

**Office of the Regional Clerk
CORPORATE SERVICES DEPARTMENT**

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HEALTH AND EMERGENCY MEDICAL SERVICES COMMITTEE

**Committee Room "A"
Administrative Centre
17250 Yonge Street
Newmarket, Ontario**

March 4, 2004

2:00 p.m.

DISCLOSURE OF INTEREST

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A. PRESENTATION

1. Overview of Emergency Medical Services by Brad Meekin, General Manager, Emergency Medical Services and Gord McEachen, Director of Operations.

B. COMMUNICATION

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| 1. City of Toronto, Board of Health, dated January 20, 2004, regarding 'possible use of pesticides to prevent the further spread of the Asian Longhorned Beetle infestation in Toronto'. | 1 |
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**C. REPORTS SUBMITTED BY THE
COMMISSIONER OF HEALTH SERVICES**

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| 1. Ambulance Service Review
Emergency Medical Services Branch | 13 |
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February 12, 2004, recommending that:

1. Health and Emergency Medical Services Committee and Regional Council receive the Executive Summary of the Ambulance Service Review Report from the Ministry of Health and Long-Term Care, Emergency Health Services Branch (MOHLTC-EHS). The report highlights the findings and recommendations of the recent certification review for York Region Emergency Medical Services (*see Attachment 1*).
2. Health and Emergency Medical Services Committee and Regional Council receive the three-year certification awarded to York Region Emergency Medical Services from the MOHLTC-EHS (*see Attachment 2*).

2. EMS Response Times

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February 19, 2004, recommending that:

1. Health and Emergency Medical Services Committee and Regional Council receive this report on York Region Emergency Medical Service's ambulance 90th percentile response times for life-threatening (Code 4) calls for information.
2. The Ministry of Health and Long-Term Care (MOHLTC) be requested to establish standards which allow for the timely transfer of patients from the care of paramedics to hospital emergency department staff to affect the immediate return of ambulances to active service.

3. Georgina Community Health Care Council Agreement

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February 20, 2004, recommending that:

1. Health and Emergency Medical Services Committee and Regional Council authorize the Health Services Department to enter into an agreement with the Georgina Community Health Care Council for the professional services of two Registered Nurses in the Extended Class (also known as Nurse Practitioners) to work in the York Region Sexual Health Clinic in Sutton at no cost to the Health Services Department.
2. The Commissioner of Health Services and Medical Officer of Health be authorized to execute any agreement required to put into effect this arrangement between the Georgina Community Health Care Council and The Regional Municipality of York.

**4. Maple Health Centre
Ministry of Health and Long-Term Care – Compliance Review**

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February 10, 2004, recommending that:

1. The Health and Emergency Medical Services Committee and Regional Council receive for information the following report regarding the 2003 Ministry of Health and Long-Term Care Compliance Review of the Maple Health Centre.

5. Long Term Care and Seniors Branch 63
2003 Medical Director's Annual Report

February 10, 2004, recommending that:

1. Health and Emergency Medical Services Committee and Regional Council receive the annual report of the Medical Director of the Newmarket Health Centre and the Maple Health Centre (*see Attachment 1*) for information.

OTHER BUSINESS

ADJOURNMENT

Note: There may be additional items considered that do not appear on this Agenda. Please refer to the Committee Report to Council for all items considered at this meeting.