

**From:** Stephen J. Donkers  
**Sent:** Friday, May 10, 2024 2:30 PM  
**To:** cityclerks <cityclerks@barrie.ca>  
**Subject:** Deputation request for May 15 council meeting

Good afternoon,

I trust this email finds you in good health. My name is Steve, and as a resident of Ward 4 in Barrie, I am reaching out to express my interest in making a deputation concerning the sports field proposal on Lakeshore Drive.

Thank you,

**Steve Donkers**

**From:** Derek Lubert <  
**Sent:** Saturday, May 11, 2024 6:27:43 PM  
**To:** Wendy Cooke <[Wendy.Cooke@barrie.ca](mailto:Wendy.Cooke@barrie.ca)>  
**Subject:** Deputation for soccer - Wednesday

Hi Wendy,

I'd like to present a deputation for the soccer discussion this coming Wednesday.

Thanks

Derek Lubert  
Mase Capital Inc.

**From:** City of Barrie <no-reply@barrie.ca>  
**Sent:** Monday, May 13, 2024 10:57 AM  
**To:** cityclerks <cityclerks@barrie.ca>  
**Subject:** Webform submission from: Deputation Request

Submitted on Mon, 05/13/2024 - 10:56

Submitted by: Anonymous

Submitted from: <https://www.barrie.ca/form/deputation-request>

Submitted values are:

**Council Meeting Date:**  
Wed, 05/15/2024 - 00:00

**General Committee Motion Number:**  
24-G-111

**Subject:**  
Waterfront sports field

**Name of Person to Appear:**  
Dorothy McKeown

**Email Address:**

**Address:**

**Phone:**

**Name of Group or Person(s) Being Represented (if applicable):**  
Barrie Bird Friendly City team

**Brief Statement of Purpose of Deputation:**  
See email. Astroturf sports field on waterfront not necessary for cadet or sport use when other locations suffice, and goes against migratory, local bird protection. Destruction of mature forest, and use of heat retention astroturf add to climate change problems, increasing tornado possibilities, pollution. Noise and lights will disturb wildlife and citizens.

**Letter Submitted with Request:**  
No

**From:** Dorothy Mckeown  
**Sent:** Sunday, May 12, 2024 5:40 PM  
**To:** cityclerks <cityclerks@barrie.ca>  
**Subject:** Fwd: Deputation for Wed May 15th

On Sun, May 12, 2024, 5:01 p.m. Dorothy Mckeown < wrote:  
I want to make a deputation on Wednesday May, 15th, 2024, regarding the proposed waterfront sports field.

I will speak as a member of the Bird Friendly city team, regarding council's promises to maintain Migratory Bird habitat, safety, and well-being, as renewed twice in WMBD proclamations. Barrie was the 15th city in Canada to be declared a Bird Friendly city, (and only at entry level, the lowest of three levels). Barrie can also be the FIRST city to LOSE it's Bird Friendly status, as every 2 years cities get reevaluated. Our reevaluation happens September 2024.

Our recently acclaimed, Barrie official city bird, the Belted Kingfisher, nests on the shores of Kempenfelt Bay. The light and noise of a sports field, and destruction of the natural areas to build it, will affect the breeding success, and the safe travels of our mascot and other local and migratory birds, and wildlife.

I can also speak as an aunt of a recent navy marching band member, who had formerly been in the internationally acclaimed Burlington Teen Tour band, and the lack of necessity of a new marching field next to water. They use parking lots to practice marching. The Sadlon Arena and Park Place are near enough to practice on, if they even need ones that big. The navy cadets are not going to be going from boats in the water, directly to marching practice, so a practice field does NOT need to be close to the water. For the few times (if any), they need practice for a patterned marching show, like a football game half time show, they can use a local high school field. Simcoe County doesn't have a CFL team, so that requirement is unlikely.

I am a great aunt and neighbor of sports enthusiasts, who also don't need a sports field to be on the Barrie waterfront, nor one with injury causing heat retaining, climate change impacting artificial turf. One sports field, distant from all others, does not help with any tournaments. The Barrie sports complex on Nursery Rd is best suited for such future endeavors.

The parking lot for the upgraded South Shore Centre doesn't need to be fossil fuel using, impermeable asphalt, when there is the option of permeable interlocking brick needing less painting, road salt, maintenance, and composed of non-polluting natural ingredients like sand and clay. The interlocking brick parking lot at the Orillia Opera House/library/Farmers Market doesn't even need the parking spot lines repainted as they are designated by colour and positioning of the bricks.

Has there been any consultation with our First Nations treaty kin?  
Our treaty promise includes being good land stewards, protecting the water and our other living inhabitants.

Dorothy McKeown  
citizen  
Barrie bird friendly city certification team member

-----Original Message-----

From: Victor Capobianco <>

Sent: Saturday, May 11, 2024 12:24 PM

To: cityclerks <cityclerks@barrie.ca>

Subject: Council meeting

Hello,

I am a head coach for the Barrie Soccer Club and I would like to speak at next Wednesday's meeting.

Please let me know if that is possible.

Kind Regards,

Victor Capobianco

Owner/President  
MYDAR GC Inc.

**From:** Priscila Tammaro <>

**Sent:** Sunday, May 12, 2024 3:56 PM

**To:** cityclerks <cityclerks@barrie.ca>

**Subject:** Opportunity to Speak at Council Wednesday May 15th

Hello, I hope this email finds you well.

My name is Fabio Novaes and I would like to sign up to speak at the next council meeting on Wednesday May 15th in regards to the new turf field complex that will be discussed.

Thank you,

Fabio Novaes

**- Sent from my iPhone. Please excuse any typos.**

-----Original Message-----

From: Chris Franco <

Sent: Tuesday, May 14, 2024 2:14 PM

To: Wendy Cooke <[Wendy.Cooke@barrie.ca](mailto:Wendy.Cooke@barrie.ca)>

Subject: Deputation - C Franco - Soccer field

Hello

I would like to speak regarding this issue with counsel

Chris Franco.

-----Original Message-----

From: Beethoven Crasco <

Sent: Tuesday, May 14, 2024 5:15 PM

To: Tammie Maynard <[Tammie.Maynard@barrie.ca](mailto:Tammie.Maynard@barrie.ca)>; Wendy Cooke <[Wendy.Cooke@barrie.ca](mailto:Wendy.Cooke@barrie.ca)>

Subject: Wanted to speak to express my support for sports field

Good day Wendy,

I'm send this email to convey my intention to speak before the council / committee about my support for the sports field and parading ground.

I've been a resident of Barrie for 19 years and I welcome this development.

This will encourage everyone , especially the youth to indulge into sports and other recreational activities.

Looking forward for a positive outcome of this endeavour!

Very truly yours,

Beethoven Crasco

Community Leader of Filipino-Canadian Community in Barrie and Simcoe County



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-----Original Message-----

From: Tracy Strohm

Sent: Wednesday, May 15, 2024 7:58 AM

To: cityclerks <cityclerks@barrie.ca>

Subject: Asking a question at tonight's Council Meeting

I would like to ask a question at tonight's city council meeting pertaining to the field development at the South Shore Centre. I would have preferred to make a deputation but know I am too late to do so. How do I get myself on the roster?

I have historical information re the acquisition of the South Shore lands and the intent that May end up costing the city money if not adhered to.

Thank you

Tracy Strohm

Original Message-----

From: Nicole Nixon <

Sent: Wednesday, May 15, 2024 9:36 AM

To: cityclerks <cityclerks@barrie.ca>

Subject: Council Meeting Wednesday, May 15th

Please add me to the list to speak at tonight's meeting.

Thanking you in advance!

Nicole Nixon

**From:** dave aspden <>  
**Sent:** Friday, May 10, 2024 2:30 PM  
**To:** Wendy Cooke <[Wendy.Cooke@barrie.ca](mailto:Wendy.Cooke@barrie.ca)>  
**Subject:** Relocation of Sea Cadets & Navy League Cadets

Wendy Cooke  
City Clerk  
Corporation of the City of Barrie

Please add my name to the list to make a deputation at the City Council Meeting on Wednesday May 15, 2024.

Thank You  
Dave Aspden

-----Original Message-----

From: FERN TAILLEFER

Sent: Wednesday, May 15, 2024 12:48 PM

To: cityclerks <cityclerks@barrie.ca>

Cc: Eric Chappell <Eric.Chappell@barrie.ca>

Subject: Emergency Deputation

Please put me on the emergency deputation list for tonight

Fern Taillefer

1st Vice President

Barrie Legion

Veteran Service Officer

Sent from my iPhone