



City Council Special Meeting
AGENDA

Tuesday, May 28, 2024, 6:30 p.m.
Council Chamber

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Purpose

The purpose of this meeting is to allow the public an opportunity to provide their views and/or concerns to City Council regarding accessibility, diversity and inclusion issues.

Land Acknowledgement

The City of Oshawa is situated on lands within the traditional and treaty territory of the Michi Saagiig and Chippewa Anishinaabeg and the signatories of the Williams Treaties, which include the Mississaugas of Scugog Island, Curve Lake, Hiawatha and Alderville First Nations, and the Chippewas of Georgina Island, Rama and Beausoleil First Nations.

We are grateful for the Anishinaabeg who have cared for the land and waters within this territory since time immemorial.

We recognize that Oshawa is steeped in rich Indigenous history and is now present day home to many First Nations, Inuit and Métis people. We express gratitude for this diverse group of Indigenous Peoples who continue to care for the land and shape and strengthen our community.

As a municipality, we are committed to understanding the truth of our shared history, acknowledging our role in addressing the negative impacts that colonization continues to have on Indigenous Peoples, developing reciprocal relationships, and taking meaningful action toward reconciliation.

We are all Treaty people.

Additional Agenda Items

(As may be presented at the meeting)

Declarations of Pecuniary Interest

(As may be presented by Council Members)

Presentations

Certificate of Recognition - 2024 Accessibility Award

Mayor Carter to present the 2024 Accessibility Award to the Canadian Blood Services - Oshawa Blood Donor Clinic.

Trent University Durham GTA - TeachingCity Project: Autistic Youth Experiences in a Dungeons & Dragons Based Social Group

John Smith, Student, Trent University Durham GTA, to provide a presentation on a TeachingCity project: Autistic Youth Experiences in a Dungeons and Dragons Based Social Group.

Oshawa Accessibility Advisory Committee - Oshawa Accessibility Plan

Dot McFarlane, Chair, Oshawa Accessibility Advisory Committee to provide an update regarding Oshawa's Accessibility Plan.

Community Diversity, Equity and Inclusion Committee - Activities of the Committee

Pam Reines, Chair, Community Diversity, Equity and Inclusion Committee to provide an update regarding the activities of the Committee and their ongoing work plan.

Delegations

Individuals in attendance wishing to address City Council concerning accessibility, diversity and inclusion issues.

Confirming By-law

A by-law to confirm the City Council meeting of May 28, 2024.

Adjournment