

**Are you interested in water conservation in York Region?
Do you have knowledge and expertise to share?**

APPLY FOR THE Water Conservation Advisory Committee

In March 2011, York Region released the *Long Term Water Conservation Strategy (LTWCS)* – a 40-year strategy to enhance and extend the Region's commitment to innovative water conservation and efficiency, water resource protection, energy conservation and greenhouse gas reduction. The vision for the strategy is "no new water," which York Region aims to achieve by enhancing existing programs or creating new ones.

Water Conservation Advisory Committee (WCAC)

An essential part of achieving this vision is to establish a forum for ongoing advice, feedback and guidance to York Region on specific water conservation and efficiency projects.

The WCAC will:

- Advise Regional staff on the strategies, programs and approaches related to implementation of the LTWCS
- Provide sector-specific insights and ideas
- Serve as water conservation ambassadors to the larger Regional community
- Help identify champions in different sectors

Applications Invited

If you would like to be considered for membership on the WCAC, please complete and submit your application form.

Application forms are available through:

Web: www.waterfortomorrow.ca

Phone: 1 877 464 9675 ext. 5088

Please submit your application form through one of the following methods:

Email: info@waterfortomorrow.ca

Fax: 905-830-6927

Mail: Water For Tomorrow, 17250 Yonge Street,
Newmarket, ON L3Y 6Z1

All applications should be received by November 21, 2013.



Charity concert full of surprises

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Who will be Dave Lawlor's special guest be during his Saturday concert at Nineteen on the Park?

Past surprise artists who have joined Mr. Lawlor and Glass Tiger's Sam Reid on stage during his annual fundraiser for the Parkinson Society of Canada have included Matt Dusk's pianist, opera singer Robert Pilon and Glass Tiger's front man Alan Frew.

"That's the cool thing about my show is that you never know who's going to walk out," Mr. Lawlor, owner of Stouffville's SI Production House, said.

"You'll be presently surprised; you'll have goose bumps," he said.

Mr. Lawlor staged what he thought would be a one-time show back in 2010 to raise money for Parkinson's disease. His mother Joan died from a form of the disease — multiple systems atrophy — in 2009, after living with it for about 15 years.

However, the show proved to be such a success, he had made it an annual event. So far, almost \$10,000 has been raised for the Parkinson Society of Canada.

"We're hoping to surpass the \$10,000 (mark) this year," he said.

Interspersed between Mr. Lawlor and his guest musician performing are stories about his mother.

"It's funny and it's sad; a whole bunch of stuff," Mr. Lawlor said.



Dave Lawlor hopes to surpass \$10,000 mark with Nov. 2 benefit concert.

Prior to the show, complimentary wine and hors d'oeuvres will be served. There will be also a raffle. The party continues after the show at The Cornerhouse.

Tickets are \$75 each.

"It's a pretty good price for what you get," he said.

Tickets can be purchased at <http://nineteenonthepark.com>

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