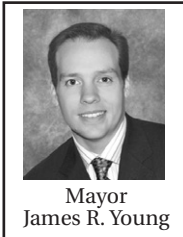




Town of East Gwillimbury

Our Town, Our News!



Mayor
James R. Young



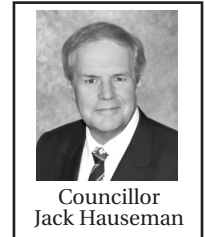
Councillor
Cathy Morton



Councillor
Virginia Hackson



Councillor
Marlene Johnston



Councillor
Jack Hauseman

COUNCIL HIGHLIGHTS

New Fence By-Law:

Following a recent public meeting seeking public input, East Gwillimbury Council enacted a new Fence By-Law #2007-75. The new Fence By-Law incorporates changes that provide for privacy fences for smaller lot subdivisions and safe enclosures for swimming pools and hot tubs, and delivers a "one stop" customer service initiative. For further information please visit our website or contact Deb McCulloch, Corporate Services, By-Law & Licensing Coordinator at ext. 247.

Oak Ridges Moraine Foundation and Oak Ridges Trail Association:

Council received a presentation from the Foundation summarizing and identifying the successes and outlining the 110 conservation and protection projects across the Moraine that have been funded by the Foundation since 2003. Council directed staff to work with the Foundation and the Greenbelt Land Trust to further secure environmental lands in East Gwillimbury. A copy of the report can be found on the Foundation's website at www.ormf.com/whats.html.

Official Plan Review Public Open House:

The Town's first Official Plan Review Public Open House was held at the Civic Centre on the evening of June 26, 2007. The event was well attended and provided an opportunity for the public to provide input into the Town's Official Plan Review. Generally, Town staff received positive feedback with a few concerns regarding growth and traffic impacts. Regular updates will be posted on the Town's website and any comments or questions can be submitted online.

UPCOMING COUNCIL MEETINGS:

Monday, August 13th, 2007

- 1:00 pm Committee of the Whole Council
- +/- 3:00 pm Council
- 6:15 pm Public Meeting

For more info., inc. Council Agendas and Minutes please visit our Web site: www.eastgwillimbury.ca

STRATEGIC MESSAGE

Town recognized at World Green Building Council 7th Annual International Congress

East Gwillimbury Mayor James Young was invited to address Congress delegates from over 30 countries and some of Canada's top dignitaries and industry leaders at the World Green Building Council's 7th Annual International Congress.

WorldGBC members are leading the movement that is globalizing environmentally and socially responsible building practices. Its objective is to build an international coalition that represents the entire global property industry.

The Canada Green Building Council invited the Mayor to speak at this event in recognition of the Town's award winning policy work with Energy Star™ for homes and LEED™ building standards for industrial/commercial buildings.



From left to right: Andrew Bowerbank, Executive Director of the Toronto chapter of the Canada Green Building Council, Peter Love, Chief Conservation Officer for Ontario, Mayor Young and Thomas Mueller, President of the Canada Green Building Council.

THE BIN IS IN



What DOESN'T go in the Green Bin?

The following items are some of the things that do not go into the Green Bin:

- Plastic wrap, baggies, sandwich bags
- Plastic items such as food containers (e.g. yogurt or margarine tubs)
- Plastic milk bags
- Styrofoam
- Foil and wax paper
- Artificial flowers and plants
- Cigarette butts, tobacco
- Corks (from wine bottles)

For more information visit the Town's website!

COMMUNITY NOTICE



MUSIC IN CIVIC SQUARE

Tuesday evenings
in July & August

Time: 7:00 – 8:30 p.m.



July 24th

Upper Canada Chordsmen & York Highlands Chorus

EAST GWILLIMBURY PUBLIC LIBRARY

The Mayor and Members of Council attended the East Gwillimbury Public Library Launch of "Fourteen" a collection of poetry written by children from East Gwillimbury pictured in the photo. The book launch was held at the Holland Landing Branch of the East Gwillimbury Public Library.



Pictured here are Louise Procter Maio, Library CEO with Councillors Hackson, Morton and Johnston, Cathy Cameron, Acting Children's Services Coordinator and children. Photo taken by D. Wrigglesworth.



Pictured here are Mayor Young and the young authors.

COMMUNITY NOTICE



PHOTO CONTEST The judges are busy!

Response to our 2007 photo contest was well beyond our expectations. The judges are busy determining the finalists and will be posting further information shortly. Thank you for your overwhelming response.

Park Avenue Panthers cheerleading team from East Gwillimbury. The best Junior School Team in all of Canada has won three competitions this year including Nationals.



Mayor Young & Councillors Morton, Hackson, Johnston & Hauseman pictured with the Panthers and Coaching Staff.

A MESSAGE FROM MAYOR AND COUNCIL



The Mayor and Council for the Town of East Gwillimbury extend congratulations and offer our best wishes to the Sharon Temple, in celebration of their 175th anniversary. We are proud to be partners and sponsors of this wonderful national historic site and hope for their continuing success as they preserve the rich heritage The Children of Peace brought to our community.

For further information on your Town: Web Site: www.eastgwillimbury.ca Phone: 905-478-4282 Fax: 905-478-2808 E-mail: town@eastgwillimbury.ca
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Holland Landing - River Drive Park, Mount Albert, Queensville & Sharon