THE REGIONAL MUNICIPALITY OF HALTON - NOTICE TO CITIZENS -

ARE YOU INTERESTED IN HELPING RUN HALTON REGION? The Council of the Regional Municipality of Halton is advertising for appointments to various boards and committees,

waste disposal/reduction initiatives, water conservation and police services. These appointments give Halton residents, from a variety of backgrounds, a chance to volunteer their skills to help run Halton Region.

Regional Council wishes to ensure that its boards and committees reflect the diverse nature of its community and invites all residents of Halton to consider these opportunities.

for a three year term, to help make decisions on a variety of matters, such as development of community services, solid

Committee/Board

Responsibilities

Elderly Services **Advisory Committee** Provides a means by which community agencies, associations, institutions, and the public may provide advice to the region to ensure that the best service continues to be available to the senior residents of Halton. This advisory committee requires citizens from the senior housing sector (1); regional non-profit community service providers (2); private long-term care facility/residential home (1); private community services serving seniors (1); seniors-at-large (4); and one citizen-at-large. The advisory committee meets on the second Tuesday of each month at 2:00 p.m. for approximately 2 hours in the Halton Regional Centre or other locations agreed to by the committee. Additional hours may be required depending on the option of sub-committee participation. For more information, call Maria Antonakos, Coordinator of Community Services, ext. 7104.

Halton Agricultural **Advisory Committee**

Is seeking 5 citizens-at-large to assist in developing and maintaining a permanently secure, economically viable agricultural community as an important component of Halton's economic base. Applications are invited from citizens with knowledge and experience of Halton's agricultural community and familiarity with agricultural issues. This advisory committee meets on the first Tuesday of the month at 8:00 p.m. in the Halton Regional Centre for approximately 3 hours. Additional hours may be required depending on the option of sub-committee involvement. For more information, call Patty Munkittrick, Senior Planner, ext. 7209.

Halton Regional Police Services Board

It should be noted that Bill 105-Police Services Amendment Act, 1997 which provides for one citizen appointment, has not yet been proclaimed although it is expected some time in December.

The Board is responsible for the provision of adequate and effective police services in Halton. It must satisfy itself that the standards issued by the Ministry of the Solicitor General and Correctional Services are upheld. Involvement in the day-to-day operating decisions of the police service is prohibited. The Board meets a minimum of 12 times a year, on the fourth Thursday of each month, all day, commencing at 9:00 a.m. Meetings are held in the Halton Police Services Headquarters Building or may be held on a rotational basis throughout the Region. Applicants must be willing to commit to a minimum of 20 hours per month for Board business, however, this can increase dramatically if members are involved in negotiations. Several special board meetings and other functions are held throughout the year.

All applicants will be required to apply and secure a security clearance at the Police Services Records Bureau. For Board information call Lillian Waldie-Lawson, Executive Director, Halton Regional Police Services, ext. 5014. For application and/or selection information, call Joan Eaglesham, Regional Clerk, ext. 7237.

Halton Waste Management Site **Advisory Committee**

Is seeking 6 citizens-at-large to assist in recommending actions for the avoidance or minimization of off-site impacts from the waste management site. This advisory committee meets quarterly, or as required, on a Thursday evening from 7:00 p.m. to 9:00 p.m. at the Halton Waste Management Site, 5400 Highway 25, Milton. For more information call Vic Lesnicki, Manager, Waste Management Service, ext. 7689.

Halton Water Conservation Advisory Committee

Is seeking 4 citizens-at-large to assist in the continued development and implementation of a comprehensive water conservation plan for Halton. This advisory committee meets at 1:00 p.m. on the first Wednesday of each month for approximately 3 hours in the Halton Regional Centre. Additional hours may be required depending on the option of sub-committee involvement. For information, call Vince Suffoletta, Director, Customer and Administrative Services, ext. 7940.

Joint Municipal/Regional Waste Management Committee

Is seeking 6 citizens-at-large to advise the Planning and Public Works Committee and Regional Council on waste management matters generally, ie. minimize waste going to the landfill site through such activities as reduction, reuse and recycling (3Rs) of solid waste generated in Halton. Meetings are held quarterly in the Halton Regional Centre for approximately 2 hours. For more information, call Vic Lesnicki, Manager, Waste Management Services, ext. 7689.

Royal Botanical Gardens **Board of Directors**

The Board of Directors of the Royal Botanical Gardens is seeking 1 citizen at-large to help provide leadership and policy development to ensure the RBG's mission, policies, and strategies are appropriate and current. The Board meets approximately 5 times per year from 4:00 p.m. to 5:30 p.m. at the Royal Botanical Gardens Headquarters in Burlington. Additional hours may be required depending on the option of sub-committee involvement. For more information call Sharilyn Ingram, Director, (905) 527-1158.

W.A. (Bill) Johnson Biosolids Management Centre Advisory Committee

Is seeking four citizens-at-large to provide advice on issues which affect the operation of the Biosolids Management Centre, and to address the avoidance and/or minimization of potential off-site impacts. This is a Halton owned facility whose daily operation is the responsibility of an outside contractor. A minimum of four meetings will be held per year with additional meetings taking place at the call of the chair. For more information call Vic lesnicki, Manager, Waste Management Services, ext. 7689.

Interviewing Committees will recommend qualified candidates for these positions to Regional Council. Application forms for these appointments may be obtained from:

> The Regional Clerk Regional Municipality of Halton 1151 Bronte Road - Oakville, ON L6M 3L1 Office Hours: 8:30 a.m. to 4:30 p.m.

Telephone

Burlington/Oakville

Milton/Toronto

(905) 825-6000

Halton Hills from from

(905) 878-8113

from

Guelph/Acton Hamilton/Aldershot (519) 853-0501 (905) 639-4540

Completed applications will be received by the undersigned until Monday, December 15, 1997. Interviews will be conducted during the month of January, 1998.

Joan A. Eaglesham Regional Clerk



www.region.halton.on.ca

Crime Stoppers of Halton

Handguns stolen

A burglary at a rural Georgetown home has detectives searching for guns and jewelry. Crime Stoppers hopes you can help.

Between 9:30 a.m. and 2:55 p.m. Saturday, Nov. 15, a side door was forced at a home on No. 10 Sideroad. Once inside, the thief went through several rooms in a search for goods. Antique jewelry and watches as well as some cash were taken.

Of particular concern to the police is that a safe containing a number of handguns and a box holding compatible ammunition were also stolen.

It is believed a vehicle would have been needed to carry the stolen property — estimated to be worth at least \$4,300.

If you can suggest a possible suspect, or if you noticed something that might help solve the case, Crime Stoppers wants to hear from you.

Any information received will be turned over to investigators in strict confidence.

If you have any information that leads to an arrest in this or any other case, you may be eligible for a cash reward of up to \$1,000. You need not give your name and your information can be taken with complete anonymity.

Crime Stoppers does not subscribe to call display. Call 1-800-222-TIPS or 825-TIPS.

Police Blotter

Houses ransacked

Three house break-ins were about the biggest crimes reported to Halton Regional Police over the last week.

• A Tremaine Road residence was ransacked between 3 a.m. and 12:10 p.m. Tuesday, said Det. Sgt. Ron Welsh.

The thieves stole a 32-inch television, VCR and cash after breaking in through a side door.

• A coin bank was all that was stolen between 2:30 and 5 p.m. Sunday from an unlocked Syer Drive home.

• About \$1,000 worth of property was removed from a No. 5 Sideroad residence between 1:30 and 3 p.m. November 20.

Thieves entered through a rear door and took two VCRs, a 35 mm camera, a shotgun, silverware and costume jewelry.

Museum closes down

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tion who would like to come in and use the site for events, without being tied down to a six or 12-month lease," said Mr. Monte.

The board is targeting potential users such as equipment manufacturers and suppliers who may want to showcase new products, as well as agri-business entrepreneurs who require big facilities for special events.

Halton North MPP Ted Chudleigh said that while the Ontario government has handed over control of the Farm Museum, they did provide the private consortium with a \$325,000 subsidy this year and would continue to offer funding - in \$300,000 and \$275,000 annual increments — over the next two years should the Farm Museum remain open.

In the meantime, Mr. King said efforts will be made to safeguard the wide assortment of antiques and artifacts on the 80-acre facility.

