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CONSENT AGENDA  
WEDNESDAY, JUNE 3, 2020**

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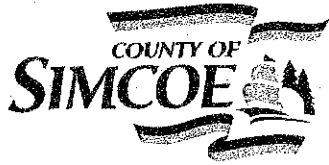
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None.

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None.



# COUNTY COUNCIL HIGHLIGHTS

## Flat Levy for Recovering Waste Management Costs

The County of Simcoe is responsible for the delivery of solid waste management services to all of its member municipalities, including the provision of curbside collection of the various waste and recyclable streams. In 2021, a new contract for curbside collection will be awarded.

This week, in an effort to ensure a uniform service across Simcoe County by the fairest means of recovering the cost of the curbside collection system, County Council directed staff to move towards a flat levy cost per serviced unit, rather than an assessment based charge for curbside waste collections, effective January 1, 2021, and that staff report back on operational details, a financial analysis and associated costs, moving forward.

## County Development Charge Rebate Requests for Secondary Suites Program

Since 2008, the County has offered a rebate of its development charges as a financial incentive for the creation of affordable housing. County Council approved \$200,000 in the 2020 budget to offset the County development charges paid by developers of affordable housing projects, including County-funded secondary units.

On June 6, 2019, Bill 108, the More Homes, More Choice Act received Royal Assent. This Bill includes extensive amendments to legislation as outlined in the Ontario Housing Supply Action Plan, including proposed amendments to the Development Charges Act. Under the proposed amendments, the Development Charges Act would provide that the creation of one second dwelling unit in prescribed classes of new residential buildings would be exempt from development charges.

As Bill 108 has yet to become law, this week, Council voted once again to give staff the authority to approve County Development Charge Rebate program requests for eligible Secondary Suites Program applicants.



## Ontario's Draft Forest Sector Strategy

On December 4, 2019, the Ministry of Natural Resources & Forestry (MNRF) posted a Draft Forest Sector Strategy on the Environmental Registry for public comment. The goal of the proposed strategy is "to sustainably grow the forest sector, create opportunity for Ontario families, support industry and encourage innovation and new investment, while ensuring the sustainability of forests."

This week, Council endorsed a response to MNRF on behalf of the County in regards to this wide ranging and positive document which recognizes the robust, sustainable forest management practices in Ontario and seeks to enhance the many potential benefits from growing the forest industry, highlighting significant opportunities in south and central Ontario that remain overlooked and underutilized.

## Solid Waste Management Facilities COVID-19 Update

From the beginning of the COVID-19 pandemic, the County has taken decisive steps to flatten the curve and slow community transmission to protect residents' social, physical and financial well-being and ensure a speedy economic recovery post-COVID. In alignment with health guidelines to physical distance and protect staff, the County initially closed landfill and transfer stations to the public. On March 26, to support our small businesses and our residents' urgent/essential waste disposal needs, the County reopened four landfills and transfer stations after initialing additional health protocols and necessary precautions.

This week, Council received a report on a second phase of reopenings scheduled to commence Monday, May 25, allowing two weeks to recuperate staff levels, implement additional safety measures, and provide adequate notice to site staff and the public on the site schedule changes. Several landfills and transfer stations will reopen and hours of operation will increase to 8:30 a.m. to 3:30 p.m. to provide greater critical disposal options to County residents and businesses and reduce wait times at the four currently operating sites. For more details, go to [simcoe.ca/covid19](http://simcoe.ca/covid19).

## MAY DATES

### Museum Month

Month of May

### Emergency Preparedness Week

May 3 - 9, 2020

### Nurses Week

May 11 - 17, 2020

### Paramedic Services Week

May 24 - 30, 2020

**NEXT COUNCIL & COMMITTEE OF THE WHOLE MEETING - MAY 26, 2020**

## Correction Notice: Oro-Medonte McLean Park Initiative - Request for County Support for MZO

The May 5 issue of County Council highlights stated that Council voted to support the Oro-Medonte McLean Park initiative's request for a Ministerial Zoning Order. On April 28, Council voted to defer back to staff for more information before making their decision on whether to approve the application for an MZO. This item was included on the May 12 agenda and was further deferred by County Council to the May 26 session.

### Service Simcoe

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**From:** Robin Brown <[robin@nottawasaga.com](mailto:robin@nottawasaga.com)>  
**Sent:** May 14, 2020 2:20 PM  
**Subject:** Event cancellation

Good afternoon,

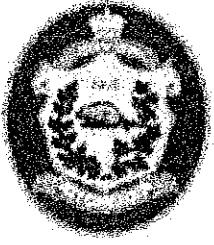
After much thought and consideration we have decided to cancel the 2020 South Simcoe Business Excellence Awards.

We look forward to partnering with The Town of New Tecumseth who will host the 2021 Awards.

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*Business Lending For Our Community*



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May 15, 2020

The Right Honourable Justin Trudeau, Prime Minister of Canada  
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Dear Prime Minister Trudeau:

This is to advise that City Council, at a special electronic meeting held on May 11, 2020, passed the following resolution regarding universal basic income:

"WHEREAS The World Health Organization (WHO) on March 11, 2020 declared COVID-19 a pandemic, pointing to the growing number of cases of the coronavirus illness around the world and the sustained risk of further global spread; and,

WHEREAS in response to the COVID-19 pandemic, the Province of Ontario and the City of Kitchener have declared a state of emergency under the Emergency Management and Civil Protection Act; and,

WHEREAS the City of Kitchener has approved the Early Economic Support Plan, which provides financial and economic support measures to help reduce the financial strain on citizens and businesses during the COVID-19 pandemic; and,

WHEREAS Statistics Canada has reported that the unemployment rate has risen to 7.8 per cent, with 1,011,000 jobs lost in March 2020, and that the COVID-19 pandemic has impacted the employment of 3.1 million Canadians; and,

WHEREAS the Federal government has announced \$82 billion in relief funding for the COVID-19 Economic Response Plan, utilizing tax deferrals, subsidies, loans, and credits to support citizens, businesses, and industries; and,

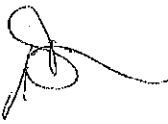
WHEREAS according to a 2018 Parliamentary Budget Office report, a Canada-wide basic income of the type previously piloted in Ontario would have an annual net cost of \$44 billion; and,

WHEREAS a universal basic income would likely have many positive effects, including reducing poverty, reducing strain on health care and social assistance systems, supporting businesses and the economy, reducing crime, as well as reducing administrative complexity and creating efficiencies for those in need of financial and economic support measures;

THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED that the Council of the City of Kitchener urges the Ontario Provincial government to pursue a partnership with the Federal government for the establishment of a universal basic income;

BE IT FINALLY RESOLVED that this resolution be forwarded to the Right Honourable Prime Minister of Canada; the Honourable Premier of Ontario; the Minister of Children, Community and Social Services; the Minister of Municipal Affairs and Housing; the Association of Municipalities of Ontario; the Local Members of Provincial Parliament; the Region of Waterloo; all Municipalities within the Province of Ontario; and, the Federation of Canadian Municipalities."

Yours truly,



J. Bunn  
Manager, Council & Committee Services/  
Deputy City Clerk

- c. Honourable, Doug Ford, Premier
- Honourable Amy Fee, M.P.P.
- Honourable Belinda Karahalios, M.P.P.
- Honourable Catherine Fife, M.P.P.
- Honourable Laura Mae Lindo, M.P.P.
- Honourable Mike Harris, M.P.P.
- Honourable Todd Smith, Minister of Children, Community & Social Services
- Honourable Steve Clark, Minister of Municipal Affairs and Housing
- Monika Turner, Association of Municipalities of Ontario
- Kris Fletcher, Regional Clerk, Region of Waterloo
- Bill Karsten, Federation of Canadian Municipalities
- Ashley Sage, Clerk, Township of North Dumfries
- Danielle Manton, City Clerk, City of Cambridge
- Dawn Mittelholtz, Director of Information and Legislative Services / Municipal Clerk, Township of Wilmot
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Hi folks...

I hope that this email finds you well.

Please see the media release that we sent out this morning for Canada Road Safety week.

As an fyi, Nottawasaga officers laid the 2<sup>nd</sup> most charges in central Ontario during this blitz week.

Steve

**S.B. (Steve) Ridout | Inspector | Interim Detachment Commander | Nottawasaga Detachment**  
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**From:** OPP News Portal (OPP)  
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**Subject:** News release from the OPP - NOTTAWASAGA OPP COMMITTED TO KEEPING OUR ROADS SAFE

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A new media release has been made by the OPP for Nottawasaga. The release content is below. If you wish to unsubscribe from these alerts, log into the OPP News Release Portal and select "Manage Account".

**FROM/DE:** Nottawasaga Detachment

**DATE:** May 20, 2020

**NOTTAWASAGA OPP COMMITTED TO KEEPING OUR ROADS SAFE**

**(TOWN OF NEW TECUMSETH, ADJALA-TOSORONTIO & ESSA TOWNSHIPS, ON)-** The Nottawasaga Detachment of the Ontario Provincial Police (OPP) is committed to keeping traffic safety a priority and supported this year's Canadian Association of Chiefs of Police (CACP) Canada Road Safety Week, which took place May 12 to 18, 2020.

The goal of Canada Road Safety Week is to ensure drivers and other road users are helping to keep roads safe. This national traffic safety campaign is designed to increase public compliance to safe driving practices through education and enforcement.

Throughout the week-long initiative, the Nottawasaga OPP laid the following:

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- Alcohol impaired driving - two charges;
- Drive while prohibited - three charges;
- Careless driving - one charge;
- Speeding - 204 charges;
- Stunt driving - three charges; and
- Distracted driving - two charges.

Officers from Nottawasaga OPP enforced all aspects of the Highway Traffic Act (HTA), as well as the "Big Four" leading causal factors of collisions and death on our roads: impaired driving, distractive driving, speeding/aggressive driving and lack of seat belt use.

"The Nottawasaga OPP would like to remind motorists to practice safe driving behaviours. Driving is a privilege and with that comes responsibility. Lives depend on it. We all have a role to play in keeping our roads safe, so let's all do our part and drive safe."

-Sgt. Scott Rome, Traffic Unit, Nottawasaga OPP

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May 20, 2020

The Right Honourable Justin Trudeau, P.C., MP  
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The Honourable Chrystia Freeland, P.C., M.P.  
Deputy Prime Minister  
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The Honourable Bill Morneau, P.C., M.P.  
Minister of Finance  
90 Elgin Street, 17<sup>th</sup> Floor  
Ottawa, ON K1A 0G5

Dear Prime Minister Trudeau, Deputy Prime Minister Freeland and Minister Morneau:

**Re: Basic Income for Income Security during Covid-19 Pandemic and Beyond**

On behalf of the Simcoe Muskoka District Health Unit (SMDHU) Board of Health, I am writing to convey our strong support for the evolution of the Canada Emergency Response Benefit (CERB) into a basic income for all Canadians, during the COVID-19 pandemic and beyond.

While we commend the federal government for the economic measures that have been put into place to support Canadians during this unprecedented time of the COVID-19 pandemic, we also know that many are falling through the cracks. Measures such as the CERB, the Canada Emergency Student Benefit (CESB) and the Canada Emergency Wage Subsidy (CEWS), though necessary and very important, have left many Canadians, who do not qualify for or not able to access these programs, vulnerable to household food insecurity and the negative consequences of income insecurity and poverty such as inadequate or unstable housing, and poorer mental and physical health, including chronic diseases. A basic income would address these gaps, offering support to the most vulnerable Canadians.

Before the COVID-19 pandemic, many Canadians were already experiencing household food insecurity. In 2017-18 approximately 4.4-million (1 in 8) Canadians reported being food insecure, including 1.2 million children under the age of 18.<sup>1</sup> As a result of COVID-19, this number is predicted to increase as many individuals are facing precarious employment, have had their hours reduced or have lost their jobs altogether. Many are relying on food banks and other charitable programs, however, this only meets the need on a temporary basis and is not a long term solution.

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Examples of key Canadian initiatives that demonstrate the positive impact of basic income-like programs on health and well-being include the Old Age Security and Guaranteed Income Supplement through Canada's public pension system, the Canada Child Benefit, and the Newfoundland Poverty Reduction Strategy.

Basic income pilots for working-age adults in Canada have also led to promising findings, including the Mincome pilot in Manitoba and the recent Ontario Basic Income Pilot. The research study, *Southern Ontario's Basic Income Experience* released in March 2020, is based on Ontario's pilot. This pilot was implemented in three Ontario cities in 2018 by the provincial government, and the project was terminated in 2019 following a change in government. While the formal pilot evaluation was cancelled, this research study made use of surveys of individuals from Hamilton, Brantford and Brant County who had been enrolled in the pilot (217 individuals participated out of 1000 enrolled households), and interviews with 40 participants. Some of the key findings cited by participants in this report include improvements in physical and mental health; increased labour market participation; moving to higher paying and more secure jobs; reduced household food insecurity; housing stability; improved financial status and social relationships; less frequent visits to health practitioners and hospital emergency rooms; improved living standards; and an improved sense of self-worth and hope for a better future.

Additional evidence supporting the potential of a basic income for reducing the prevalence and severity of household food insecurity is presented in: *Implications of a Basic Income Guarantee for Household Food Insecurity*, a research paper prepared for the Northern Policy Institute based on the Ontario Basic Income Pilot.

Moving forward during and following the COVID-19 pandemic is an opportune time for the federal government to take action to evolve the CERB into a basic income. This would provide income security to all Canadians during the economic challenges of the pandemic itself, the post-pandemic recovery, and into the future. This is particularly pertinent given the dramatic shifts in the labour market in recent decades, such that full-time permanent employment is no longer the norm. The current CERB has helped demonstrate the logistical feasibility of delivering a basic income, and it could be readily evolved into an ongoing basic income for anyone who falls below a certain income floor. There is evidence of growing support for this concept, as outlined in Appendix A. The Basic Income Canada Network has outlined key features of basic income design for Canada, which we support.

The SMDHU has been a strong proponent of basic income repeatedly since 2015. This includes having sponsored a resolution at the Association of Local Public Health Agencies (alPHA) general meeting endorsing the concept of basic income and requesting the federal and provincial governments jointly consider and investigate a basic income policy option for reducing poverty and income insecurity (2015), and expressing support and input into the Ontario Basic Income Pilot (2017). SMDHU has also been encouraging advocacy for income solutions to household food insecurity through our No Money for Food is Cent\$less initiative since 2017.

In keeping with this, we strongly recommend your government take swift and immediate action on the evolution of the CERB Benefit into legislation for a basic income as an effective long-term

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response to the problems of income insecurity, persistent poverty and household food insecurity, as well as a response to the economic impact of the COVID-19 pandemic.

Sincerely,

**ORIGINAL Signed By:**

Anita Dubeau  
Chair, Board of Health

AD:CS:cm

Encl. (1)

cc. Hon. Doug Ford, Premier of Ontario  
Simcoe and Muskoka MPs and MPPs  
Simcoe Muskoka Municipal Councils  
Association of Local Public Health Agencies  
Ontario Public Health Association  
Ontario Boards of Health

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## Appendix A: Examples of Support for Basic Income in Response to COVID-19 and Beyond

On April 21, 2020, 50 members of Canada's Senate wrote a letter to the federal government calling for a restructuring of the CERB into a minimum basic income to "ensure greater social and economic equity", especially for those who are most vulnerable. In support of this letter, Senator McPhedran's Youth Advisory Council, the Canadian Council of Young Feminists, in collaboration with the Basic Income Canada Youth Network, sent their own letter to the federal government.

In our region, Simcoe North MP Bruce Stanton has expressed agreement that it's time to consider basic income. He is quoted as saying "Based on my reading of this, like Senator Boniface, I am persuaded that it could be very good public policy" (News Story).

The Ontario Dietitians' of Public Health (ODPH) have also written a letter to the federal government stating "We ask that you take immediate action to enact legislation for a basic income guarantee as an effective long-term response to the problem of persistent poverty and household food insecurity as well as shorter-term consequences of the economic fallout of the COVID-19 pandemic".

The Board of Health of the Kingston, Frontenac, Lennox and Addington Health Unit in Ontario also passed a motion requesting the federal government to provide a basic income support to all Canadians (News Story).



## NVCA Board Meeting Highlights May 22, 2020

Next Meeting: June 26, 2020, location to be determined

For the full meeting agenda including documents and reports, visit [nvca.on.ca/about/boardofdirectors](http://nvca.on.ca/about/boardofdirectors)

The May 22, 2020 board meeting was held electronically through WebEx, and streamed on YouTube for public viewing due to COVID-19 restrictions.

This meeting consisted of the regular board meeting and the Nottawasaga Valley Source Protection Authority meeting. Highlights from both meetings are written below.

### **NVCA Board approves 2020 - 2025 Draft Strategic Plan**

The NVCA Board of Directors voted to approve the 2020 – 2025 Strategic Plan.

A draft version of the 2020 – 2025 NVCA Strategic Plan was presented to the Board of Directors in February.

NVCA's strategic planning process follows the guidelines from the recently published Integrated Watershed Management Plan, a document that guides NVCA's efforts to maintain and enhance the watershed's natural heritage resources.

The strategic plan is high level and broad-based, and provides the ability for the NVCA to move in many different directions and be reactive to different situations. It is an overarching document that provides a lookout over a longer period of timeframe, and is a living guidance document.

The strategic plan will be complemented by a business plan that has five, one year incremental forecasts for NVCA's work. It will be a living document that provides a nimble ability to react.

In this board meeting, board members provided comments and insights of the draft strategic plan. Comments include whether or not the strategic plan was nimble enough to accommodate COVID-19 situations and legislative changes from the Ontario government, and whether it can guide the NVCA to provide better service to municipalities.

### **Letter of support for conservation authorities**

On April 27, 2020, 112 environmental groups sent a joint letter to the Ontario government stating that all 36 conservation authorities (CAs) need to retain their current mandate of protecting, restoring and managing the watersheds where 95 percent of Ontarians reside.

These environmental groups include Environmental Defence, Ontario Nature and the Canadian Environmental Law Association.

The letter further states that the functions and responsibilities of CAs with respect to land use planning and permitting, monitoring, stewardship and education must be maintained.

[Download the letter here.](#)

### **Nottawasaga Valley Source Protection Authority**

#### **New committee members**

Since the fall of 2019, the term for many members of the Source Water Protection (SPA) committee has ended.

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Many long-standing members were reappointed, giving continuity to the work of the committee. With a multi-stakeholder approach in mind, the Nottawasaga Valley Source Protection Authority (NVSPA) was able to recruit four new members and two representatives from the Severn Sound Environmental Association to join the committee.

In normal situations, new members would have a thorough in-person orientation that spans over two months. However, due to the COVID-19 pandemic, documents and videos were sent to the members, followed by a Q&A session to clarify any questions or concerns.

### **Two year extension for completion of Risk Management Plans**

All Risk Management Plans were scheduled to be completed by July 2020. Due to the COVID-19 pandemic, all risk management work has been suspended until further notice. As such, the NVCA Board of Directors approved a proposal by staff for a two-year extension to complete Risk Management Plans.<sup>6</sup>

### **Inefficiencies in Annual Reporting Process**

The annual reporting process is an extremely valuable part of the Source Protection program, it ensures that SPA staff remain aware of the state of progress made by implementing bodies, and supports staff in providing this information in a presentation to the Board of Directors, and Source Protection Committee (SPC), on an annual basis.

However, Risk Management Officials who are responsible for completing these reports have indicated that meeting the reporting requirements is a significant workload taking multiple days to complete. In addition, the large reporting burden combined with regular RMO duties and a lack of clarity in some of the questions asked, resulted in concerns that the quality of some answers may have been compromised.

To streamline the annual reporting process, staff reviewed annual report questions, and proposed removing those that:

- Are not longer needed, as answer is now known

- Is redundant
- Has not proved useful to staff or SPC
- Requires more detail than is needed by staff or SPC

The NVCA Board of Directors voted to have the Source Protection Authority Board to request the Minister of Environment, Conservation and Parks to initiative a review of the Regulation 287/07 in order to reduce an unnecessary workload in regards to the Annual Report.

### **Upcoming events**

Beyond Tiffin Education – NVCA's new online education program. These programs help families explore nature in their backyards or a safe greenspace in their neighbourhoods.

For a nominal fee of \$5/lesson (or \$20 for 5), families will have access to video lessons, activity descriptions and modelling with applicable pdf. Files. They will also have exclusive access to Club Beyond Tiffin where students will be able to adventures, pictures and ask questions.

**Krista Pascoe**

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**To:** Lisa Lehr  
**Subject:** RE: Utopian Happenings - an update

**From:** [Jim@utopia.ca](mailto:Jim@utopia.ca) <[jim@utopia.ca](mailto:Jim@utopia.ca)>  
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**Subject:** Utopian Happenings - an update

Well Hello!

We are missing all of you, hoping that you are doing ok and managing well during these extra-ordinary times.

While the Utopia Hall is quite quiet right now, the Utopia Conservation Area is alive with beautiful beings, happy that it is Spring!

During the days, the park is filled with the sounds and swoopings of happy birds, establishing their homes and just enjoying the place.

At night, the frogs and others in the marshland take over the singing, creating a symphony that is joyous to hear.

The parkland has had the COVID barriers removed last weekend. At the bottom of this note are some recent photos of our natural beauty ....

Finalizing the accessible trails will begin soon. The NVCA has done such wonderful, caring work, supported by Mountain Equipment Co-op, Earl & Rickey Antler, the Township of Essa and, of course, the heartbeats and love from the Friends of the Utopia Mill & Park (that includes all of you).

Good news was received from the Ontario Trillium Foundation with the provision of a grant for the building of accessible washrooms. This project is underway, with research on environmentally respectful options and their practicality in the works.

We have been baking and canning at the Utopia Hall, grateful for the wonderful community commercial kitchen that was made possible through the support of Farm Credit Canada.

There will be a big batch of bran muffins being made early this Saturday morning. We would love you to have some ... we are not selling them – just want to provide you with a bit of a snack if you would like.

We'll do the social distancing dance – just knock on the back door of the hall .... we'll be in the kitchen and will bring some up for you to take-away. Plus if you bring your coffee/tea mug, we'll fill that up as well. It would be lovely to see you.

As for the future happenings at the hall ... we'll just have to figure this out together as the days and time unfolds.

In the meantime, continue to take good care of you & yours.

Celebrate what we have been able to do and create together .... And think of more fun times ahead.

*With much love from your friends @ the Utopia Hall*

Lisa Lehr

**From:** AMO Communications <Communicate@amo.on.ca>  
**Sent:** May 28, 2020 1:01 PM  
**To:** Lisa Lehr  
**Subject:** AMO COVID-19 Update - Looking Ahead

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May 28, 2020

## AMO COVID-19 Update - Looking Ahead

It's been 10 weeks since the state of emergency was declared in Ontario. Municipal governments have been on the front line of response and recovery every day since and will be for the foreseeable future.

In every sector, questions remain about how our communities, our province and our country will move forward to sustain, transform and fund services people rely on most, and to rebuild our economies.

All orders of government have made massive investments in keeping people safe, in bolstering economic security, and in protecting the social fabric of society. There is a new appreciation of the role of government, especially during an unprecedented health and economic emergency.

Our residents and businesses have made enormous sacrifices to keep our communities safe. Municipal employees have made heroic efforts to protect essential services and to support and protect the most vulnerable people in our communities. Municipal Councils have ensured needed resources are in place.

Ontario took immediate steps to assist municipalities, such as the \$148 million Social Services Relief Fund, which has literally saved lives - an important measure described by Finance Minister Rod Phillips as a "first step" in supporting municipalities. But the challenges are national in scale and AMO recognizes that a collaborative federal-provincial effort is required to provide much needed financial assistance to municipalities. AMO's [May 14th letter](#) to the Prime Minister and the Premier tells the story and urges Canada and Ontario to extend their successful collaboration to support municipalities. AMO will continue to advocate strongly to move this request forward. Ontario has joined AMO and FCM in advocating for federal assistance.



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Without immediate financial assistance, the alternatives of property tax increases, services cuts or deferred capital investment will undermine economic recovery.

In addition to immediate financial assistance for municipal operations, including transit, we know that municipalities are the ideal destination for federal and provincial capital investments that will help rebuild economic activity, put people back to work, and ensure much needed infrastructure is in place to sustain productive economies into the future.

And we know our members are deeply concerned about the future of public health, paramedic services and long-term care, and many other issues such as expanded broadband and the protection of our shared environment.

AMO will continue to advocate for these and other important matters. We will continue to work in partnership with members, professional and sector associations, FCM and others to ensure that the priorities of municipal government are front and center as Ontario and Canada move forward through the current crisis and into the recovery.

Members are supporting our advocacy efforts through local communications, government relations and social media, and it is making a difference. Thank you for your efforts and your support.

In the coming weeks, you will hear more about AMO's plans for our virtual Conference and AGM. There has never been a more important time to participate in the conference. Join us to share in the early lessons learned from COVID-19, the future of municipal services, first-hand interaction with the province, and the opportunity for delegation meetings to advocate directly on behalf of your community. More details will be coming soon.

AMO recognizes the remarkable leadership of municipal councils and extraordinary municipal public administrators in responding to the COVID-19 emergency and creating a foundation for recovery.

We will keep you up to date. We are keeping our COVID-19 webpage current and focusing on what's most relevant. AMO's dedicated COVID-19 email account will manage your questions, take your ideas, and facilitate your feedback. AMO's policy and member services teams look forward to hearing from you at covid19@amo.on.ca.

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**From:** AMO Communications <Communicate@amo.on.ca>  
**Sent:** May 28, 2020 3:19 PM  
**To:** Lisa Lehr  
**Subject:** AMO COVID-19 Update – Pandemic Pay Update

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May 28, 2020

## AMO COVID-19 Update – Pandemic Pay Update

Late yesterday, the Ministry of Health's Deputy Minister, Helen Angus, sent out the attached [memo](#) outlining the pandemic pay program for their programs. For the municipal sector, this will include public health and paramedic services. We understand that additional details on the pandemic pay program for long-term care homes, and housing and shelters will be coming shortly.

It has been confirmed that the Province will not be expanding the pandemic pay program beyond those already deemed eligible. It has also been clarified that the Province's program is for those front-line staff that have direct physical interaction with people who may be infected with COVID-19 e.g. where physical distancing is difficult or not possible. As stated previously, the Province has been clear that this will not apply to management, even those who have or are working in providing front-line services to residents, patients, or the public. It is expected that more detailed discussions with the respective program areas will occur shortly to better define who is eligible under this provincial program.

In the first week of June, ministries will start sending funding details to employers that receive funding directly from government and service delivery managers. Eligible employees will receive pandemic pay through their existing payroll systems. Appropriate accountability requirements will be put in place to make sure that this temporary funding is provided to eligible employees. The provincial [pandemic pay program website is here](#) and was updated today.

Under this temporary program, municipal governments have eligible full and part-time front-line staff who work in the following program areas: public health, paramedic services, long-term care homes, and housing and shelters. This will involve three ministries and four program areas. We are concerned that the administration of this program may be complex given this broad array of municipal front-line services, so we

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are urging simplicity as the provincial program details are worked out. We have been advised that the ministries are working together to this end.

We will continue to work with the Province and many municipal staff associations, such as the Ontario Municipal Human Resources Association, as the provincial program design detail is being finalized so that its implementation for those eligible municipal staff goes well.

Once we have further operational details on the pandemic pay program for municipal employers, we will host another Labour Relations webinar. Stay tuned.

AMO's COVID-19 Resources page is being updated continually so you can find critical information in one place. Please send any of your municipally related pandemic questions to [covid19@amo.on.ca](mailto:covid19@amo.on.ca).

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May 27, 2020

**Subject:** Pandemic Pay Eligibility**From:** Helen Angus, Deputy Minister**CC:** AssocDM Fraser, ADMs Hillmer, Heenan, Graham, Blair, Sabaratnam, Kaftarian, Dicerri, Dr Williams; President and CEO, Ontario Health, Matthew Anderson

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As you know, on April 25, the government announced it is providing eligible frontline and support workers with temporary pandemic pay.

Since that time, we have received inquiries about whether the list of eligible workers or workplaces would be expanded. There is a limit to the amount of funding provided by the federal government through our agreement and after careful consideration, the government will not be expanding the pandemic pay beyond those already deemed eligible.

Pandemic pay will be in effect for eligible workers from April 24, 2020 until August 13, 2020, and consists of:

1. **A temporary top-up on hourly wages:** Eligible workers will receive \$4 per hour worked on top of existing hourly wages, regardless of how much they already make; and
2. **Monthly lump sum payments:** Eligible workers who work at least 100 hours in a designated 4-week period will also be eligible to receive an additional lump sum payment of \$250 for that period, up to a total of \$1,000 in lump sum payments. The designated 4-week periods are:
  - April 24, 2020 to May 21, 2020
  - May 22, 2020 to June 18, 2020
  - June 19, 2020 to July 16, 2020
  - July 17, 2020 to August 13, 2020

In the first week of June 2020 ministries will start providing written funding commitments to employer partners that receive direct government funding, as well as to service delivery managers, followed quickly by the flow of money.

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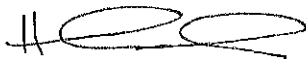
We expect some employers will begin receiving pandemic pay in early June, however exact timing will vary.

The Pandemic Pay website at [Ontario.ca/pandemicpay](http://Ontario.ca/pandemicpay) will be updated in the coming days with more specific timelines.

Our ministry will continue to work with eligible employers to move the funding forward as quickly as possible, always recognizing the due diligence that is required for government funding.

If you have any questions about pandemic pay, please contact the Ministry at [MOH.PPInquiries@ontario.ca](mailto:MOH.PPInquiries@ontario.ca)

Thank you,



Helen Angus  
Deputy Minister

**News Release**  
For Immediate Release

**Nottawasaga Community Futures Development Corporation launches Regional Relief and Recovery Fund to support local economy**

Businesses in South Simcoe who are unable to access existing federal relief measures can now apply for funding under a new initiative.

Nottawasaga Futures will focus on assisting "main street" businesses in South Simcoe, such as retail shops, restaurants, corner stores, and other endeavors with loans up to \$40,000.

Small businesses are at the heart of our economy and many are vital to this community. The COVID-19 pandemic has resulted in uncertainty and anxiety for businesses and their employees.

This is where the Regional Relief and Recovery Fund (RRRF) comes in. With \$962 million nationally, the new Fund will support businesses that are unable to access the Government of Canada's existing relief measures, and enhance access to capital for rural businesses.

On May 13, the Honourable Mélanie Joly, Minister of Economic Development and Official Languages, announced that southern Ontario businesses that can now apply for RRRF. As the RDA for southern Ontario, FedDev Ontario is working with key partners such as the Community Futures Development Corporations (CFDCs) across the region to help businesses during these difficult times.

In southern Ontario, \$252.4 million is available as follows:

- \$39.4 million to provide rural businesses with access to capital and business support, delivered by southern Ontario's CFDCs; and
- \$213 million for SMEs facing financial pressure through FedDev Ontario.

**\$39.4 million in CFDC funding**

CFDCs are providing financial contributions (interest-free loans) to help support fixed operating costs of SMEs, where business revenues have been affected by the COVID-19 pandemic.

"This fund will allow our local businesses that fell through the cracks with the other Federal relief measures, access to funding that will assist them with cash flow. Maximum of \$40,000 at 0 percent interest with no payments until Dec. 31, 2022, and a forgivable portion allows our entrepreneurs to take a breath and concentrate on re-opening," said Martin Kuzma, CEO, Nottawasaga Futures.

Please visit our website [www.nottawasaga.com](http://www.nottawasaga.com) for more information on eligibility and the application process.

"With nearly a billion dollars in support across the country, the Regional Relief and Recovery Fund will fill in some of the gaps. Our message to Canadians is clear: we are here for you now; we will be here for you in the weeks and months to come; and we will get through this together. We've got your back."

*-The Honourable Mélanie Joly, Minister of Economic Development and Official Languages and Minister responsible for Federal Economic Development Agency for Southern Ontario*

"Small- and medium-sized businesses have been particularly impacted by the COVID-19 pandemic. This investment in the Regional Relief and Recovery Fund (RRRF) will capitalize on Community Futures Development Corporations' unique position and expertise to help support rural businesses and entrepreneurs during these challenging times."

*- Shawn Heard, President, Ontario Association for Community Futures Development Corporations Inc.*



**\*\*RESCHEDULED\*\***  
**THE CORPORATION OF THE TOWN OF NEW TECUMSETH**  
**NOTICE OF PUBLIC MEETING**  
**CONCERNING A PROPOSED ZONING BY-LAW AMENDMENT**

**File No. DEV 393**

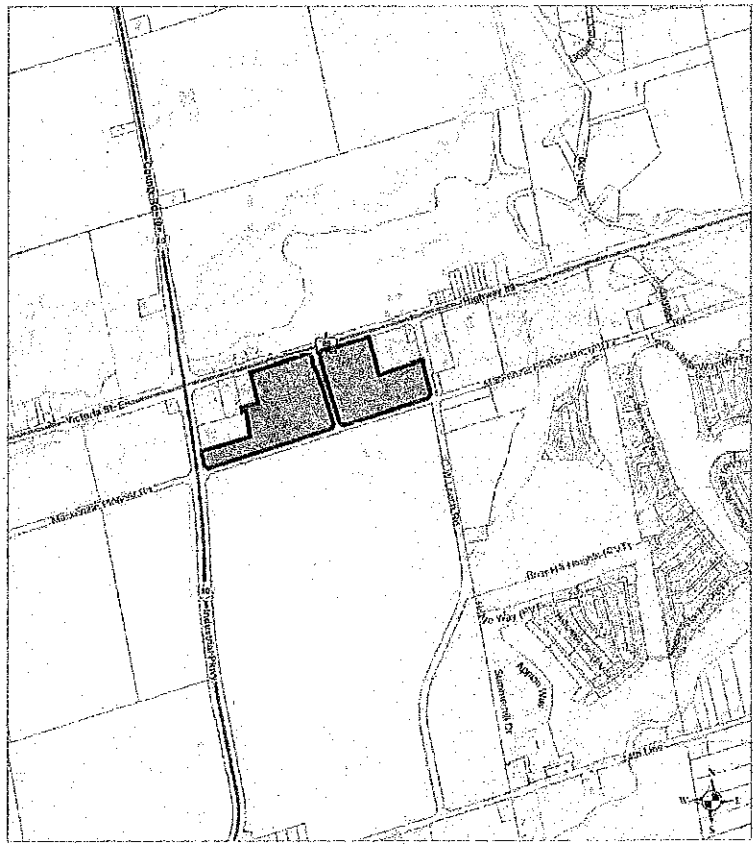
**TAKE NOTICE** that, pursuant to Section 34 of the *Planning Act*, an application has been received for a Zoning By-law Amendment and has been deemed complete by the Town of New Tecumseth. The lands subject to the application are located at 22 & 30 Dunham Drive in the Town of New Tecumseth (see location map below).

Notice of Public Meeting is required to be provided to landowners within 120 metres of the subject property, the applicant and those prescribed by the *Planning Act*.

**TAKE NOTICE** that the Council of the Corporation of the Town of New Tecumseth will hold a

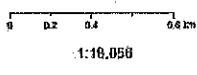
**Virtual Public Meeting**  
**On Wednesday, June 10, 2020 at 7:00pm**  
**via Zoom**

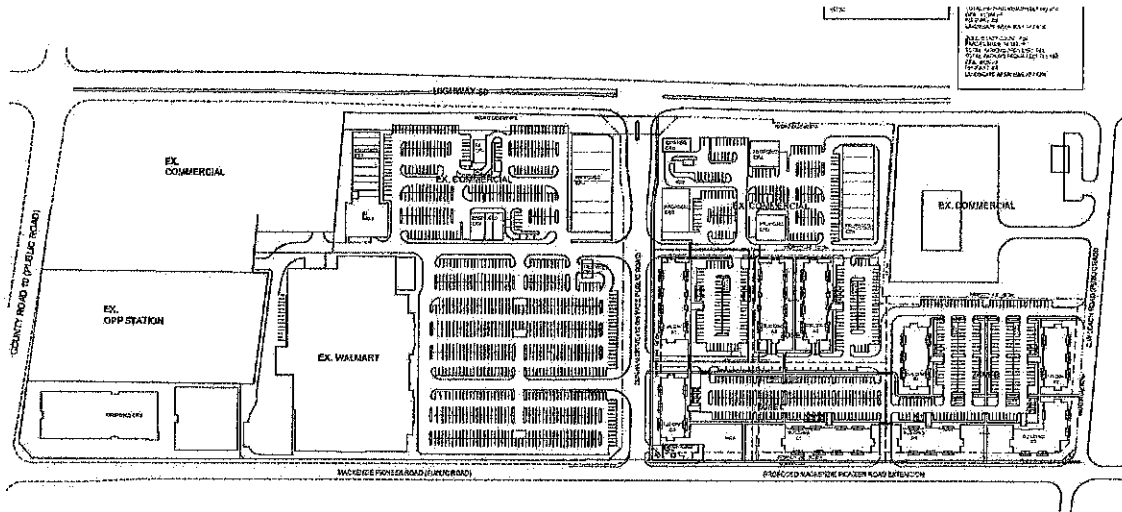
Location Map - 22 & 30 Dunham Drive



The map is not intended to be used for any other purpose than to show the location of the subject property. It is not a survey and should not be used for any other purpose. It is not a plan and should not be used for any other purpose. It is not a map and should not be used for any other purpose. It is not a drawing and should not be used for any other purpose. It is not a photograph and should not be used for any other purpose. It is not a reproduction and should not be used for any other purpose. It is not a copy and should not be used for any other purpose. It is not a duplicate and should not be used for any other purpose. It is not a facsimile and should not be used for any other purpose. It is not a reproduction and should not be used for any other purpose. It is not a copy and should not be used for any other purpose. It is not a duplicate and should not be used for any other purpose. It is not a facsimile and should not be used for any other purpose.

February 27, 2020





**THE PURPOSE** of the public meeting is to consider a proposed Zoning By-law Amendment that proposes the following site-specific amendments:

1. Rezone lands from Rural Industrial (RM) to Shopping Centre Commercial -- Exception (SCC-2) Zone and Holding Symbol (H6);
2. Permit additional uses in the SCC-2 Zone, including a hotel, a commercial self-storage facility, and apartment buildings with site-specific zone provisions;
3. Apply a Holding Symbol ('H') for apartment building uses in proximity to developed industrial / commercial land; and,
4. Increase retail size restrictions on the subject lands.

**ANY PERSON** may participate in the public meeting and/or make written or verbal representation either in support of or in opposition to the proposed Zoning By-law Amendment. Please note that all comments received will form part of the public record. Please note the virtual public meeting will be livestreamed on the Town Youtube channel at: [https://www.youtube.com/channel/UCRipen\\_OWqpMTUYI2c0KBjw](https://www.youtube.com/channel/UCRipen_OWqpMTUYI2c0KBjw)

**If you wish to make a verbal representation** at the virtual public meeting regarding the proposed Zoning By-law Amendment, you must register online by 12:00 PM on Wednesday, June 10, 2020 at <https://www.newtecumseth.ca/en/town-hall/speaking-before-council.aspx>

**If you wish to make a written submission** regarding the proposed Zoning By-law Amendment, you must make a written request to the Clerk, Town of New Tecumseth, 10 Wellington Street East, Alliston Ontario L9R 1A1 or via email at: [clerk@newtecumseth.ca](mailto:clerk@newtecumseth.ca)

**If you wish to watch the virtual public meeting**, you can access the link to the livestream on the Town website or: <https://newtecumseth.civicweb.net/portal/>

Only individuals, corporations and public bodies may appeal a Zoning By-law to the Local Planning Appeal Tribunal. A notice of appeal may not be filed by an unincorporated association or group. However, a notice of appeal may be filed in the name of an individual who is a member of the association or the group on its behalf. Furthermore, no person or public body shall be added as a party to the hearing of the appeal unless, before the By-law was passed, the person or public body made oral submissions at a public meeting or written submissions to the Council or, in the opinion of the Local Planning Appeal Tribunal, there are reasonable grounds to add the person or public body as a party.

**If you wish to be notified of the decision** of the Town in respect of the proposed Zoning By-law Amendment, you must make a written request to the Town Planning Department at 10 Wellington Street East, Alliston, ON L9R 1A1 or by email at: [planning@newtecumseth.ca](mailto:planning@newtecumseth.ca)

**ADDITIONAL INFORMATION** related to the proposed Zoning By-law Amendment, including information about preserving your appeal rights is available for inspection Monday to Friday between the hours of 8:30 a.m. and 4:30 p.m. through the Planning & Development Department by telephone number (705) 435-3900 ext. 1301 or by e-mail at: [planning@newtecumseth.ca](mailto:planning@newtecumseth.ca)

**DATED** at the Town of New Tecumseth this 21st day of May, 2020.



**THE CORPORATION OF THE TOWNSHIP OF ADJALA-TOSORONTIO**

**NOTICE OF PASSING OF ZONING BY-LAW**

**Applies to all lands within the Township  
Township of Adjala-Tosorontio**

**TAKE NOTICE** that the Council of the Corporation of the Township of Adjala-Tosorontio passed **By-law No. 20-30** on **May 13<sup>th</sup>, 2020** under section 34 of the Planning Act, R.S.O. 1990, Chapter P.13, as amended.

**AND TAKE NOTICE** that any person or agency may appeal to the Local Planning Appeal Tribunal (LPAT) in respect of the By-law by filing with the Clerk of the Corporation of the Township of Adjala-Tosorontio, not later than the

**2<sup>nd</sup> DAY OF JUNE 2020**

a Notice of Appeal setting out the objection to the By-law and the reasons in support of the objection and be accompanied by the required fee to the Local Planning Appeal Tribunal (LPAT) (\$300.00 cheque or money order payable to the Minister of Finance). Township fees will also apply.

The purpose and effect of the By-law is to add a definition for the word "attached" to the Township's comprehensive zoning by-laws (Zoning By-law 03-56 and 03-57) to:

**"ATTACHED:** means a building otherwise in itself, which depends, for structural support or complete enclosure, upon a division wall or walls shared in common with adjacent building or buildings. A building may be attached by an enclosed breezeway, where such breezeway shall be no more than 5 metres in length. Where a breezeway is not enclosed or is longer, the buildings joined by the breezeway shall be considered detached."

For a copy of the complete by-law or further information, please contact the Municipal Office during regular office hours.

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**DATED** at the Township of Adjala-Tosorontio this 21<sup>st</sup> day of May, 2020.

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**The Corporation of The Township of Adjala-Tosorontio**

**By-law No. 20-30**

**A By-Law to Amend By-Law 03-56, as Amended, and By-Law 03-57, as Amended,  
of the Township of Adjala-Tosorontio**

**WHEREAS** Zoning By-law No. 03-56, as amended, constitutes the comprehensive Zoning By-law for the Township of Adjala-Tosorontio for lands within the Oak Ridges Moraine area; and

**WHEREAS** Zoning By-law No. 03-57, as amended, constitutes the comprehensive Zoning By-law for the Township of Adjala-Tosorontio save and except those lands within the Oak Ridges Moraine area; and

**WHEREAS** Council deems it expedient to amend both By-laws; and

**WHEREAS** this amendment will conform to the Official Plan of the Township of Adjala-Tosorontio;

**NOW THEREFORE** the Council of the Township of Adjala-Tosorontio enacts as follows:

1. **THAT** Section 2 – DEFINITIONS of By-law No. 03-56, as amended, is hereby further amended by adding the following:

**Attached:** Means a building otherwise in itself, which depends, for structural support or complete enclosure, upon a division wall or walls shared in common with adjacent building or buildings. A building may be attached by an enclosed breezeway, where such breezeway shall be no more than 5 metres in length. Where a breezeway is not enclosed or is longer, the buildings joined by the breezeway shall be considered detached.  
And appropriately amending all relevant section numbers in Section 2 in accordance with this amendment.

2. **THAT** Section 2 – DEFINITIONS of By-law No. 03-57, as amended, is hereby further amended by adding the following:

**Attached:** Means a building otherwise in itself, which depends, for structural support or complete enclosure, upon a division wall or walls shared in common with adjacent building or buildings. A building may be attached by an enclosed breezeway, where such breezeway shall be no more than 5 metres in length. Where a breezeway is not enclosed or is longer, the buildings joined by the breezeway shall be considered detached.

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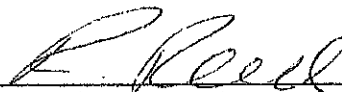
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3. **THAT** the provisions of the By-law shall take full force and effect with the passing hereof;
4. **THAT**, notwithstanding anything contrary to the rules of procedure, this By-law, be introduced and read a first and second time and be considered read a third time and finally passed this 13th day of May, 2020.



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Floyd Pinto, Mayor



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Robin Reid, Deputy Clerk

**THE CORPORATION OF THE TOWNSHIP OF ADJALA-TOSORONTIO****NOTICE OF PASSING OF ZONING BY-LAW**

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**AND TAKE NOTICE** that any person or agency may appeal to the Local Planning Appeal Tribunal (LPAT) in respect of the By-law by filing with the Clerk of the Corporation of the Township of Adjala-Tosorontio, not later than the

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The purpose and effect of the By-law is to update the Agricultural Buildings/Structures component of the Township's comprehensive zoning by-laws (Zoning By-law 03-56 and 03-57).

For a copy of the complete by-law or further information, please contact the Municipal Office during regular office hours.

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**DATED** at the Township of Adjala-Tosorontio this 21<sup>st</sup> day of May, 2020.

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**The Corporation of the Township of Adjala-Tosorontio**

**By-law No. 20-31**

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And Whereas Council deems it expedient to amend the by-laws;

And Whereas this amendment will conform to the Official Plan of the Township of Adjala-Tosorontio;

And now therefore the Council of the Township of Adjala-Tosorontio enacts as follows:

1. That Section 2 – DEFINITIONS of By-law No. 03-56, as amended, is hereby further amended by adding the following:

2.153 Riding Arena: means an agricultural structure permitted only as a use accessory to a barn which houses horses.

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2.110 Riding Arena: means an agricultural structure permitted only as a use accessory to a barn which houses horses.

3. That Section 3 – GENERAL PROVISIONS of By-law No. 03-56, as amended, is hereby further amended as follows:

3.36 Agricultural Structures

In any zone where agricultural structures are permitted, the minimum setback for any agricultural structure shall be the more restrictive of: a) 100m from the front lot line and exterior side yard lot line or b) behind the dwelling unit. The agricultural structure shall be 30m from any other lot line. In the case of an existing agricultural structure, a new dwelling unit must be located closer to the front lot line and exterior side yard lot line than the agricultural structure.

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### Outcomes

**"Connect With Our Community"** on our social media platforms featured library staff photo montages, with a variety of themes.



### Our Community Connects With Us

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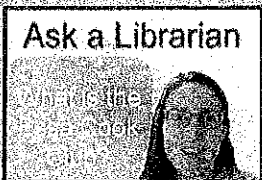
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# Adults

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Zoom meeting: 4

Tech Learning Online  
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Outreach - Geocache  
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YouTube views:

Glenda's Message to East  
Teens: 141



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Drawing challenges:  
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Community Posts: 2



## Social Media

Facebook (march & April):  
145 posts with 2,075  
reactions  
1045835 followers

Twitter (march & April):  
103 tweets with 400  
reactions,  
1,002 followers

Instagram (march & april):  
18 Posts/208 likes or  
comments,  
160 followers

## Other

Library Zest blog: 14

# Kids

## YouTube Channel

Wiggles & Giggles views: 84

Bedtime Storytime views: 128

Library Storytime/Flannel  
Boards/Songs views: 589

Bilingual Storytime/Chanson  
d'action views: 631

Cozy Bedtime Storytime  
views: 128

Lego Challenges views: 88  
Lego Challenge  
submissions:  
50



Drawing Challenges views:  
540

Drawing Challenge  
submissions: 300



Keep moving with Kat - child  
friendly workout views: 87



Circulation Totals and Analysis: April 2020

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<b>CIRCULATION</b>	<b>Apr. 2019</b>	<b>Apr. 2020 renewals</b>	<b>Apr.2020</b>	<b>YTD 2020</b>
Angus Branch	9,557	5,659 +	9	29,447
Thornton Branch	1,665	863 +	12	4,277
Angus Branch Computer Use	505			1,143
Thornton Branch Computer Use	66			140
Angus Branch Wireless Use	1,397		162	4,495
Thornton Branch Wireless Use	364		124	948
eAudio & eBooks	742		1,608	4,438
<b>TOTALS:</b>	14,296	6,522 +	1,915 (8,437)	44,888

<b>Circulation Analysis</b>	<b>Apr. 2019</b>	<b>Apr. 2020 renewals included</b>	<b>YTD 2020</b>
Print	4,922	3,200	15,584
Non-Print	6,172	3,263	17,722
Computer Use/Wireless	2,332	286	6,726
eAudio Books	257	484	1,291
eBooks	485	1,124	3,147
Interlibrary Loan: Borrowed	101	43 (renewals)	271
Interlibrary Loan: Lent	27	37 (renewals)	147

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<b>Library website visits</b> Statistics unavailable.	<b>YTD 2020</b> 10,566	<b>BlueCloud Mobile visits</b> 15	<b>YTD 2020</b> 827
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<b>E-resources visits</b> 5,258	<b>YTD 2020</b> 10,692
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<b>New Members</b>		<b>YTD 2020</b>
Angus Branch	4	230
Thornton Branch	1	13

April Library Highlights

Virtual programming for all ages continued with the popular Lego and Drawing Challenges and Trivia nights for adults.



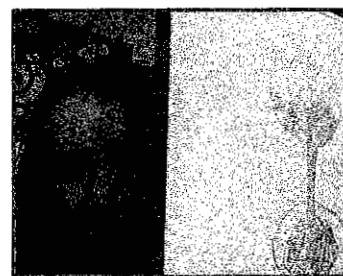
Tallest Lego tower ever! Wow!



5 year old Lego builder's amazing Lego tree fort



Adult Trivia Night was a great success.



Excellent artists!