

**MUNICIPAL AFFAIRS:** Julie Lee was former deputy treasurer of Lampton County

# New treasurer brings 15 years of experience to post

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A new treasurer has taken hold of the purse strings in Whitchurch-Stouffville.

Julie Lee will take over the duties as town treasurer on Sept. 21, replacing retiring treasurer Ed Blackburn.

Blackburn is leaving the post after 32 years of service.

"A six-week functional overlap has been incorporated into our recruitment process to ensure a smooth transition in filling this senior position," said town Chief Administrative Officer Merlin Dewing.

Lee brings more than 15 years of "in depth" experience in municipal finance, treasury, accounting, strategic planning and administration, said Dewing.

Prior to accepting this appointment, Lee was the chief information officer at Chatham Kent Health Alliance, the treasurer for the County of Kent and the

deputy treasurer for the County of Lampton.

"She has guided municipal government organizations through rapid growth, restructuring situations, financial realignments, major construction projects, implementation of numerous innovative and integrated information systems and strategic planning," said Dewing.

Lee graduated with an Honours BA commerce degree from Laurentian University. Meanwhile, she obtained her chartered accountant degree in 1985. Lee is also a certified management accountant, a member of the Association of Municipal Clerks and Treasurers and in 1995 she earned a diploma in public administration from the University of Western Ontario.

"Lee has the ability to work with people on all levels, to promote team spirit in the workplace and is committed to excellence," said Dewing.



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The Shindig is a tribute and memorial to the late Bill Hood, a founding member of the Markham-Stouffville Hospital Board and later part of the Hospital's Foundation Board.

In honour of Bill, family and friends have formed a committee to organize an event that will bring the community together and raise funds for the Markham-Stouffville Hospital.

With the support of corporate sponsorship and participation from area residents, the goal is to raise \$20,000 towards a Spiral CT Scanner.

The \$1.3 million, state-of-the-art scanner creates precise images of the body providing a significant advantage in the investigation and diagnostic process.

After months of planning, the event promises to be a safe, fun and exciting day for everyone. Activities will include hay rides, live entertainment, kids craft area, clowns, corn husking, silent auction, vintage car display, pony rides, track and field, petting zoo, charity derby, horse races, jousting contest and an assortment of great food!

The Bill Hood Cornfield Shindig takes place on Saturday, Aug. 29, rain or shine, from noon to 7 p.m. at 12668 McCowan Road (north of Stouffville Sideroad). Admission is \$20 per car.

For advanced tickets and additional information contact the Markham-Stouffville Hospital Foundation Office 472-7059.

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