

NOTICE OF MEETING

COMMUNITY AND HEALTH SERVICES COMMITTEE

A meeting of the Regional **Community and Health Services Committee** will be held on **WEDNESDAY, NOVEMBER 11, 2009**, in Committee Room "A", York Region Administrative Centre, 17250 Yonge Street, in the Town of Newmarket, commencing at **2:00 p.m.**

DENIS KELLY
REGIONAL CLERK

November 5, 2009
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Committee Members

Regional Councillor J. Heath, Chair
Regional Councillor V. Spatafora, Vice-Chair
Regional Councillor J. Frustaglio
Regional Councillor B. Hogg
Regional Councillor J. Taylor
Mayor T. Van Bynen
Regional Councillor J. Virgilio
Regional Chair B. Fisch, ex officio

Regional Clerk's Office
CORPORATE SERVICES DEPARTMENT

UPDATED REVISED AGENDA

COMMUNITY AND HEALTH SERVICES COMMITTEE

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

November 11, 2009

2:00 p.m.
Quorum: 4

DISCLOSURES OF INTERESTS

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A. DEPUTATION

(Subject to the Committee granting deputant status.)

None.

B. PRESENTATIONS

1. Joann Simmons, Commissioner of Community and Health Services, regarding '2010 Community and Health Services Department Business Plan and Budget'. (Please refer to Agenda Item No. D1)

C. COMMUNICATIONS

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| 1. Joann Simmons, Commissioner of Community and Health Services, dated November 11, 2009, regarding Update on Early Investment Initiatives. | 1 |
| 2. Joann Simmons, Commissioner of Community and Health Services, dated November 11, 2009, regarding Service Indicators for Social Assistance and Housing. | 7 |
| 3. <i>Dana Richardson, Assistant Deputy Minister, Housing Division, Ministry of Municipal Affairs and Housing, dated November 5, 2009, regarding funding for 4 units at 335 Andrew Street, Newmarket for Persons with Disabilities for the DeafBlind Ontario Services Year 1 project.</i> | Attached |
| 4. <i>Dana Richardson, Assistant Deputy Minister, Housing Division, Ministry of Municipal Affairs and Housing, dated November 5, 2009, regarding funding for 25 units at 15 Garden Avenue, Richmond Hill for low-income seniors for the Voice of the Vedas Cultural Sabha Inc. project.</i> | Attached |
| 5. <i>Dana Richardson, Assistant Deputy Minister, Housing Division, Ministry of Municipal Affairs and Housing, dated November 5, 2009, regarding funding for 39 units for low-income Seniors for the Dew Street Addition project, King Township.</i> | Attached |

6. *Linda D. Jackson, Mayor, City of Vaughan, October 19, 2009, expressing sincere appreciation to Joann Simmons and staff for assisting the City and residents who were affected by the tornado of August 20, 2009.* **Attached**

D. REPORTS

REPORT SUBMITTED BY THE COMMISSIONER OF FINANCE

1. **2010 Business Plan and Budget** **13**

October 19, 2009, recommending that:

1. The Community and Health Services Committee consider and approve the draft 2010 Capital and Operating Business Plans and Budgets for Employment & Financial Support, Family & Children's Services, Program Support Services, Housing Services, Strategic Service Integration & Policy (SSIP), Emergency Medical Services (EMS), Long Term Care (LTC), and Public Health as submitted.
2. The Committee's recommendations be forwarded to the Commissioner of Finance for consolidation into a report to the Finance and Administration Committee meeting on December 3, 2009.

REPORT SUBMITTED BY THE COMMISSIONER OF FINANCE AND THE COMMISSIONER OF COMMUNITY AND HEALTH SERVICES

2. **Public Health and Community Service Programs
2008 Year End Reports** **19**

October 16, 2009, recommending that:

1. The three Certificate of Settlement of Public Health programs and Annual Reconciliation Report of Community Service programs for the 2008 fiscal year, attached to this report, be received and approved.
2. The attached schedules be signed by the Regional Chair, Medical Officer of Health and/or Regional Program Directors, as required under each program.

**REPORTS SUBMITTED BY THE
COMMISSIONER OF COMMUNITY AND HEALTH SERVICES**

3. Update on York Region's Local Immigration Partnership Initiative: Establishment of the Community Partnership Council 57

November 2, 2009, recommending that:

1. Council endorse the draft Terms of Reference for the Community Partnership Council (*see Attachment 1*) that will be established under the Local Immigration Partnership initiative.
2. Council endorse the recruitment process of the Community Partnership Council as outlined in the Terms of Reference found in Attachment 1.
3. A member of Regional Council be appointed to the Community Partnership Council to serve as the Regional Council representative and Co-Chair of the Community Partnership Council.
4. The Commission of Community and Health Services report back to Regional Council in the first quarter of 2010 to seek Regional Council's endorsement and appointment of the Community Partnership Council members.
5. The Regional Clerk circulate this report to the Clerks of the local municipalities and to York Region's Local Immigration Partnership Project Partner, Catholic Community Services of York Region.

4. Proposal to Establish the Human Services Planning Board of York Region 77

November 2, 2009, recommending that:

1. A new human services collaborative body be created and operated in accordance with the Terms of Reference appended as Attachment 1 to this report.
2. The name of the new group be the "Human Services Planning Board of York Region (HSPB-YR)".
3. Staff be authorized to immediately commence recruitment of the HSPB-YR in accordance with Section 10 (Membership Recruitment) of the Terms of Reference.

4. A member of Regional Council be appointed to the HSPB-YR to serve as the Regional Council Representative and Co-Chair in accordance with Section 11 (Organizational Structure) of the Terms of Reference appended as Attachment 1.
5. An individual from the Human Services Sector be appointed to serve as the other Co-Chair for the inaugural term of the HSPB-YR in accordance with Section 11 (Organizational Structure) of the Terms of Reference appended as Attachment 1.
6. Staff report back by April 2010 following membership recruitment to seek formal Council appointment of the new Members and Member Organizations.
7. Staff report back in Spring 2010 to seek approval of an Interim Work Plan of the HSPB-YR.
8. The Charter of the Human Services Planning Coalition (as endorsed by Regional Council on June 7, 2001 in Clause No. 5 of Report No. 5 of the Planning and Economic Development Committee) be rescinded.
9. The Regional Clerk forward this report to local municipalities for their information.

5. Accessible Customer Service Policy

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October 30, 2009, recommending that:

1. Regional Council approve the proposed Accessible Customer Service Policy as outlined in Attachment 1 of this report.
2. The Regional Clerk forward this report to local municipalities and their Accessibility Advisory Committees, and to the York Region Accessibility Advisory Committee for their information.

**6. Update on Multi-Year Plan
for Community and Health Services Programs**

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October 30, 2009 recommending that:

1. It is recommended that this report be received for information.

7. Update on Federal and Provincial Investment in Social Housing Infrastructure 147

October 30, 2009, recommending that:

1. It is recommended that this report be received for information.

8. Ontario Works 2% Emergency Shelter Per Diem Increase 183

October 30, 2009, recommending that:

1. Regional Council approve a 2% increase to the provincially cost shared (80:20) per diem paid to emergency shelter operators, effective December 1, 2009.
2. Staff make necessary revisions to the Emergency Shelter Per Diem Agreements to implement this increase.

9. Update on Early Learning and Best Start Child Care Service and Funding 187

October 30, 2009, recommending that:

1. Council endorse a resolution (*see Attachment 1*) to be sent to the Federation of Canadian Municipalities calling on the federal government to enhance funding support for early learning and child care programs.

10. Update on Ontario Works Caseload Pressures 197

October 30, 2009, recommending that:

1. It is recommended that this report be received for information.

BOARD OF HEALTH REPORT

**REPORT SUBMITTED BY THE
COMMISSIONER OF COMMUNITY AND HEALTH SERVICES**

11. Public Health H1N1 Response Update Attached

November 11, 2009, recommending that:

1. *It is recommended that this report be received 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, found in Agendas, Minutes and Reports under Regional Government at: www.york.ca, for all items considered at this meeting.