



Town of East Gwillimbury

Our Town...Our News!



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Councillor
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COUNCIL HIGHLIGHTS

Community Energy Plan

Council received a presentation outlining the project plan for completing a Community Energy Plan for East Gwillimbury. Part of the Town's commitment to the environmental stewardship, the community energy plan will target to provide breakthrough environmental performance, good economics and support local employment. For more information, visit the Town's website or watch upcoming issues of this page.

United Way Campaign Kicks Off

Council and staff have kicked off their annual United Way Campaign. East Gwillimbury has achieved gold status for its fundraising efforts in previous years and encourages residents to contribute to the United Way if possible.

Parks, Recreation and Culture Master Plan Public Consultation Extended

Council voted to extend public consultation into the parks, recreation and culture master plan being completed as part of the Official Plan Review process. Residents are encouraged to provide input by visiting the Town's website or attending an Open House (to be advertised on this page).

For further information, including agendas and minutes for Council and Committee of the Whole meetings please visit the Town's website.

NEW DOCTORS IN EAST GWILLIMBURY

East Gwillimbury Welcomes New Physicians

The Town of East Gwillimbury is pleased to welcome four new family physicians to the community.

The Town's Physician Recruitment and Retention Committee, working together with the Ontario Ministry of Health and Long Term Care, was established to address the fact that East Gwillimbury is recognized as an under-serviced area. Doctors Petra Oprea and Biruk Habteselassie are currently practicing at the York Medical Clinic (inside the Loblaws Superstore). Dr. Mahsa Safavi will begin practicing at that location on February 1, 2009. Residents can call 905-868-9243 to arrange for a family physician at this Clinic. Dr. Gurpreet Mand will become a part of the Southlake Family Health Team, and accept only East Gwillimbury residents. Dr. Mand's practice is located at 581 Davis Drive in Newmarket, a new patient intake line is available at 905-853-3103.

"Adding these four family physicians has been a team effort, and their arrival makes it possible for our residents to seek health care within our own community," stated Councillor Marlene Johnston, Council liaison to the Physician Recruitment and Retention Committee.

A meet and greet for the doctors is being planned for early February in 2009.

HABITAT FOR HUMANITY



SEEKING
QUALIFIED
FAMILIES

Habitat for Humanity York Region is a non-profit, non-governmental, charitable organization dedicated to improving the lives of economically disadvantaged persons through home ownership and the belief that decent affordable housing is a basic human right.

They are currently seeking families who would qualify for a Habitat for Humanity home. For more information please contact Habitat for Humanity at 905-868-8722 or visit their website at www.hfhyr.ca

ANNUAL VICTORIAN CHRISTMAS DINNER

Hosted by the Volunteers of the Sharon Temple Museum Society

This year, the Annual Victorian Christmas Dinner will take place in the Sharon Temperance Hall on **Saturday, December 6th, 2008**, and features roast goose, pork, and all the trimmings.

Plus, there will be two special visits, one from guitarist/singer John Lemme and from St. Nick, himself.

For tickets and more information please call 905-478-2389 or visit the Sharon Temple website at: www.sharontemple.ca

SALE OF LAND BY PUBLIC TENDER

MUNICIPAL ACT, 2001 THE CORPORATION OF THE TOWN OF EAST GWILLIMBURY

Take Notice that tenders are invited for the purchase of the land(s) described below and will be received until 3:00 p.m. local time on 26 November 2008 to the attention of the Finance Department, at the Municipal Office, 19000 Leslie Street, Sharon, Ontario L0G 1V0.

The tenders will then be opened in public on the same day at 3:00 p.m. at the Municipal Office, 19000 Leslie Street, Sharon.

Description of Land(s):
Roll No. 19 54 000 041 85000 0000, Highway 48 W/S, PIN 03442-0020(LT), PT LT 4 CON 7 EAST GWILLIMBURY AS IN R480770; EAST GWILLIMBURY. File 07-14.
Minimum Tender Amount: \$21,497.28

Roll No. 19 54 000 071 30000 0000, 20537 Highway 48, PIN 03455-0059(LT), PT LT 21 CON 8 EAST GWILLIMBURY AS IN R638122; EAST GWILLIMBURY; SUBJECT TO EXECUTION 95-07579, IF ENFORCEABLE. File 07-15.
Minimum Tender Amount: \$41,176.21

Roll No. 19 54 000 082 40100 0000, PIN 03425-0014(LT), LT 1 NS CENTRE ST PL 143 EAST GWILLIMBURY EXCEPT A12730A, B12366B & PT 1 65R250; EAST GWILLIMBURY. File 07-16.
Minimum Tender Amount: \$14,340.63

Tenders must be submitted in the prescribed form and must be accompanied by a deposit in the form of a money order or of a bank draft or cheque certified by a bank or trust corporation payable to the municipality (or board) and representing at least 20 per cent of the tender amount.

Except as follows, the municipality makes no representation regarding the title to or any other matters relating to the land(s) to be sold. Responsibility for ascertaining these matters rests with the potential purchasers.

This sale is governed by the *Municipal Act, 2001* and the Municipal Tax Sales Rules made under that Act. The successful purchaser will be required to pay the amount tendered plus accumulated taxes and the relevant land transfer tax.

The municipality has no obligation to provide vacant possession to the successful purchaser.

Note: G.S.T. may be payable by successful purchaser.

For further information regarding this sale and a copy of the prescribed form of tender, contact: www.OntarioTaxSales.ca or if no internet access available, contact:

Ms. Cheryl Weddell
Team Leader: Rev. & Prop. Taxation
The Corporation of the Town of East Gwillimbury
19000 Leslie Street
Sharon, Ontario L0G 1V0
(905)478-4282
www.eastgwillimbury.ca



TOWN OF EAST GWILLIMBURY TOY & FOOD DRIVE

Town of East Gwillimbury staff will be collecting non-perishable food items and new unwrapped toys for those less fortunate than us during this holiday season.

Donations of food & new unwrapped toys will be accepted until

Friday, December 12th, 2008.

Drop-off locations & hours of operation:

Civic Centre, 19000 Leslie Street, Sharon
Monday to Friday, 8:30 am – 4:30 pm

Holland Landing Library Branch,
19513 Yonge St.

Tuesday to Thursday, 10 am – 8 pm

Friday, 10am – 5pm

Saturday, 10 am – 4 pm



Mount Albert Library

Branch,
19300 Centre St.

Tuesday & Thursday, 10 am – 8 pm

Saturday, 10 am – 4 pm

Sunday, 1 pm – 5 pm

If you, or someone you know requires assistance this year, please contact The Salvation Army at (905)895-6276.

ALL INFORMATION IS KEPT STRICTLY

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THANK YOU & HAPPY HOLIDAYS

WINTER NOTICE TO RESIDENTS

To promote winter safety and provide effective snow clearing and removal of ice and snow from Town streets we would like to remind residents about winter parking restrictions.

- Please do not park a vehicle on a street or highway any time during the day or night to interfere with snow clearing.
- Remember do not throw, place or deposit snow or ice on a highway, street, ditch or a culvert

AS A COURTESY, PLEASE CLEAR THE SIDEWALK AFTER A SNOWFALL

If you require further information, please contact Deb McCulloch, By-Law & Licensing Coordinator, Corporate Services Department, at 905-478-4282, ext. 1247 or at dmcculloch@eastgwillimbury.ca



During the holiday season, use LED lights for your indoor and outdoor lighting decorations.

LED lights are Energy-Saving and more efficient than incandescent lights. LED's are also quite sturdy, stay cool to the touch and are more resistant to damage than conventional lights, making them last longer.



Consider buying the more durable, Energy-saving LED lights for your home this holiday season and remember to set your lights to a timer, allowing you to easily control when your lights turn on and off each day.

DOG TAGS

All dogs within the Town require a license. An Animal Control employee will be selling dog tags door to door or you may purchase one at the Town's Customer Care Centre.

On December 2nd, 2008 dog tags fees increase to:

-Dog Tag \$30.00 ea.

-For Dog (s) owned

By a Senior Citizen \$25.00 ea.

-Replacement for lost tag \$7.00 ea.

For more information, or to view By-Law #2004-119, as amended

Please visit the Town's Web Site at www.eastgwillimbury.ca or contact

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1247 or at dmcculloch@eastgwillimbury.ca



EMPLOYMENT OPPORTUNITY

Full Time Operator/Labourer
Water/Wastewater

See details on website

Please submit resume by 4:00 pm

November 28, 2008, quoting file 08/21 to:

Human Resources, Town of East Gwillimbury

19000 Leslie Street, Sharon, ON L0G 1V0

Tel: 905.478.4282 Fax: 905.478.8201

Email: hr@eastgwillimbury.ca

Website: www.eastgwillimbury.ca

An equal opportunity employer, the Town of East Gwillimbury abides by all current legislation relating to individual rights to employment under the Human Rights Code.

Holland Landing • River Drive Park • Mount Albert • Queensville • Sharon

For further information on your Town: WEB SITE: www.eastgwillimbury.ca PHONE: 905-478-4282 FAX 905-478-2808

E-MAIL: town@eastgwillimbury.ca MAIL TO : Town of East Gwillimbury, 19000 Leslie Street, Sharon, Ontario L0G 1V0