



Town of East Gwillimbury

Our Town, Our News!



Mayor
James R. Young



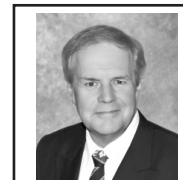
Councillor
Cathy Morton



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Virginia Hackson



Councillor
Marlene Johnston



Councillor
Jack Hauseman

COUNCIL HIGHLIGHTS

York Regional Police Update on Community Presence and Programs

Council viewed a presentation from York Regional Police on presence and programs in place throughout East Gwillimbury. Over-all there has been increased police presence in East Gwillimbury and police have been particularly targeting Youth issues with an emphasis on graffiti and vandalism control.

Tenders Awarded

Council approved to award tenders for construction projects throughout the municipality, including Donlands Avenue Reconstruction, Sidewalk Construction on various streets and Catch Basin repairs.

Silo Repairs to Commence on Civic Square

Council voted unanimously to commence work on fixing the silo located on the Civic Square grounds. The silo is situated next to the Civic Centre and will be used as a landmark in the Civic Square.

UPCOMING COUNCIL MEETINGS:

Monday, October 1, 2007

1:00 pm Committee of the Whole Council

+/- 3:00 pm Council

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

HERITAGE WEEK CELEBRATIONS

The Town of East Gwillimbury Heritage Committee Celebrated Heritage Week the week of September 10th. Celebrations included heritage home tours, plaquings and the opening of the Kelley Swing Bridge sign.



EMPLOYMENT OPPORTUNITY

Part Time Positions

- Facility Maintenance, Sports Complex, Sharon
- Facility Attendant
- Public Skating Attendant
- Previous experience in recreation facilities and certification in First Aid/CPR and Automated External Defibrillator operation

See details on website

Please submit resume quoting file 007/6 to:

Human Resources and

Organizational Development Branch

Town of East Gwillimbury

19000 Leslie Street, Sharon, ON L0G 1V0

Tel: 905-478-4282 ext. 293 Fax: 905-478-8201

Website: www.eastgwillimbury.ca

THE BIN IS IN



Check your waste calendar, call 1-877-456-0373 or visit the Town's website for more information.

PROVINCIAL REFERENDUM AND ALL-CANDIDATES MEETING

The East Gwillimbury Chamber of Commerce will be hosting an all candidates meeting associated with the upcoming provincial election. Preceding the all-candidates meeting, Elections Ontario will make a presentation on the Province of Ontario's referendum electoral reform.

Where: Holland Landing Community Center (York/Trillium Room)

When: Tuesday, October 2, 2007 at 7 pm.

CALL FOR NOMINATIONS

To recognize the valuable work and contributions made by volunteers, we are asking for your help in nominating individuals or groups that are working to make East Gwillimbury a better place to live. Volunteers may be nominated under the following categories:

- Recreation & Leisure
- Arts, Culture & Heritage
- Education Enhancement
- Civic & Community Enhancement
- Youth (25 and under)
- Business Development & Leadership



THINKING GREEN AWARDS

This new award recognizes individuals, groups or businesses who inspire others by their actions to protect and enhance our environment.

Appreciation Night

Thursday, October 18, 2007 at 7:00 p.m.
Holland Landing Community Centre

If you would like to nominate a volunteer or an environmental giant, please contact the Executive Assistant to the Mayor and Members of Council at 905-478-4282 ext. 276 or at ea@eastgwillimbury.ca or visit our website www.eastgwillimbury.ca to obtain a nomination form.

CARBON MONOXIDE DETECTOR BY-LAW

On September 17, 2007 Mayor and Council passed a By-Law to insure that carbon monoxide detectors are installed in all residential buildings built prior to April 6, 1998.

They are to be installed where the residence contains fuel burning appliances or a storage garage. Fuel burning appliance means appliance such as, but not limited to furnaces, refrigerators, cloths dryers, water heaters, boilers, fireplaces, woods stoves, charcoal grills, gas ranges and space heaters, which are fired by flammable fuels such as but not limited to natural gas, propane, heating oil, kerosene, coal, gasoline, wood and charcoal.

The carbon monoxide detector must be certified by the Canadian Standards Association and/or ULC approved and equipped with an alarm that is clearly audible within all bedrooms when the intervening doors are closed.

For further information please call the Emergency Services Department at 905-853-8842.

FIRE PREVENTION WEEK

Whereas the Town of East Gwillimbury does recognize the importance of Fire Prevention Week and;

Whereas fire losses in Canada remain unacceptably high in comparison with those in other industrialized nations thereby necessitating improved fire prevention measures and;

Whereas is it desirable that information on fire causes and recommended preventive measures be disseminated within our community and;

Whereas the 2007 Fire Prevention Week theme is "Practice Your Escape Plan". A timely and important reminder to not only develop an escape plan but to practice it with everyone in the household. People can have less than a minute to escape a home fire safely. It is vital that everyone in the home knows exactly what to do if a fire starts and the smoke alarms sound.

THEREFORE I, Mayor James Young, do hereby proclaim the week commencing Sunday, October 7 to Saturday, October 13, 2007 inclusive be designated Fire Prevention Week .

And further, in appreciation of the many services rendered by the members of the Fire Service of Canada, that Saturday, October 13, 2007 be designated as Fire Service Recognition Day.

