



Town of
WHITCHURCH-STOUFFVILLE
"Country Lifestyle Close to the City"

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NOTICE OF COUNCIL MEETING

**TUESDAY MAY 19TH, 2009
COUNCIL MEETING 3:00 P.M.**

Council Chamber
37 Sandiford Drive, 4th Floor



COUNCIL HIGHLIGHTS MAY 5, 2009

**FIRE & EMERGENCY
SERVICES RECOGNITIONS**



The Mayor recognized members of the Town of Whitchurch-Stouffville Fire & Emergency Services who received Long Service Awards, issued by the Province of Ontario through the Office of the Fire Marshal. 25 Year Awards were presented to Eric Blundon, Warren Foster, Rob McKenzie and Jim White while a 20 Year Award was presented to Debbie Brock.

FUNDRAISING CHEQUE PRESENTED

The Stouffville Amateur Hockey League presented a fundraising cheque to the Mayor for the Whitchurch-Stouffville Emergency Care Fund.

**REDUCE P.E.T. WASTE
(POLYETHYLENE TEREPHTHALATE):
DRINK TOWN WATER**

Council approved a staff recommendation to limit the use of bottled water in municipal facilities, where appropriate, and to promote the use of municipal tap water. This initiative includes the elimination of purchasing bottled water for the Town municipal office. The Town supplies clean, safe potable water to users connected to the water distribution system. Benefits include cost savings and reducing the amount of polyethylene terephthalate (P.E.T.) plastic bottles entering the waste processing stream.



JEPP AND EAF FEDERAL FUNDING APPLICATIONS

Town staff continues to seek out both Federal and Provincial grants and funding as they relate to current or future Town projects. Council approved moving forward with the application to Emergency Management Ontario who administer the Joint Emergency Preparedness Program (JEPP) on behalf of the Federal Government. Funding is made available to municipalities in an effort to support or enhance the readiness and ability to deal with large scale emergency incidents or natural disasters. Council also approved the application to the Enabling Accessibility Fund Program (EAF) introduced by the Federal Government for small projects enabling accessibility.

DEPUTY CLERK APPOINTED

Karen Ewart joined the Town on May 4th as Deputy Clerk. Karen has over 15 years experience in Clerk's Department functions and municipal elections processes from the Town of Newmarket and the Town of Aurora. She is a member of the Association of Municipal Managers, Clerks and Treasurers of Ontario (AMCTO), nearing completion of her Certified Municipal Officer accreditation.

COMMUNITY INFORMATION MEETING

**DOWNTOWN STOUFFVILLE COMMUNITY
IMPROVEMENT PLAN**

Wednesday May 13th, 2009
6:30 to 8:30 p.m.

Presentation: 7:00 p.m.

Town Municipal Offices, Council Chamber

The Town has commissioned the preparation of a Community Improvement Plan for the Downtown Area. The objective of the Plan is to assist in the enhancement or redevelopment of a specific area of the Municipality which is in need of assistance, leadership and/or rejuvenation.

The proposed Community Improvement Plan sets out strategies and programs that are intended to strengthen and revitalize the downtown core and immediate environs within the Community of Stouffville.

Please plan to attend the Community Information Meeting to learn more about the Plan. The Town would welcome your participation and comments on the draft document.

For more information on the draft Community Improvement Plan, please contact Andrew McNeely, Director of Planning & Building Services at 905-640-1910 ext. 270 or via email at andrew.mcneely@townofws.com.

TENDER

**TENDER WS-T-09-13
SUPPLY OF A NEW FRONT DECK MOWER**

Tender documents for the supply of a new front deck mower for the Leisure Services Department, Town of Whitchurch-Stouffville, are available at the Municipal Offices, Clerk's Department, 37 Sandiford Drive, 4th Floor, Stouffville.

Tenders will be accepted until 3:00 p.m., Wednesday, May 13, 2009.

The Corporation of the Town of Whitchurch-Stouffville reserves the right to accept or reject any tender, including the lowest bidder.

INSTRUCTOR REQUIRED

The Town of Whitchurch-Stouffville is now accepting applications for Instructors for the spring session, in the following positions:

**Skateboarding Instructor
Beginner and Intermediate Levels
4:30 - 5:30 p.m. and 5:30 - 6:30 p.m.**

Teaching experience and first aid certification is required for both positions.

Classes begin Thursday May 28 through to Thursday June 18, 2009.

Please send résumé outlining relevant qualifications and experience to: Human Resources, Town of Whitchurch-Stouffville, 37 Sandiford Drive, 4th Floor, Stouffville, ON L4A 7X5

For more information, contact Jen McEachen at 905-640-1910 ext. 288 or jen.mceachen@townofws.com.

HOLIDAY CLOSURE

The Town of Whitchurch-Stouffville Municipal Office, Lebovic Leisure Centre, Library and Museum will be closed Monday, May 18th, 2009:

For Public Works/Leisure Services Emergencies
please call 1-800-997-9377
Animal Control: 1-800-898-8606
Fire & Emergency Response: 911

Please note that due to the holiday, Yard Waste Collection is scheduled for Saturday, May 23rd.

UPCOMING EVENTS

**MAYOR'S YOUTH COUNCIL
WE ROCK - AUDIO DANCE PARTY
Friday May 8th, 2009
Latcham Hall**

Calling all Youth! Come out and dance to the hottest mix of new music.
11-13 years of age 7:00 to 9:00 p.m.
14-17 years of age 9:00 to 11:00 p.m.

Tickets can be purchased at the Lebovic Leisure Centre until 6:00 p.m. Friday May 8th. or at the door at Latcham Hall for \$10.00.

For more information, contact Jen McEachen at 905-640-1910 ext. 288 or jen.mceachen@townofws.com

**DEMO/COMPETITION SKIPPING TEAM
SPRING TRYOUTS**

at St. Mark Catholic School

Tuesday May 19th, 2009 (Barcode - 12515) Registration is required

The Stouffville Steppers is a demonstration/competition skipping team for advanced skippers who attend various fundraising events and competitions throughout York Region. No experience necessary, instruction will be given at the tryouts.

To register, please call the Lebovic Leisure Centre at 905-642-7529 extension "0". For further information contact Jen McEachen at 905-640-1910 ext. 288.

NOTICE

**DO YOU HAVE HIGH-SPEED INTERNET?
W/S KING CONNECTS**

The Province of Ontario is committed to improving high speed internet access across Ontario. High speed (Broadband) is defined by the Province as internet access with a minimum data download rate of 1.5 megabits per second. Areas without this download rate are considered 'unserved'.

The Town is working with York Region & King Township to identify 'unserved' areas in our respective municipalities in a new project known as *Whitchurch-Stouffville King Connects*. All residents & businesses that are unable to receive high-speed internet service are encouraged to participate. The findings will be used to work with Internet Service Providers to identify new servicing opportunities.

There are three ways to participate in the *Whitchurch-Stouffville King Connects* project:

1. Phone mailbox: 905-640-1910 ext. 506
2. Complete the online survey at: www.townofws.com "News & Events"
3. Email: wskingconnects@bellnet.ca Please provide your municipal civic address (street number & road name) and the reason service is not available



**THE BOX OFFICE IS NOW OPEN AT 19 CIVIC AVENUE! FOR OPENING CELEBRATION TICKETS AND
EVENT INFORMATION CALL (905) 640-2322 OR VISIT WWW.TOWNOFWS.COM/NINETEEN.**