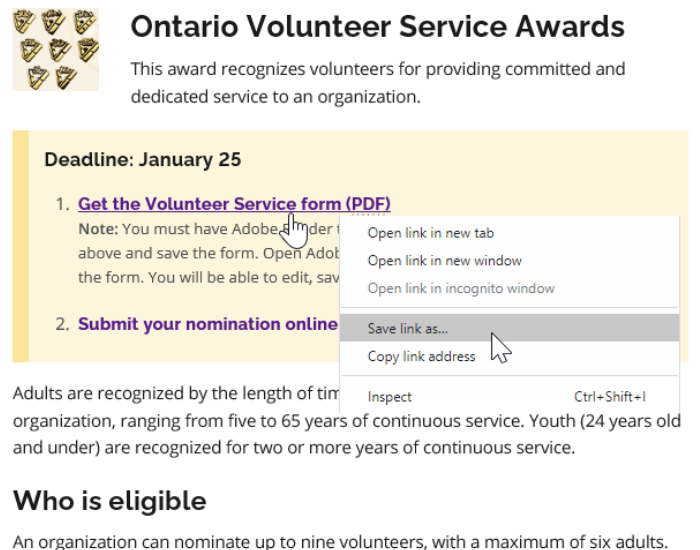
Your nominee must be:

- a resident and volunteer in Ontario
- an active member in an organization

You cannot nominate someone:

- who has passed away
- who has been paid for their volunteer work

Chrome: Right click using the mouse click on “save link as.”



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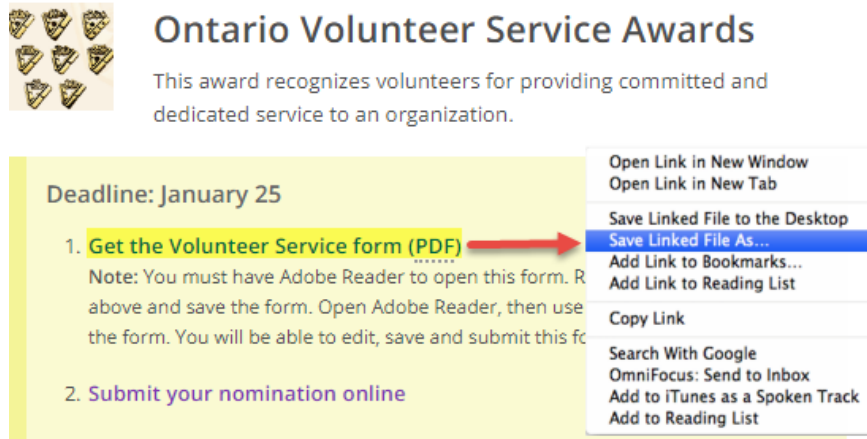
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FOR MAC USERS:

Safari: Press the <Command> button on the keyboard and click on the PDF link, then on “saved linked file as.”



The screenshot shows the 'Ontario Volunteer Service Awards' page. On the left, there is a grid of award icons. The main heading is 'Ontario Volunteer Service Awards' with a subtext: 'This award recognizes volunteers for providing committed and dedicated service to an organization.' Below this, a yellow box contains the text 'Deadline: January 25' and a numbered list. The first item is '1. Get the Volunteer Service form (PDF)'. A red arrow points from this link to a context menu that is open. The menu options are: 'Open Link in New Window', 'Open Link in New Tab', 'Save Linked File to the Desktop', 'Save Linked File As...', 'Add Link to Bookmarks...', 'Add Link to Reading List', 'Copy Link', 'Search With Google', 'OmniFocus: Send to Inbox', 'Add to iTunes as a Spoken Track', and 'Add to Reading List'. The 'Save Linked File As...' option is highlighted in blue.

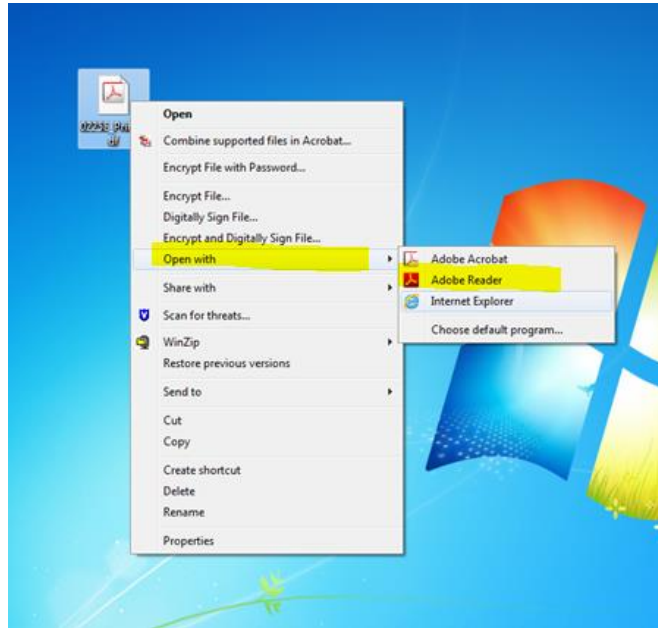
NOTE: Forms are not available on smart phones, iPads or tablets.

HOW TO USE ADOBE TO OPEN PDF DOCUMENTS

Sometimes, a file is not defaulted to use the correct program to open documents. To ensure that you use Adobe to open the form:

For PC users

RIGHT CLICK on the PDF file, go to “Open with” and click on Adobe Reader.



For MAC users

- Highlight the file
- Press the <Command> button + the <i> button (a window with the file information should pop up)
- Go to the “open with” section (you may need to reveal this section by clicking on the ▾ symbol)
- Select Adobe program to open files
- Click “Save” or “Apply”
- Go to the file and double click to open

HOW TO COMPLETE AN ONLINE NOMINATION FORM

1. Open the PDF and click on the “I confirmation....” boxes in the “How do I make a Nomination” section
2. Select “online form,” the blue button at the bottom of the page – **this will allow the you to submit the form online.**

Ontario Ministry of Citizenship and Immigration
Ontario Honours and Awards Secretariat

Volunteer Service Awards
Deadline: January 25

Purpose
To recognize individual volunteers for continuous years of commitment and dedicated service to an organization. Adults are recognized for five, 10, 15, 20, 25, 30, 35, 40, 45, 50, 55, 60 and 65 years of continuous service. Youth (24 years old and under) are recognized for two or more years of continuous service.

Who is eligible?
Youth and adult volunteers must:

- Be living persons residing and volunteering in Ontario.
- Be active beyond simple membership in an organization that has been in existence for a minimum of five years.
- Not have received payment for their volunteer work.
- Not have performed the services as part of their regular business or professional duties.

Nominations will not be accepted if: They are self-nominated; for elected federal, provincial, municipal representatives while in office; or political appointees if the achievements for which they are being nominated are related to their current appointment.

How are the recipients selected?
Nominations are checked to ensure criteria are met. The Ministry of Citizenship and Immigration then sends a letter to the organization confirming that the nominations have been accepted.

How are the awards presented?
The awards are presented at special ceremonies held across Ontario where recipients are presented with a stylized trillium service pin acknowledging their years of service. Recipients also receive a personalized certificate. Each recipient is invited to bring one guest. Nominating organizations are also invited to bring two representatives to the award ceremony.

How do I make a nomination?
Organizations that have been in existence for a minimum of five years may submit a nomination. Each organization may nominate up to nine volunteers (of which a maximum of 6 nominees may be adults). This electronic process allows you to:

- Save your submission package as often as needed;
- Build your submission package as you go; and
- Submit your package now, or at a later date, when it is ready and complete.

confirm that the nominee(s) are eligible as per the criteria below: *

- Must be living persons residing and volunteering in Ontario.
- Must not have received payment for their volunteer work.
- Must be active beyond simple membership in an organization.
- Must not have performed the services as part of their regular business or professional duties.
- Must not be the person submitting the nomination (nominator).

- Youth nominees:
 - Must be under 24 years old and under and have volunteered with one organization for at least two consecutive years.
- Adult nominees:
 - Must have volunteered with one organization for at least five consecutive years.

Organizations with more than one branch location can nominate up to nine volunteers, in the same manner as mentioned above, per branch.

Note
The deadline for nominations is **January 25** of each year and the nominee must be eligible as of that date. If this date falls on a weekend or holiday, nominations will be accepted the next business day. Eligible nominations received after the deadline will be considered in the following year.

In order to be able to submit electronically, you must save the submission package to your computer or other personal storage device first.

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3. Complete the mandatory fields on the form marked by a red “*.” Once each page is completed, click on “**next**” for the next section.
4. If required, you can go back to correct information in a previous section by clicking on “**previous**.” It’s like turning the pages of a book!
5. Save the form anytime by clicking on “save.” This will save all pages.



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 Ontario Honours and Awards Secretariat

Volunteer Service Awards
 Deadline: January 25

Fields marked with an asterisk (*) are mandatory.

Nominating Organization Information - Step 1 of 4

Salutation *		If other, specify	
First Name *		Last Name *	
Position/Title			
Name of Organization *		Branch/Division/Section *	
Organization Website *		Year Organization was established (yyyy) (e.g., 1980) *	
Address			
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Alternate Telephone Type *		Telephone Number (e.g., 4163147526)	
Email (e.g. email@address.com) *			
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6. Once you complete the final step, click “next” and attest the information provided is correct by checking the **declaration box**.
7. Save the document to your computer by clicking on “**save**.” This will save all pages of the form.
8. You can review the information by clicking on “**review summary page**.”



**Ministry of Citizenship
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Ontario Honours and Awards Secretariat

Volunteer Service Awards

Deadline: January 25

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Declaration

The Ontario government is committed to ensuring the privacy of your personal information. In accordance with subsection 39(2) of the *Ontario Freedom of Information and Protection of Privacy Act*, R.S.O. 1990, c.F.31, the personal information collected on this form will be used only for the proper administration of the **Volunteer Service Awards**. This includes determining the nominee’s eligibility and providing information to the selection body for review and recommendation. Under the authority of the *Ministry of Citizenship and Culture Act*, R.S.O. 1990, c.M.18, s.4, the personal information collected in this nomination package belongs in perpetuity to the nominator and cannot be shared for purposes other than the administration of the program without his/her express written consent. For further information on our collection of information policy, contact us at: Ontario Honours and Awards Secretariat, 400 University Avenue, 4th Floor, Toronto ON M7A 2R9, or by email at OntarioHonoursAndAwards@ontario.ca, or by telephone at 416 314-7526, toll free 1 877 832-8622, or TTY 416-327-2391.

I hereby certify that I have been a member in good standing in the above named organization and declare that all information provided in this application is true and accurate in every respect. *

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Review summary pages

9. Once in the “Review Summary Pages,” you can “**print summary page**” or click on “**Go Back to the Form**” to make edits to your form. Once back in your form, click “**Previous**” to reach section you wish to edit. Once you complete your edits, save the document again.

Submission Submitted By - Step 3 of 3

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First Name *				Last Name *							
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Name of the School *				Position/Title *							
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<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> I hereby declare that all information provided in this application is true and accurate in every respect. I understand that the nominee would be required to return the award if the information is found to be inaccurate for any reason. *											
Once your submission package is ready and complete, save the final version and go to www.ontario.ca/honoursandawards to print your package electronically.											

10. Attachments (if required) are uploaded directly into the form. You can see them by clicking on the paperclip icon on the left-hand navigation bar.

The screenshot shows a PDF form titled "Ontario Medal for Young Volunteers" with a deadline of January 15. The form is in the "Testimonial Writers - Step 3 of 5" section. The left-hand navigation bar shows an "Attachments" panel with a paperclip icon circled in red and a red arrow pointing to it, and a red circle with the number "10" next to it. The form fields are as follows:

Ontario Ministry of Citizenship and Immigration
Ontario Honours and Awards Secretariat

Ontario Medal for Young Volunteers
Deadline: January 15

Fields marked with an asterisk (*) are mandatory.

Testimonial Writers - Step 3 of 5

Testimonial Writer 2

Salutation *
Mr. [dropdown] If other, specify

First Name *
John

Last Name *
Doe

Name of Organization [text field]

Position/Title [text field]

Address

Address Type *
Home [dropdown]

City Address Rural Route or PO Box Address

Street No. *
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City *
Anywhere

Province *
Ontario [dropdown]

Postal Code (e.g., M7A2R9) *
M6M5M5

Telephone Type * [dropdown]

Telephone Number (e.g., 4163147526) * [text field]

Extension [text field]

Email (e.g. email@address.com)
john@email.com

Attach Testimonial Letter (Maximum file size: 300 KB. Accepted file types: JPG, GIF, DOC, DOCX or PDF.) *

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HOW TO SUBMIT THE NOMINATION FORM ONLINE

Please note that **nomination forms can only be submitted online if you use the “online form” version**. To select the correct version, click on the “online form” option on the PDF and follow the steps in the [How to Complete an Online Nomination](#) section.



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Lieutenant Governor's Community Volunteer Award for Students

Purpose

The Lieutenant Governor's Community Volunteer Award for Students pays tribute to students who not only complete the required number of volunteer hours to graduate, but who go above and beyond.

Each year, an award is given to one graduating student at each of Ontario's secondary schools.

Who is eligible?

The award is for students who are graduating from an Ontario high school (public, provincial, private and demonstration).

How are the recipients selected?

School principals, or their designate, select one student from their school and complete and submit the recipient submission form.

A school committee dedicated to student recognition may also select the recipient. However, only the principal and/or his or her designate may complete and submit the form.

How do I make a submission?

Each submission must include the following:

- A completed and signed submission form *
- Confirmation that the student is a graduating student selected for this award by their school principal or an awards selection committee for exemplary community contribution or outstanding achievement through volunteer activity. *
- Confirmation that the submission is made by the student's principal or his or her designate. *

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1. Go to the [e-filing portal](#) and skip to step 5.

2. You can also get there by going back to www.ontario.ca/honoursandawards to where you downloaded the form.



Honours and awards

Ontario's medal and recognition programs celebrate the people who make our province a better place to live.

Find out about the honours and awards given by the Government or Lieutenant Governor of Ontario.



Order of Ontario

The Order of Ontario is the province's highest honour. An Ontarian who has shown outstanding qualities of individual excellence and achievement in any field is eligible to be appointed.

[Learn about the Order of Ontario and how you can nominate someone.](#)

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Volunteering

[Learn how to nominate someone](#) for honours and awards for achievements in volunteering.

This includes the:

- Ontario Medal for Young Volunteers
- Ontario Volunteer Service Awards
- June Callwood Outstanding Achievement Award for Voluntarism
- Lieutenant Governor's Community Volunteer Award for Students

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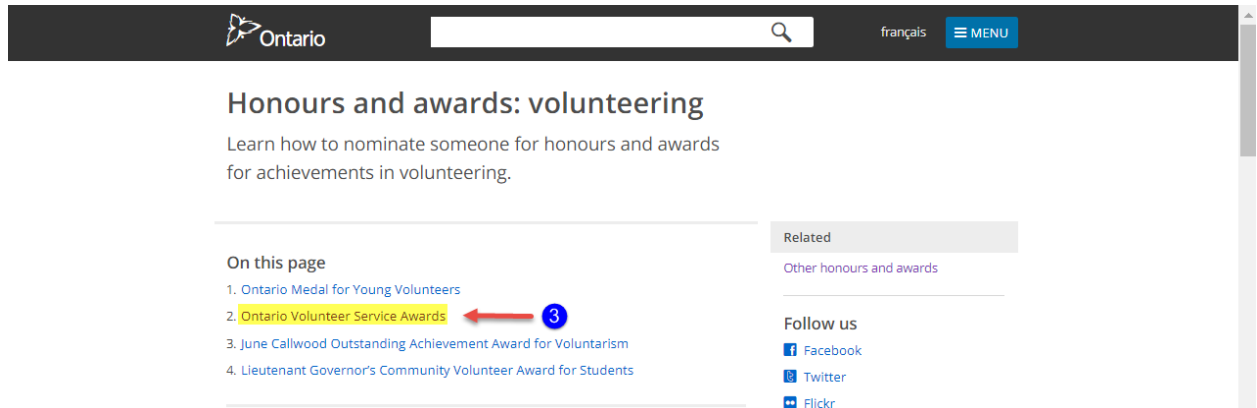
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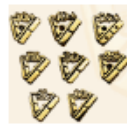
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Corporation of the Township of Brock

Staff Report to the Mayor and Members of Council

From:	Sheila Strain, CPA, CGA
Position:	Interim Director of Finance/Treasurer
Title / Subject:	Outer City Arts
Date of Report:	May 13, 2021
Date of Meeting:	May 31, 2021
Report No:	2021-CO-15

1.0 Issue / Origin

Recommendation from the April 12, 2021 Committee of the Whole meeting "That the lease between the Outer City Arts and the Township of Brock be terminated and the residents who donated to the Outer City Arts program be refunded" requires further direction from Council.

2.0 Background

A delegation from the Outer City Arts attended the April 12, 2021 Committee of the Whole meeting, and the above recommendation was approved by Council.

3.0 Analysis

In 2018, donations for the Outer City Arts were received in the amount of \$250.00. Corresponding income tax receipts were issued to the donors and the funds were placed in a reserve. As of December 31, 2020, the reserve value is \$257.11 which includes interest earned.

As donation receipts were issued in 2018, the monies cannot be returned to the donors. These funds should be repurposed as Council directs.

4.0 Related Policies / Procedures

n/a

5.0 Financial / Budget Assessment

The Rate Stabilization Reserve can be used in future budget years, typically to fund non-recurring impacts. Consistent with past practices, when closing a reserve with funds, particularly a small balance, the amount will be allocated to the Rate Stabilization Reserve.


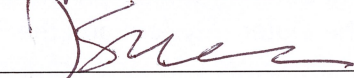
6.0 Communications

That Outer City Arts be advised that the donations received cannot be refunded as income tax receipts were issued by the Township and of Council's direction to allocate the funds to the Rate Stabilization Reserve.

7.0 Conclusion

8.0 Recommendation

That Council direct the balance of the Outer City Arts fund, including interest, in the amount of \$257.11, be transferred to the Rate Stabilization Reserve.

Title	Name	Signature	Date
Interim Director of Finance/Treasurer	Sheila Strain		May 13/21
Chief Administrative Officer	Ingrid Svelnis		May 13/2021



The Municipality of West Elgin

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May 14, 2021

At the Regular Meeting of Council on May 13, 2021 the Council of the Municipality of West Elgin passed the following Resolution:

Resolution No. 2021- 147

Moved: Councillor Rowe

Seconded: Deputy Mayor Leatham

Whereas *Phragmites australis* (*Phragmites*) is an invasive perennial grass that continues to cause severe damage to wetlands and beaches in areas around the Great Lakes; and

Whereas *Phragmites australis* grows and spreads rapidly, allowing the plant to invade new areas and grow into large monoculture stands in a short amount of time, and is an allelopathic plant that secretes toxins from its roots into the soil which impede the growth of neighbouring plant species; and

Whereas *Phragmites australis* results in loss of biodiversity and species richness, loss of habitat, changes in hydrology due to its high metabolic rate, changes in nutrient cycling as it is slow to decompose, and increased fire hazard due to the combustibility of its dead stalks, and can have an adverse impact on agriculture, particularly in drainage ditches; and

Whereas invasive *Phragmites* has been identified as Canada's worst invasive plant species by Agriculture and Agrifood Canada;

Whereas the Ontario government has made it illegal to import, deposit, release, breed/grow, buy, sell, lease or trade invasive *Phragmites* under the Invasive Species Act; and

Whereas volunteers, non-governmental organizations and various municipalities have invested hundreds of dollars in investments and labour annually for more than eight years in executing management plans to control invasive *Phragmites* on roads, shorelines and in wetlands; and

Whereas roads and highways where *Phragmites* that are left untreated become spread vectors that continually risk new and treated wetlands and shoreline areas; and

Whereas according to “Invasive Phragmites Best Management Practices” by the Ontario Phragmites Working Group, best roadside management practices for Phragmites australis include detection, herbicide application, cutting, and re-treatment of re-growth as necessary; and

Whereas these best management practices are most effective when used in a multi-pronged approach as opposed to when used as stand-alone control measures; and

Whereas mother nature does not recognize political boundaries. Therefore, it is imperative that Municipalities, Districts, the Province and the Federal government work together in collaboration to eradicate Canada’s worst invasive plant species Phragmites australis;

Whereas the Municipality of West Elgin has been implementing measures for eradication of Phragmites over the past 3 years, including mapping of cells along Municipal and County Roadways, applying herbicide, cutting and monitoring re-growth; and ensuring clean equipment protocols for appropriate contract tenders; and

Whereas the Ontario Ministry of Transportation (MTO) has carried out some Phragmites eradication along Provincial highways, however this process has not been successful because the process has not included a program to deal with surviving plants, and also has not dealt with growth beyond the road allowance, therefore enabling fast re-growth; and

Whereas in the past there has been no approved herbicide for use in wet sites; however, in 2020 a product (Habitat Aqua) has been approved for use in areas of lying water and along waterways in Ontario;

Now Therefore be it Resolved that the Municipality of West Elgin request the Ontario Ministry of Transportation (MTO) to map, treat, monitor, and eradicate re-growth of invasive Phragmites annually on all Provincial highways, including areas beyond the road allowances, where Phragmites cells extend; and

Be It Further Resolved that the Ontario Ministry of Transportation (MTO) communicates that strategy on mapping (detecting sites) and controlling invasive Phragmites on provincial highways, the specific highway management plans and results by each MTO region and each highway in the region and work in coordination with the Municipality of West Elgin; and

Be it Further Resolved that the Province of Ontario designate Phragmites australis as a noxious weed under the Noxious Weed Act; and in collaboration with the Ontario Federation of Agriculture, the Ontario Phragmites Working Group, and Ontario Municipalities, carry out a public education campaign regarding best practices in

eradicating Phragmites; and if possible, develop a system of grants to support the uptake of these best practices by citizens; and

Be it Further Resolved that the Council for the Corporation of the Municipality of West Elgin directs staff to send this resolution to all Municipalities in Ontario; Honourable Omar Alhabra, Minister of Transportation (Canada); Honourable Caroline Mulroney, Ontario Minister of Transport; James Corcoran, General Services Coordinator, vegetation, MTO West Region; Honourable Ernie Hardeman, Ontario Ministry of Agriculture, Food, and Rural Affairs; Jeff Yurek, MPP; and Karen Vecchio MP.

Carried

Sincerely,

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Jana Nethercott
Clerk

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May 20, 2021

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- Careers: Hastings & Prince Edward DSB and Orillia.

AMO Matters

On the [latest episode of AMO ON Topic](#), Susan Gardner shares highlights of her 30-year career as Municipal World CEO, including her favourite podcast guests and how the sector has changed over time.

Has your community financed an innovative, exciting, or impactful infrastructure project with the federal Gas Tax Fund? [Apply for an AMO Federal Gas Tax Award](#) to celebrate your municipality's efforts!

The [PJ Marshall Awards](#) recognize municipal excellence and innovation in capital projects, operating efficiencies and new approaches to service delivery. If you have a project for submission, the deadline for [2021 submissions](#) is May 28, 2021.

Provincial Matters

The Ministry of the Environment, Conservation and Parks has posted a proposed

Land Use Compatibility Guideline for consultation ([ERO 019-2785](#)) until July 3; municipal webinars are also being organized (June 2: [registration](#); June 9: [registration](#); and June 16: [registration](#)).

Federal Matters

[Applications for the Healthy Communities Initiative](#) are now open to local governments and other organizations for projects, programming, and services that help communities. Apply by June 25, 5 pm PST.

Eye on Events

2020 was an historical moment for laying bare the necessity to honestly and transparently face the issues of human rights, diversity, equity and inclusion. AMO has developed training to help members better understand these important and complex issues along with their roles and obligations. [AMO has added a second date](#) for this in demand training. Space is limited.

Delegation meetings are a key feature of the AMO Conference. To request meetings as part of your AMO 2021 Conference experience, visit the Conference [website](#) and click on the “Delegations” tab before June 4. Don’t forget, you must be a registered delegate to participate.

AMO and the Loomex Group are offering training that provides tools for elected officials to build resilience and strength in providing leadership through and beyond COVID-19. *Leading Through Crisis: Strengthening Personal Resilience* training is now also being offered on June 17, 2021. This important training has limited capacity, [register today](#).

Join this 3 hour workshop on May 27 or June 3 to learn the fundamentals of planning and your important role as an elected official in decision making. [Register here](#).

MindBeacon, [AMO’s digital mental health program partner](#), has made a number of enhancements to its Workplace Mental Health Program. [Join us for a webinar on May 26](#) at noon where MindBeacon will share its new program to support a greater number of Canadians looking for mental health therapy.

Interested in streamlining the management of boards, appointments, and vacancies? Join eSCRIBE, [AMO’s electronic meeting management and livestreaming partner](#), for a [webinar on May 27 at 3 pm](#) to learn how you can save time and effort managing your boards with the [Board Manager](#) solution.

LAS

Making the right decisions with your road budget starts with quality data. The [LAS Road \(and sidewalk\) Assessment](#) offers a 3D camera-based assessment and a GIS-based software designed to get the most out of every maintenance dollar. [FCM funding](#) is currently available to cover up to 90% of the project cost. [Contact Tanner](#) for more information.

Big changes are coming to the [Municipal Group Buying Program](#). Stay tuned in the

upcoming weeks for exciting news and a big reveal!

The Ministry of Energy, Northern Development and Mines is now accepting [O. Reg. 507/18](#) annual energy reports. Reporting is for the energy used in 2019 and **due by July 1, 2021**. Ministry information [webinars](#) will be on May 26, and June 9 and 23. Email any questions to BPSsupport@ontario.ca.

Municipal Wire*

Phasing out gas generation is being discussed among municipalities. Register for the [IESO's May 27 webinar](#) as they seek input on the scope of an assessment around possible impacts to the electricity system.

Careers

[Director of Education - Hastings and Prince Edward District School Board](#). Situated in the heart of the beautiful Bay of Quinte region, the District School Board serves approximately 15,000 students each day at 40 schools. To be considered for this pivotal mandate with high visibility, accountability and impact, please send your covering letter, resume and professional references with contact information, no later than TUESDAY, MAY 25, 2021 AT 10:00 AM, in confidence to: directorselection.committee@hpedsb.on.ca.

[Chief Financial Officer & Treasurer - City of Orillia](#). Orillia is located one hour north of the GTA and offers affordable living alongside major employers like Lakehead University, Georgian College and the Ontario Provincial Police headquarters. Position reports to General Manager of Corporate Services. Please apply through the City's [on-line portal](#). Applications will be accepted until May 30, 2021 at 4:30 P.M.

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May 18, 2021

The Honourable Patty Hajdu
 Federal Minister of Health
 House of Commons
 Ottawa, ON
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Dear Ms. Hajdu,

At the Township of Terrace Bay Regular Council Meeting held on Monday May 17, 2021, the following resolution of support was passed.

RE: City of Barrie – National 3-Digit Suicide and Crisis Hotline

Resolution: 121-2021

Moved by: Councillor Malashewski

Seconded by: Councillor Moore

RESOLVED THAT Council

WHEREAS the Federal government has passed a motion to adopt 988, a National three-digit suicide and crisis hotline; and

WHEREAS the motion calls for the federal government to consolidate all existing suicide crisis numbers into one three-digit hotline; and

WHEREAS the ongoing COVID-19 pandemic has increased the demand for suicide prevention services by 200%; and

WHEREAS existing suicide prevention hotlines require the user to remember a 10-digit number and go through directories or be placed on hold; and

WHEREAS in 2022 the United States will have in place a national 988 crisis hotline; and

WHEREAS the Township of Terrace Bay recognized that it is a significant and important initiative to ensure critical barriers are removed to those in a crisis and seeking help;

NOW THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED as follows:

1. That the Township of Terrace Bay endorses this 988 - crisis hotline initiative.
2. That a letter demonstrating Terrace Bay's support be sent to the Honourable Patty Hajdu, Federal Minister of Health, Todd Doherty, MP Caribou-Prince George, the Honourable Christine Elliott, Provincial Minister of Health, MPP Michael Gravelle, the Canadian Radio-television and Telecommunications (CRTC) and all municipalities Ontario.

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Thank you for your consideration.

Sincerely,

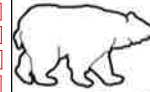


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May 19, 2021

The Honourable Doug Ford
 Premier of Ontario
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 Toronto, ON
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Dear Premier Ford:

Re: Reopening of Greenwater Provincial Park

This will serve to advise you that Council, at its regular meeting held Tuesday, May 11th, 2021 passed the following resolution pertaining to the above noted:

“Resolution No.: 123-2021

Moved by: Councillor Daniel Bélisle Seconded by: Councillor Robert Hutchinson

WHEREAS the pandemic has caused people to stay indoors for an extended period of time; and

WHEREAS there is an extreme demand for camping and RVing from Ontarians wanting to go and enjoy our great outdoors; and

WHEREAS in 2013 approximately 10 Provincial Parks were closed by the Ministry of Natural Resources (MNR) in the North; and

WHEREAS Northerners have very little areas to be able to enjoy the outdoors, as the closest Provincial Park are Kettle Lakes and Rene Brunelle; and

WHEREAS these Provincial Parks will be fully booked with nowhere for Cochranites to go camping nearby;

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THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED THAT the Corporation of the Town of Cochrane call on Premier Ford and the Minister of Natural Resources to reopen the Greenwater Provincial Park;

AND FURTHER THAT the Council of the Corporation of the Town of Cochrane establish an Ad Hoc Committee to petition the Provincial Government;

AND FURTHER THAT a copy of this resolution be forwarded to the MP, Charlie Angus, MPP John Vanthof and the Federation of Northern Ontario Municipalities for their endorsement and support

CARRIED”

Your attention to this matter is greatly appreciated!

Yours truly,

THE CORPORATION OF THE TOWN OF COCHRANE

Alice Mercier

Clerk

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Charlie Angus, MP, Timmins – James Bay

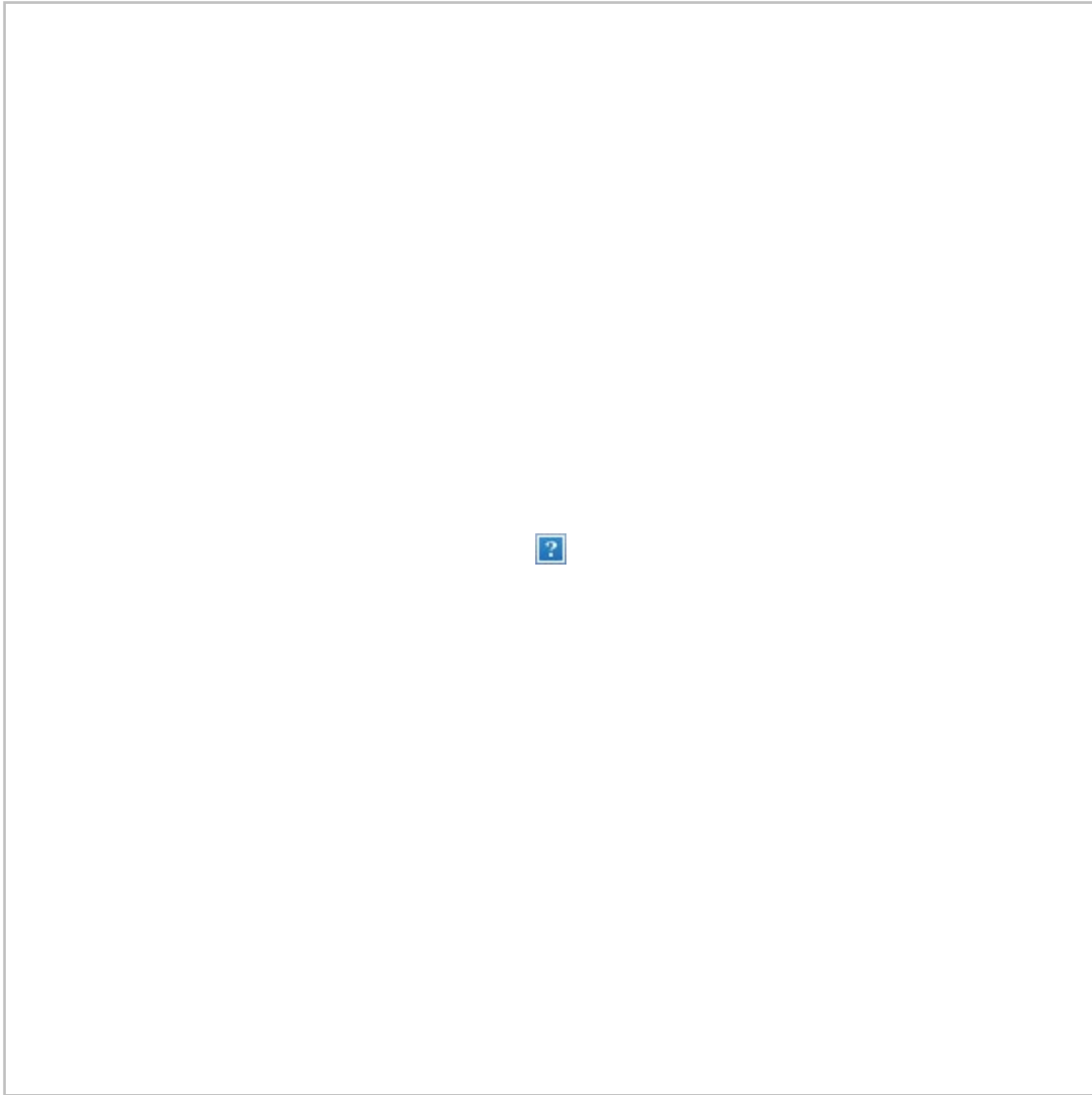
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We are just 18 days away from the 2021 'virtual' Hike for Hospice, taking place on Sunday June 6, 2021.

Becky, join us in raising awareness and much-needed funds for Oak Ridges Hospice (ORH)!

While we can't gather for an in-person event, we hope that you will sign up to do an activity you enjoy, such as walking or running, cycling or kayaking, and share a picture with us on June 6th. Wear purple and keep hospice in your heart! Together, we will fill the region with shades of purple in honour of ORH

and all the individuals and families that will journey in the hospice.

Registration is Free!

Did you know that care at a hospice residence is provided at about ½ the daily cost of a palliative care bed in a hospital? In addition, the government only funds 50% of the costs associated with operating the hospice. The remaining funds need to be raised by the community. That is why fundraising events such as the Hike for Hospice are so important.

So while there is no cost to participate we hope that you will consider making a donation or sharing your personal fundraising page with friends and family to sponsor your hike. All proceeds from the Hike for Hospice will help fund the ORH volunteer program and purchasing essential personal supplies for residents.

To learn more, register or donate: [CLICK HERE](#)

Also, don't forget to follow along on our new Instagram account [@hikeforhospice](#)

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PETERBOROUGH, MAY 19, 2021 – The health and safety of visitors and employees are of utmost importance to Parks Canada and the Agency is following the advice, guidance, and requirements of public health authorities and experts in its operations and continues to make every effort to limit the spread of COVID-19.

To align with measures introduced by the Province of Ontario to limit the spread of COVID-19, Parks Canada administered places in Ontario will delay the launch of most visitor services including camping until at least June 2, 2021. This includes the Trent-Severn Waterway National Historic Site.

The following services and facilities on the Trent-Severn Waterway will remain closed to visitors until at least June 2, 2021:

- Lockage and overnight mooring; and
- All camping; oTENTiks, Ôasis, and the Rosedale cabin.

All Parks Canada reservations impacted by this delayed opening will be automatically cancelled and refunded in full. Visitors do not have to do anything to cancel their reservation.

Parks Canada is asking Canadians to observe travel restrictions, to respect the guidance of public health experts and all public health restrictions, and to make every effort to limit the spread of COVID-19 and keep one another safe.

The Parks Canada website provides detailed information on what locations are open, what visitors can expect, how to prepare for a visit and what services may be available. Visitors should check pc.gc.ca before they travel.

LES LIEUX ADMINISTRÉS PAR PARCS CANADA EN ONTARIO REPORTENT L'OUVERTURE SAISONNIÈRE POUR SE CONFORMER AUX MESURES PROVINCIALES

PETERBOROUGH, 19 MAI 2021 – La santé et la sécurité des visiteurs et des employés sont de la plus haute importance pour Parcs Canada. L'Agence suit les conseils, les directives et les exigences des experts et des responsables de la santé publique dans le cadre de ses activités et continue de tout mettre en œuvre pour limiter la propagation de la COVID-19.

Afin de se conformer aux mesures mises en place par la Province de l'Ontario pour limiter la propagation de la COVID-19, les lieux administrés par Parcs Canada en Ontario reportent le lancement de la plupart des services aux visiteurs, notamment le camping, au moins jusqu'au 2 juin 2021. Cela inclut le lieu historique national de la Voie-Navigable-Trent-Severn.

Les visiteurs n'auront pas accès aux services et installations qui suivent au moins jusqu'au 2 juin 2021 :

- l'éclusement et l'amarrage de nuit; et
- Tous les types de camping, oTENTiks, Ôasis et la cabane Rosedale..

Toutes les réservations de Parcs Canada touchées par le report de la date d'ouverture seront automatiquement annulées et entièrement remboursées. Les visiteurs n'ont rien à faire pour annuler leur réservation.

Parcs Canada demande aux Canadiens, de respecter les restrictions de déplacement ainsi que les directives des experts en santé publique et toutes les restrictions de santé publique, et de tout faire pour limiter la propagation de la COVID-19 et assurer la sécurité de chacun.

Le site Web de Parcs Canada contient des renseignements détaillés sur les endroits qui sont ouverts, ce à quoi les visiteurs peuvent s'attendre, la façon de préparer une visite et les services qui pourraient être offerts. Les visiteurs devraient consulter le site pc.gc.ca avant de partir.

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Regards,

Karen Feeley

For the most up-to-date information regarding our facilities and services, please visit us online at www.pc.gc.ca/trent or follow us on social media @TrentSevernNHS



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To Whom it May Concern:

At the Township of Terrace Bay Regular Council Meeting held on Monday May 17, 2021, the following resolution of support was passed.

RE: Advocacy for Reform MFIPPA

Resolution: 122-2021

Moved by: Councillor St.Louis

Seconded by: Councillor Moore

WHEREAS the Municipal Freedom of Information and Protection of Privacy Act R.S.O. 1990 (MFIPPA) dates back 30 years;

AND WHEREAS municipalities, including the Township of Terrace Bay, practice and continue to promote open and transparent government operations, actively disseminate information and routinely disclose public documents upon request outside of the MFIPPA process;

AND WHEREAS government operations, public expectations, technologies, and legislation surrounding accountability and transparency have dramatically changed and MFIPPA has not advanced in line with these changes;

AND WHEREAS the creation, storage and utilization of records has changed significantly, and the Municipal Clerk of the Municipality is responsible for records and information management programs as prescribed by the Municipal Act, 2001;

AND WHEREAS regulation 823 under MFIPPA continues to reference antiquated technology and does not adequately provide for cost recovery, and these financial shortfalls are borne by the municipal taxpayer;

AND WHEREAS the threshold to establish frivolous and/or vexatious requests is unreasonably high and allows for harassment of staff and members of municipal councils, and unreasonably affects the operations of the municipality;

AND WHEREAS the Act fails to recognize how multiple requests from an individual; shortage of staff resources or the expense of producing a record due to its size, number or physical location does not allow for time extensions to deliver requests and unreasonably affects the operations of the municipality;

AND WHEREAS the name of the requestor is not permitted to be disclosed to anyone other than the person processing the access request, and this anonymity is used by requesters to abuse the MFIPPA process and does not align with the spirit of openness and transparency embraced by municipalities;

AND WHEREAS legal professionals use MFIPPA to gain access to information launch litigation against institutions, where other remedies exist;

AND WHEREAS there are limited resources to assist administrators or requestors to navigate the legislative process;

AND WHEREAS reform is needed to address societal and technological changes in addition to global privacy concerns and consistency across provincial legislation;

BE IT RESOLVED THAT the Ministry of Government and Consumer Services be requested to review the MFIPPA, and consider recommendations as follows:

1. That MFIPPA assign the Municipal Clerk, or designate to be the Head under the Act;
2. That MFIPPA be updated to address current and emerging technologies;
3. That MFIPPA regulate the need for consistent routine disclosure practices across institutions;
4. That the threshold for frivolous and/or vexatious actions be reviewed, and take into consideration the community and available resources in which it is applied;
5. That the threshold for frivolous and/or vexatious also consider the anonymity of requesters, their abusive nature and language in requests to ensure protection from harassment as provided for in Occupational Health and Safety Act;
6. That the application and scalability of fees be designed to ensure taxpayers are protected from persons abusing the access to information process;
7. That administrative practices implied or required under the Act, including those of the IPC, be reviewed and modernized;
8. That the integrity of the Act be maintained to protect personal privacy and transparent governments.

Sincerely,



Jon Hall
CAO/Clerk

CC: Ontario Municipalities