Cribwolf
Foundation
founders Lino
Fera (left) and
Matt George
speak during an
evening of social
awareness at the
Millcroft Golf &
Country Club.

Scot Cameron photo



## Group aims to ease housing crisis for parents of adults with developmental disabilities

As parents and caregivers of young adults with developmental and intellectual disabilities continue to age, so too does the waiting list for supportive housing and services.

A Halton-based group is tackling that crisis, and recently held a social awareness evening to share their goals and message.

The housing issue was the focus of the Cribwolf Foundation event at Millcroft Golf & Country Club April 13, when founders Lino Fera and Matt George presented their mission statement to parents and organizations - including Christian Horizons, ICC (Intentional Community Consortium) and DSO (District Services Ontario) - involved in caring for adults with disabilities.

Cribwolf's plans include a proposal for the construction of a community-central multi-unit residential building for adults over the age of 21 with intellectual and/or developmental disabilities.

The organization unveiled EQL (Enriching the Quality of Life), a movement focused on raising awareness for special needs individuals and improving the conditions in which they live.

Sharing their message 'Let us help those who cannot help themselves', Cribwolf also launched a new online resource (Cribwolf.com) for those closely involved with special-needs individuals.

For more information on the organization and its initiatives, visit www.cribwolf-foundation.com.

## Community Fund grant applications open May 28

The Town of Milton will begin accepting applications for the Milton Community Fund grant program beginning May 28.

The MCF supports not-for-profit organizations whose initiatives add to the quality of life within the community or enhance the image of Milton:

Applications will be accepted until Sept. 10, and successful applicants will be awarded funds in January 2019.

The MCF was established by Milton council in 2001 to distribute a portion of the funds received from the Ontario Lottery and Gaming Corporation (Woodbine at Mohawk Park). Over the past 17 years, the fund has distributed more than \$6.1 million to a wide range of not-for-profit community organizations and individuals.

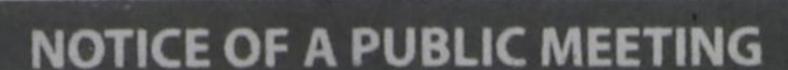
Last year, Milton council approved the distribution of \$252,641 in grants to support 35 organizations.

"This program supports local organizations who contribute to our community," said Mayor Gord Krantz. "The support provided through the community fund recognizes their contributions to making Milton a place of possibility for people of all ages."

The change to this year's timeline for applications is due to the 2018 municipal election and appointment of a new council.

To view application criteria and access application forms, visit www.milton.ca/communityfund or call 905-878-7252, ext. 2539.

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Proposed Amendment to the Halton Region Official Plan Applicant: 1255723 Ontario Inc. File Number: RQ60A

The Council of the Regional Municipality of Halton, through its Planning and Public Works Committee, is holding a Public Meeting to provide the public an opportunity to comment on a proposed Amendment to the Halton Region Official Plan, 2009.

Meeting Date: Wednesday, May 23, 2018

Meeting Time: 8:45 a.m.

Meeting Place: Auditorium, Halton Regional Centre

1151 Bronte Road Oakville, Ontario, L6M 3L1 Phone: 905-825-6000

Toll free number: 1-866-442-5866

Website: halton.ca

Purpose and Effect: The purpose of the proposed Regional Official Plan Amendment is to amend the Halton Region Official Plan (2009) to add a site specific policy to permit a gas station with an associated restaurant drive-through and commercial retail uses in the Agricultural Area on a property located on the southwest corner of Lower Base Line and Trafalgar Road and legally described as Part of Lots 12 and 13, Concession 2 NDS, former Township of Trafalgar in the Town of Milton. The draft amendment also proposes to "identify and re-designate the subject lands as 'Prime Agricultural Area,' with a 'Site-Specific Policy No.xx,'' on Map 1E of the Halton Region Official Plan (2009). The effect of the proposed Regional Official Plan Amendment is to permit the property to be developed into a gas station with an associated restaurant drive-through and commercial retail uses.

Other Applications: The lands subject to this application are also subject to applications under the *Planning Act*, filed at the Town of Milton for a Local Official Plan Amendment (LOPA-01/18) and Zoning By-law Amendment (Z-01/18).

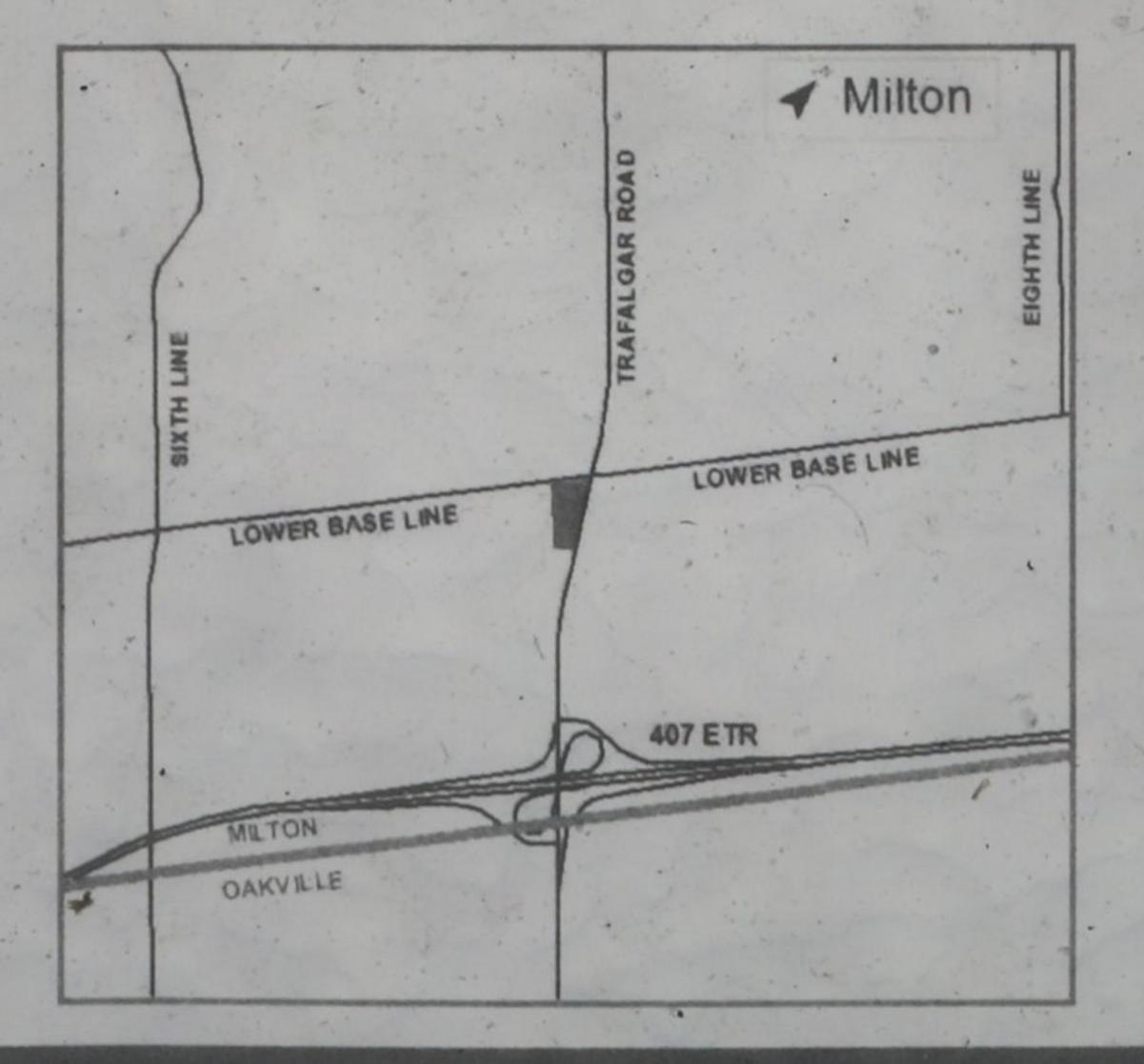
To Get More Information: The proposed Amendment may be viewed at the Office of the Regional Clerk between the hours of 8:30 a.m. and 4:30 p.m. weekdays, or a copy may be obtained by contacting Rob Catarino at 905-825-6000, ext. 7185, or toll free at 1-866-442-5866, or at rob.catarino@halton.ca. Those wishing to address the Committee should contact the Regional Clerk's office at 905-825-6000, ext. 7110, prior to May 10, 2018 at noon in order to be listed as a delegation in the agenda, or may register with the Clerk prior to the public meeting.

Note: If you wish to be notified of the adoption of the proposed Official Plan Amendment or of the refusal of a request to amend the Official Plan, you must make a written request to the Regional Clerk at the address noted above.

If a person or public body does not make oral submissions at a public meeting or make written submissions to the Regional Municipality of Halton before the proposed Official Plan Amendment is adopted, the person or public body is not entitled to appeal the decision of the Regional Municipality of Halton to the Local Planning Appeal Tribunal. If a person or public body does not make oral submissions at a public meeting or make written submissions to the Regional Municipality of Halton before the proposed Official Plan Amendment is adopted, the person or public body may not be added as a party to the hearing of an appeal before the Local Planning Appeal Tribunal unless, in the opinion of the Local Planning Appeal Tribunal, there are reasonable grounds to add the person or public body as a party.

Dated at the Town of Oakville, May 3, 2018.

Graham Milne, Regional Clerk
The Regional Municipality of Halton



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