

Acton Together launches with free dinner and movie night

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What happens when you have a tiny bit of money and a whole lot of community goodwill to make a difference in the community?

A new group called Acton Together! The idea to work together to provide a social opportunity to bring

Acton people together came out of a community meeting last spring. Earlier this year a group of youth and other Acton community members, St. Alban's Church representatives, Acton Community Hub staff and Community Development Halton staff, got together and brainstormed the idea of hosting a free community movie night alongside

the community supper that already takes place at St. Alban's Anglican Church.

Three community volunteers, Jennifer Gerrard, Debbie Bentley and Lori Price, took the dinner and a movie idea to a workshop to learn about grant writing and applied for a small grant from For-



estview Church in Oakville.

The grant application submitted by the volunteers was successful and the idea of free dinner and a movie for Acton was born, with the first event this coming October 21st and future events planned

at St. Alban's Anglican Church, 19 St. Alban's Dr. at Willow St. at 6 p.m. Then people are welcome to walk together to The Roxy, 6 Mill St. E. (a short walk) where a movie suitable for all ages will be shown starting at 7:30 p.m. The movie is *Zookeeper*.

Free drinks will be supplied by Giant Tiger and popcorn made available courtesy of Acton Optical.

Please note the church has a few stairs to the eating area. If you require assistance, please call ahead, 519-853-2711.

Good things happen when people are "Acton Together"!



The Regional Municipality of Halton

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NOTICE OF COMPLETION

Transportation Master Plan to 2031 - *The Road to Change* PR-2414

Background

Halton Region has completed a Transportation Master Plan – *The Road to Change* to develop a sustainable and integrated transportation plan that considers all modes of travel (automobiles, transit, cycling and walking) to the year 2031. The Transportation Master Plan was conducted in accordance with the master planning process following the requirements of Phases 1 and 2 of the Municipal Class Environmental Assessment process (October 2000, as amended 2007) which is an approved process under the Ontario Environmental Assessment Act.

The Process

The Transportation Master Plan provides the Region with the strategies and tools needed to manage traffic safely, effectively, and cost efficiently. This plan offers a range of transportation choices to meet the needs of Halton residents through Active Transportation, Transportation Demand Management and infrastructure related improvements. A key outcome of the study is a list of transportation projects that the Region can incorporate into its 20-year Roads Capital Program.

The Transportation Master Plan incorporates public, local municipal and agency comments received during the course of the study. While the Transportation Master Plan addresses need and justification at the broad level, more detailed studies for Schedule C projects included in the Transportation Master Plan will be completed in subsequent studies as per the Municipal Class Environmental Assessment process.

We would like to take the opportunity to thank those members of the Halton community who participated in the Transportation Master Plan project. Your time and input was appreciated. Copies of the Transportation Master Plan document are available for your information at the following locations and on Halton's website www.halton.ca/htmp

Please provide all written comments to Halton Region by **Monday, November 14, 2011** (within 30 days of this Notice).

This Notice issued October 13/14 and October 20/21, 2011.

Celebrate Waste Reduction Week Oct 17-23, 2011

This week marks Canada's 11th annual Waste Reduction Week (WRW) which is developed and run by a coalition of waste reduction and conservation organizations from across the country. Waste Reduction Week urges us all to do our part by reducing, reusing and recycling in every aspect of our lives – at home, school and work. WRW's theme this year, "Too Good to Waste," gets each of us thinking about what we can do every day to minimize our waste. Learn more by visiting www.wrwcanada.com. You can also follow Halton on Twitter @HaltonRecycles or read our blog at www.haltonrecycles.ca for great waste reduction tips!



Gary Carr
Regional Chair

Halton Regional Meeting Schedule

- Oct. 26, 9:30 a.m.** Regional Council.
Nov. 8, 9:30 a.m. Health & Social Services Cttee.
Nov. 9, 9:30 a.m. Planning & Public Works Cttee.
1:30 p.m. Admin & Finance Cttee.

Meetings can be viewed at www.halton.ca

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