

## **City of Barrie**

70 Collier Street (Box 400) Barrie, ON L4M 4T5

# Minutes - Final Town and Gown Committee

Tuesday, February 23, 2016

10:00 AM

**Huronia Room "A"** 

For consideration by the Finance and Corporate Services Committee of the City of Barrie on March 23, 2016.

The Town and Gown Committee met at 10:00 a.m. in Huronia Room "A" and the following were in attendance:

#### PRESENT:

Councillor, B. Ainsworth, Chair Barrie Police Service, M. Holden Community Member, F. Ottaway East End Homeowners Association, J. Hanson East End Homeowners Association, C. Riepma Georgian College, R. Calvano Georgian College, T. Zubyck.

#### STAFF:

Committee Support Clerk, J. Werth Supervisor of By-law Services, J. Forgrave Supervisor of By-law Services, R. Osborne Supervisor of Traffic and Parking Services, T. Hanrahan.

#### ALSO PRESENT:

Georgian College, B. Muscat.

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### The Town and Gown Committee met and reports as follows:

#### **GENERAL UPDATES**

Sergeant Mark Holden, Barrie Police Service provided an overview of upcoming special events and current initiatives. Sergeant Holden noted that this year the Barrie Police Auxiliary Service will be celebrating its 40th anniversary. He stated that the Barrie Police Service will be hosting a reunion of Police Chiefs in June. Sergeant Holden provided an update regarding the Community Outreach and Support Team (COAST) pilot project. Sergeant Holden noted that the pilot COAST project has been successful in diverting mental health cases to the Royal Victoria Regional Health Centre.

- B. Muscat, Acting Dean of Students, Georgian College provided an update regarding the departure of Laurentian University from the City of Barrie and its impact on students.
- R. Calvano, Director, Campus Safety and Security, Georgian College advised that parking services at Georgian College have been transferred to the Campus Safety and Security Department. Mr. Calvano noted that the Campus Safety and Security Department will be responding to Georgian College parking issues. He commented that in early March the Barrie Police Tactical Support Unit will be touring Georgian College and reviewing the College's emergency procedures.
- T. Hanrahan, Supervisor of Traffic and Parking Services provided a Departmental update. Mr. Hanrahan reviewed the new permanent traffic calming measures in Ward One. He provided an update on the use of speed cushions as City-wide traffic calming measures. Mr. Hanrahan advised that Resident Parking Passes will be delivered by Canada Post in the Spring.
- J. Forgrave, Supervisor of By-law Services provided a Departmental update. Mr. Forgrave advised that a meeting has been scheduled with staff from the David Busby Street Centre to discuss homelessness and enforcement issues. He reviewed statistics regarding overnight parking infractions on City streets during the winter months.

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- R. Osborne, Supervisor of By-law Services provided a Departmental update on matters related to:
  - Responding to complaints regarding parking on residential front lawns;
  - The processing of two-unit housing registration requests;
  - The processing of licences for new Boarding, Lodging or Rooming (BLR) Houses; and
  - The recruitment of summer students.

The meeting adjourned at 10:58 a.m.

**CHAIRMAN** 

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