Galliford named new Coordinator at Downtown Acton BIA

A new year has brought some new changes to the Downtown Acton BIA.

Effective January 16th, Matt Galliford has taken on the new role as a permanent coordinator for the BIA.

Galliford replaces Brittany Sedore who was the temporary Coordinator from August 2022, until early January. Sedore had filled in as Coordinator as Alex Hilson stepped down from the role, after two years, to run in the local municipal election to become Councillor for Ward 1.

During Sedore's time as acting Coordinator, she had worked with the Town of Halton Hills to bring the Acton Solstice Festival to Prospect Park and art installations in downtown businesses featuring the work of local artists, as part of the 'Art Around Acton' project.

According to the DABIA Chair, Monica Galway, Galliford was previously a Vice-Chair for the BIA's board of directors for over two years. In addition to serving as Vice-Chair, Galliford owned a business located downtown.

In a post on the Downtown Acton BIA Facebook page, Galway said, "Matt has a great working knowledge of how our organization operates. He has also been a volunteer in our community for many different events."



Monica Galway, BIA Chair, welcomed Matt Galliford into his new role as the BIA's Coordinator. Source: Downtown Acton BIA

In the Facebook post, Galway went on to say that the board of directors look forward to forming a long term relationship with Galliford, and has plans on bringing "new and big things" to Downtown Acton.

Galway also thanked Sedore for her time as stepping in and filling the position of interim Coordinator for the BIA, wishing her all the best of luck in her future endeavors.

Members of the community are encouraged to engage with the Downtown Acton BIA by visiting Galliford at the office inside the Acton Town Hall Centre, located at 19 Willow Street North, or by calling 519-853-9555.

For additional information, you can visit the BIA's website at downtownacton.ca, and for updates, you can follow the Downtown Acton BIA on Facebook, Instagram, and Twitter.

