

THE REGIONAL MUNICIPALITY OF YORK

**REPORT NO. 6
OF THE REGIONAL
PLANNING AND ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT COMMITTEE
MEETING HELD ON SEPTEMBER 9, 2009**

**For Consideration by
The Council of The Regional Municipality of York
on September 24, 2009**

Chair: Mayor J. Young

Members: Regional Councillor J. Taylor – Vice-Chair
Regional Councillor M. Ferri
Regional Councillor B. Hogg
Regional Councillor J. Jones
Mayor P. Morris
Regional Councillor V. Spatafora
Regional Councillor D. Wheeler
Regional Chair B. Fisch (ex officio).

Staff Present: L. Bigioni, P. Casey, J. Davidson, P. Draper, H. Konefat, B. Macgregor,
R. Miller, S. Neill, N. Prout, L. Russell, K. Llewellyn-Thomas, B. Tuckey,
J. Waller

The Planning and Economic Development Committee began its meeting at 1:04 p.m. on
September 24, 2009.

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The Planning and Economic Development Committee advises Council of the following matters having been considered by the Planning and Economic Development Committee with the following action:

ELECTION OF CHAIR AND VICE CHAIR

1. Mayor J. Young was elected Chair and Regional Councillor J. Taylor was elected Vice Chair of the Planning and Economic Development Committee for the remainder of the term of Council 2009-2010.

PRESENTATION

1. Patrick Draper, Director, Economic Strategy and Tourism regarding 'Economic Indicators Update'. **Received.**

COMMUNICATIONS

1. A. Knowles, Deputy Clerk, Town of East Gwillimbury, June 9, 2009 regarding Community Energy Plan Update. **Received.**
2. A. Moore, Town Clerk, Town of Newmarket, July 14, 2009, regarding Construction of Tom Taylor Trail, South of Mulock Drive. **Received.**
3. G. O'Connor, Chair, Toronto and Region Conservation Authority, August 4, 2009, relating to Legislative Constraints for TRCA regarding 'Development Interference with Wetlands and Alterations to Shorelines and Watercourses Regulation' (Ontario Regulation 166/06). **Received.**
4. L. Politano, Regional Director, Ministry of Transportation, August 10, 2009, response to York Region's correspondence regarding Highway 407 Interchange Improvements on Centre Street. **Received.**
5. C. Urquhart, Legislative Coordinator, City of Brampton, August 14, 2009, regarding 'Draft Final Transportation and Transit Master Plan (TTMP) Sustainable Update'. **Received and referred to staff for comment to the City of Brampton.**
6. Memorandum from Bryan Tuckey, Commissioner of Planning and Development Services, August 26, 2009, regarding 'York Region In Your Backyard Magazine, Fall Edition'. **Received.**
7. Memorandum from Bryan Tuckey, Commissioner of Planning and Development Services, September 9, 2009, regarding '2008 Greater Toronto Marketing Alliance's (GTMA) Annual Review'. **Received.**

OTHER BUSINESS

1. Commissioner B. Tuckey introduced Mr. Robert Unterman. Mr. Unterman has recently started with the Region as the International Business Development Advisor.

The Planning and Economic Development Committee adjourned at 2:27 p.m.

Respectfully submitted,

**September 24, 2009
Newmarket, Ontario**

**J. Young
Chair**

(Report No. 6 of the Planning and Economic Development Committee was adopted without amendment, by the Council of The Regional Municipality of York at its meeting on September 24, 2009.)

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