

THE REGIONAL MUNICIPALITY OF YORK

**REPORT NO. 5
OF THE REGIONAL
HEALTH AND EMERGENCY MEDICAL SERVICES COMMITTEE
MEETING HELD ON SEPTEMBER 6, 2007**

**For Consideration by
The Council of The Regional Municipality of York
on September 27, 2007**

Chair: Regional Councillor J. Frustaglio

Members: Regional Councillor J. Heath, Vice-Chair
Regional Councillor J. Taylor
Regional Councillor T. Wong
Regional Chair B. Fisch, ex-officio

Staff Present: N. Barrette, L. Bigioni, P. Casey, D. Kelly, K. Kurji, B. Macgregor, J. Mitchell, S. Neill, L. Russell, J. Simmons, S. Turner, M. Woolhead

The Health and Emergency Medical Services Committee began its meeting at 2:05 p.m. on September 6, 2007.

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4 UPDATE – COMMITTEE PROCEEDINGS

The Health and Emergency Medical Services Committee advises Council of the following matters having been considered by Health and Emergency Medical Services Committee with the following action:

PRESENTATION

1. Joann Simmons, Commissioner of Community Services, Housing and Health Services and Norm Barrette, Director of Operations, Emergency Medical Services regarding EMS Performance System Overview. **Received. Committee directed staff to prepare a report for consideration at Regional Council on September 27, 2007 including:**
 - a) **addressing the issues raised in the presentation, specifically dispatch and off-load delays and their relationship to response times**
 - b) **identification of EMS resources provided and enhanced by the Region**
 - c) **evaluation of available information from other jurisdictions and the Province**
 - d) **recommendations to the Province to address the aforementioned issues**

COMMUNICATION

1. Hon. Tony Clement, Minister of Health and the Minister for the Federal Economic Development Initiative for Northern Ontario, August 10, 2007, regarding saturated and trans fats in food. **Received.**

OTHER BUSINESS

1. Staff was directed to prepare a resolution for the Committee's consideration in support of the Province amending its No-Smoking legislation to include the prohibiting of smoking in vehicles carrying children.

PRIVATE SESSION

1. Committee resolved into private session at 3:34 p.m. to consider information relating to the corporate organizational review - Personal matters about identifiable individuals.

The Committee resumed in public session at 4:20 p.m. with no report out.

The Health and Emergency Medical Services Committee adjourned at 4:21 p.m.

Respectfully submitted,

September 6, 2007
Newmarket, Ontario

J. Frustaglio
Chair

(Report No. 5 of the Health and Emergency Medical Services Committee was adopted, without amendment, by Regional Council at its meeting held on September 27, 2007.)