



The Corporation of the Township of Malahide

CORRESPONDENCE AGENDA

February 17, 2022 – 7:30 p.m.

(F) Correspondence:

1. Association of Municipalities of Ontario - Watch File – dated February 3, 2022 and February 10, 2022. **(Pages C2 - 7)**
2. Township of Clearview – Resolution requesting that the Federal and Provincial Governments provide more funding to rural municipalities to support infrastructure projects related to major bridge and culvert replacements. **(Page C8)**
3. Town of Halton Hills – Resolution requesting the Government of Ontario to dissolve the Ontario Land Tribunal immediately thereby eliminating one of the most significant sources of red tape delaying the development of more attainable housing in Ontario. **(Pages C9 - 13)**
4. Municipality of Shuniah – Resolution requesting expansion of Northern Ontario Schools of Medicine (NOSM) to address the urgent need for physicians in Northern Ontario. **(Page C14)**
5. Municipality of Dutton-Dunwich – Resolution requesting that all lower tier municipalities review the Tri-County Water Board Agreement and work together to form a Water Board for the Lake Huron and Elgin Area Water Systems. **(Page C15)**

Allison Adams

From: AMO Communications <Communicate@amo.on.ca>
Sent: February 3, 2022 10:01 AM
To: Allison Adams
Subject: AMO Watchfile - February 3, 2022

AMO Watchfile not displaying correctly? [View the online version](#)
 Add Communicate@amo.on.ca to your safe list



February 3, 2022

In This Issue

- Inclusive Communities Grant.
- Webinars announced for Subwatershed Planning Guide Consultation.
- Webinars announced for *Conservation Authorities Act* Phase 2 Regulations.
- Factsheets available for Excess Soil Registry.
- AMO/LAS *Municipal Energy Symposium* March 31 - April 1. Registration open.
- AMO/LAS *Municipal Energy Symposium* - Call for Proposals.
- Webinar: eScribe election webinar series.
- Canoe vendor spotlight: Geotab.
- Canoe webinar: Doosan & Bobcat.
- Blog: Citizen Insights to Boost Your Community Engagement.
- Sponsored message from NWMO.
- Careers: Simcoe and Toronto.

Provincial Matters

Applications are now open for the 2022-23 Inclusive Community Grants program. Funding is available for local projects that will help older residents and people with disabilities participate in community life. The deadline to apply is March 3, 2022. Information and how to apply is found on the government [website](#).

MECP will be hosting webinars on the proposed [Subwatershed Planning Guide](#) on [February 16, 2022 from 1:00-2:30 p.m.](#) and [February 24, 2022 from 9:00-10:30 a.m.](#) Follow the link on each date to register.

MECP will be hosting 90-minute webinars on the proposed [Conservation Authorities Act Phase 2 Regulations](#) on February 4 (10:00 am), February 8 (2:00 pm), and February 10 (10:30 am). Register by emailing ca.office@ontario.ca with the subject line "CAA Phase 2 Webinars" and indicate your preferred session date.

To support implementation of the [O. Reg. 406/19: On-Site and Excess Soil Management](#) (Excess Soil Regulation), a series of fact sheets are available now through the MECP's [Handling excess soil](#) webpage.

Eye on Events

AMO and LAS are excited to host a virtual *Municipal Energy Symposium* March 31 - April 1. This leading edge event takes a critical look at the intersection of climate change, land use planning and energy post-COP26. Explore examples of how municipalities are planning for the future and what this means to daily operations. Register [here](#).

AMO and LAS are calling on municipalities and partners to showcase initiatives and innovation in addressing municipal energy and climate change at the seminal virtual *Municipal Energy Symposium*, March 31 - April 1. For more information and to submit your proposal, [click here](#). Deadline for proposals is **February 4**.

Are you thinking about the municipal election? While it's not happening until October, it

is time to start thinking today how to get your meetings ready for your new Council. On February 16 at 11 am ET join eScribe, AMO's preferred partner for electronic meeting management, for a webinar to learn how you can prepare for a seamless election season. [Register today](#).

LAS

We are pleased to welcome Geotab to the [Canoe Procurement Group](#)! Geotab offers vehicle monitoring and telematics solutions to keep your fleet operating as efficiently as possible. [Contact Tanner](#) to learn more.

[Canoe Procurement Group](#) vendors Doosan and Bobcat provide a wide array of equipment from lawn care to loaders to forklifts. [Join our webinar](#) on February 9 at 11 am to learn how buying through Canoe makes it easier to keep your communities beautiful.

Have you ever wondered how your municipality can keep up and continue to engage citizens in an increasingly digital world? Our [guest blogger](#) shares some interest facts and stats.

Sponsored Message from NWMO

The Nuclear Waste Management Organization (NWMO) is federally mandated through the *Nuclear Fuel Waste Act* (2002) and is responsible for the safe, long-term management of Canada's used nuclear fuel. The NWMO plans to select a single site for a Deep Geological Repository in 2023 and will share updates through the AMO Watchfile.

Learn more about the [NWMO and Canada's plan](#). Stay tuned for more information about this national infrastructure project. If your municipality has questions or is interested in a project briefing, please contact [Norman Sandberg](#) or 416.303.2254.

Careers

[Deputy Clerk - County of Simcoe](#). The Deputy Clerk assists the County Clerk, and Director of Statutory Services and Archives in the performance of all of the statutory duties assigned to the Clerk under the *Municipal Act* and other related Acts and Regulations of the Legislature and County By-laws. [Apply online](#) by February 17, 2022.

[Site Contract Manager - City of Toronto](#). Reporting to the Manager of Landfill Operations, you will assist with the management of contracted services for the solid waste landfilling and disposal operations at the City of Toronto's (City) Green Lane Landfill site. [Apply online](#) quoting Job ID 20275, by February 24, 2022.

About AMO

AMO is a non-profit organization representing almost all of Ontario's 444 municipal governments. AMO supports strong and effective municipal government in Ontario and promotes the value of municipal government as a vital and essential component of Ontario's and Canada's political system. Follow [@AMOPolicy](#) on Twitter!

AMO Contacts

[AMO Watchfile](#) Tel: 416.971.9856

[Conferences/Events](#)

[Policy and Funding Programs](#)

[LAS Local Authority Services](#)

[MEPCO Municipal Employer Pension Centre of Ontario](#)

[ONE Investment](#)

[Media Inquiries](#)

[Municipal Wire, Career/Employment and Council Resolution Distributions](#)

AMO's Partners



*Disclaimer: The Association of Municipalities of Ontario (AMO) is unable to provide any warranty regarding the accuracy or completeness of third-party submissions. Distribution of these items does not imply an endorsement of the views, information or services mentioned.



Please consider the environment
before printing this.

Association of Municipalities of Ontario
200 University Ave. Suite 801, Toronto ON Canada M5H 3C6
To unsubscribe, please [click here](#)



Allison Adams

From: AMO Communications <Communicate@amo.on.ca>
Sent: February 10, 2022 10:03 AM
To: Allison Adams
Subject: AMO Watchfile - February 10, 2022

AMO Watchfile not displaying correctly? [View the online version](#)
 Add Communicate@amo.on.ca to your safe list



February 10, 2022

In This Issue

- Infrastructure Canada Capital Projects stream: Rural Transit Solutions Fund.
- AMO/LAS *Municipal Energy Symposium* March 31 - April 1.
- eScribe municipal election webinar series.
- Canoe webinar: Exprolink/Madvac.
- Canoe vendor spotlight: Traffic Logix.
- Risk Management Back-to-Basics free webinar.
- Promote your RFP with OMSSA.
- Careers: Victoria BC, OSC, MNRF, Metrolinx, Augusta, London and Simcoe.

Federal Matters

Infrastructure Canada is now accepting applications for the Capital Projects stream of the Rural Transit Solutions Fund. The fund targets the development of transit solutions in rural communities, making \$250 million in federal funding available over five years to support the development of locally driven transit solutions that will help people living in rural communities. Deadline: April 7, 2022.

Eye on Events

AMO and LAS are excited to host a virtual *Municipal Energy Symposium* March 31 - April 1. This leading edge event takes a critical look at the intersection of climate change, land use planning and energy post-COP26. Explore examples of how municipalities are planning for the future and what this means to daily operations. Register [here](#).

Are you thinking about the municipal election? While it's not happening until October, it is time to start thinking today how to get your meetings ready for your new Council. On February 16 at 11 am ET join eScribe, AMO's preferred partner for electronic meeting management, for a webinar to learn how you can prepare for a seamless election season. [Register today](#).

LAS

It may not feel like it, but spring is on the way! Join the Canoe Procurement Group webinar with vendors Exprolink/Madvac to learn about the street sweepers and litter collectors used to give our communities a 'spring cleaning'. February 23 at 11:00 AM EST, [register here](#).

We're pleased to welcome Traffic Logix to the Canoe Procurement Group, making it easier to source traffic calming products to keep your roads safe. Save time and money by buying through Canoe, [contact Tanner](#) for more information.

Register for our free Risk Management webinar series every quarter; be part of the discussion. The first one is March 3 - "[Back to Basics](#)" - a foundational discussion about municipal insurance, terms and trends."

Municipal Wire*

Starting March 1, post your open RFPs to OMSSA's board and have it shared with

human services professionals. Email jobs@omssa.com to post your opportunity. [Subscribe today](#) to receive open opportunities.

Careers

Assistant Director, Public Works - City of Victoria. The AD is responsible for the effective delivery of a full range of operational and capital programs to support City infrastructure needs for residents, visitors, business and other City departments. [Apply online](#) by March 2, 2022.

Senior FIPPA Officer - Ontario Securities Commission (OSC). The Officer will administer and supervise the operations of the freedom of information and privacy program. [Apply online](#) by February 11, 2022.

District Manager - Ontario Ministry of Natural Resources and Forestry. A strategic leadership opportunity to serve Ontarians through natural resource management excellence in the Parry Sound, Kemptville or Peterborough District. [Apply online](#), only, quoting Job ID 174594, by February 17, 2022.

Director, Legal Services - Metrolinx. Seeking a Director, Legal Services who will assist with professional legal work and provide legal advice and opinions on a diverse range of corporate matters. Apply for this position submitting your resume [online](#).

Intermediate/Senior Land Use Planner - Township of Augusta. The incumbent will provide planning services through the development of strong policy framework for land use decision making and development review services. Apply to smcdonald@augusta.ca by March 4, 2022.

Director, Fleet and Facilities - City of London. This newly created role focuses on expanding linkages between the Fleet and Facilities programs while establishing a clear point of accountability for both areas. [Apply online](#) by February 23, 2022.

Real Estate Negotiator/Acquisition Specialist - County of Simcoe. The Specialist is primarily responsible for providing support with real estate needs including research, site selection, negotiation and appraisal for acquisition, and disposal of real property and property rights. [Apply online](#) by February 23, 2022.

Accounting Supervisor (Capital Assets) - County of Simcoe. The Supervisor plays a key role in the financial reporting framework of the County's Tangible Capital Assets and the development and maintenance of the asset management plan. [Apply online](#) by February 16, 2022.

About AMO

AMO is a non-profit organization representing almost all of Ontario's 444 municipal governments. AMO supports strong and effective municipal government in Ontario and promotes the value of municipal government as a vital and essential component of Ontario's and Canada's political system. Follow [@AMOPolicy](#) on Twitter!

AMO Contacts

[AMO Watchfile](#) Tel: 416.971.9856

[Conferences/Events](#)

[Policy and Funding Programs](#)

[LAS Local Authority Services](#)

[MEPCO Municipal Employer Pension Centre of Ontario](#)

[ONE Investment](#)

[Media Inquiries](#)

[Municipal Wire, Career/Employment and Council Resolution Distributions](#)

AMO's Partners



*Disclaimer: The Association of Municipalities of Ontario (AMO) is unable to provide any warranty regarding the accuracy or completeness of third-party submissions. Distribution of these items does not imply an endorsement of the views, information or services mentioned.



Please consider the environment
before printing this.

Association of Municipalities of Ontario
200 University Ave. Suite 801, Toronto ON Canada M5H 3C6
To unsubscribe, please [click here](#)





CLEARVIEW

February 9, 2022

C00.2022

The Honourable Doug Ford
Premier of Ontario
Legislative Building, Queen's Park
Toronto, ON M7A 1A1

Sent by Email: premier@ontario.ca

Re: Funding Support for Infrastructure Projects – Bridge/Culvert Replacements in Rural Municipalities

Please be advised that Council of the Township of Clearview, at its meeting held on February 7, 2022, passed the following resolution regarding funding support for infrastructure projects:

Resolution:

Moved by Deputy Mayor Burton, Seconded by Councillor Broderick, Be It Resolved that Council of the Township of Clearview supports the requests from the Township of Adjala-Tosorontio, the Township of Adelaide-Metcalf, the Township of Lake of Bays, the Township of Amaranth, and Northumberland County for the Federal and Provincial Governments to provide more funding to rural municipalities to support infrastructure projects related to major bridge and culvert replacements; and,

That this resolution be forwarded to the Premier of Ontario, Provincial Minister of Finance, Federal Finance Minister, AMO, ROMA, and all Ontario municipalities.
Motion Carried.

If you have any questions regarding the above, please do not hesitate to contact the undersigned.

Regards,

Sasha Helmkey, B.A., Dipl. M.A., AOMC
Clerk/Director of Legislative Services

cc: Hon. Peter Bethenfalvy, Ontario Minister of Finance minister.fin@ontario.ca
Hon. Chrystia Freeland, Federal Minister of Finance chrystia.freeland@fin.gc.ca
AMO amo@amo.on.ca
ROMA roma@roma.on.ca
All Ontario Municipalities

February 9, 2022

The Honourable Doug Ford, Premier of Ontario
Via Email

Re: Dissolve Ontario Land Tribunal

Please be advised that Council for the Town of Halton Hills at its meeting of Monday, February 7, 2022, adopted the following Resolution:

Resolution No. 2022-0020

WHEREAS Municipalities across this province collectively spend millions of dollars of taxpayer money and municipal resources developing Official Plans that meet current Provincial Planning Policy;

AND WHEREAS an Official Plan is developed through months of public consultation to ensure, "that future planning and development will meet the specific needs of the Town of Halton Hills community";

AND WHEREAS our Official Plan includes provisions that encourage development of the "missing middle" or "gentle density" to meet the need for attainable housing in our community;

AND WHEREAS our Official Plan is ultimately approved by the province;

AND WHEREAS it is within the legislative purview of Municipal Council to approve Official Plan amendments or Zoning By-law changes that better the community or fit within the vision of Town of Halton Hills Official Plan;

AND WHEREAS it is also within the legislative purview of Municipal Council to deny Official Plan amendments or Zoning By-law changes that do not better the community or do not fit within the vision of the Town of Halton Hills Official Plan;

AND WHEREAS municipal planning decisions may be appealed to the Ontario Land Tribunal (OLT; formerly the Ontario Municipal Board or "OMB"), an unelected, appointed body that is not accountable to the residents of the Town of Halton Hills;

AND WHEREAS the OLT has the authority to make a final decision on planning matters based on a "best planning outcome" and not whether the proposed development is in compliance with municipal Official Plans;

1 Halton Hills Drive, Halton Hills, Ontario L7G 5G2

Tel: 905-873-2600

Toll Free: 1-877-712-2205
haltonhills.ca

Fax: 905-873-2347

AND WHEREAS all decisions—save planning decisions—made by Municipal Council are only subject to appeal by judicial review and such appeals are limited to questions of law and or process;

AND WHEREAS Ontario is the only province in Canada that empowers a separate adjudicative tribunal to review and overrule local decisions applying provincially approved plans;

AND WHEREAS towns and cities across this Province are repeatedly forced to spend millions of dollars defending Official Plans that have already been approved by the province in expensive, time consuming and ultimately futile OLT hearings;

AND WHEREAS lengthy, costly OLT hearings add years to the development approval process and act as a barrier to the development of attainable housing;

NOW THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED THAT Council for the Town of Halton Hills requests the Government of Ontario to dissolve the OLT immediately thereby eliminating one of the most significant sources of red tape delaying the development of more attainable housing in Ontario;

AND FURTHER THAT a copy of this Motion be sent to the Honourable Doug Ford, Premier of Ontario, the Minister of Municipal Affairs and Housing, the Leader of the Opposition, the Leaders of the Liberal and Green Party, all MPPs in the Province of Ontario; the Large Urban Mayors' Caucus of Ontario, the Small Urban GTHA Mayors and Regional Chairs of Ontario;

AND FURTHER THAT a copy of this Motion be sent to the Association of Municipalities of Ontario (AMO) and all Ontario municipalities for their consideration.

CARRIED

Attached for your information is a copy of Resolution No. 2022-0020.

If you have any questions, please contact Valerie Petryniak, Town Clerk for the Town of Halton Hills at 905-873-2600 ext. 2331 or valeriep@haltonhills.ca.

Yours truly,



Melissa Lawr
Deputy Clerk – Legislation

1 Halton Hills Drive, Halton Hills, Ontario L7G 5G2

Tel: 905-873-2600

Toll Free: 1-877-712-2205
haltonhills.ca

Fax: 905-873-2347

- cc. Minister of Municipal Affairs and Housing
Leader of the Opposition
Leaders of the Liberal and Green Party
MPPs in the Province of Ontario
Large Urban Mayor's Caucus of Ontario
Small Urban GTHA Mayors
Regional Chairs of Ontario
Association of Municipalities of Ontario (AMO)
All Ontario Municipalities

1 Halton Hills Drive, Halton Hills, Ontario L7G 5G2

Tel: 905-873-2600

Toll Free: 1-877-712-2205
haltonhills.ca

Fax: 905-873-2347



**THE CORPORATION
OF
THE TOWN OF HALTON HILLS**

Resolution No.: 2022-0020

Title: Dissolve Ontario Land Tribunal

Date: February 7, 2022

Moved by: Mayor R. Bonnette

Seconded by: Councillor C. Somerville

Item No. 15.2

WHEREAS Municipalities across this province collectively spend millions of dollars of taxpayer money and municipal resources developing Official Plans that meet current Provincial Planning Policy;

AND WHEREAS an Official Plan is developed through months of public consultation to ensure, "that future planning and development will meet the specific needs of the Town of Halton Hills community";

AND WHEREAS our Official Plan includes provisions that encourage development of the "missing middle" or "gentle density" to meet the need for attainable housing in our community;

AND WHEREAS our Official Plan is ultimately approved by the province;

AND WHEREAS it is within the legislative purview of Municipal Council to approve Official Plan amendments or Zoning By-law changes that better the community or fit within the vision of Town of Halton Hills Official Plan;

AND WHEREAS it is also within the legislative purview of Municipal Council to deny Official Plan amendments or Zoning By-law changes that do not better the community or do not fit within the vision of the Town of Halton Hills Official Plan;

AND WHEREAS municipal planning decisions may be appealed to the Ontario Land Tribunal (OLT; formerly the Ontario Municipal Board or "OMB"), an unelected, appointed body that is not accountable to the residents of the Town of Halton Hills;

AN WHEREAS the OLT has the authority to make a final decision on planning matters based on a "best planning outcome" and not whether the proposed development is in compliance with municipal Official Plans;

AND WHEREAS all decisions—save planning decisions—made by Municipal Council are only subject to appeal by judicial review and such appeals are limited to questions of law and or process;

AND WHEREAS Ontario is the only province in Canada that empowers a separate adjudicative tribunal to review and overrule local decisions applying provincially approved plans;


AND WHEREAS towns and cities across this Province are repeatedly forced to spend millions of dollars defending Official Plans that have already been approved by the province in expensive, time consuming and ultimately futile OLT hearings;

AND WHEREAS lengthy, costly OLT hearings add years to the development approval process and act as a barrier to the development of attainable housing;

NOW THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED THAT Council for the Town of Halton Hills requests the Government of Ontario to dissolve the OLT immediately thereby eliminating one of the most significant sources of red tape delaying the development of more attainable housing in Ontario;

AND FURTHER THAT a copy of this Motion be sent to the Honourable Doug Ford, Premier of Ontario, the Minister of Municipal Affairs and Housing, the Leader of the Opposition, the Leaders of the Liberal and Green Party, all MPPs in the Province of Ontario; the Large Urban Mayors' Caucus of Ontario, the Small Urban GTHA Mayors and Regional Chairs of Ontario;

AND FURTHER THAT a copy of this Motion be sent to the Association of Municipalities of Ontario (AMO) and all Ontario municipalities for their consideration.



Mayor Rick Bonnette



COUNCIL RESOLUTION

Resolution No.: 44-22

Date: Feb 8, 2022

Moved By: DONNA BLUNT

Seconded By: DON SMITH

THAT Council hereby supports the resolution from Northwestern Ontario Municipal Association (NOMA) regarding supporting the expansion of Northern Ontario School of Medicine (NOSM) to address the urgent need for physicians in Northern Ontario; and

BE IT RESOLVED that a copy of this resolution be forwarded Premier Doug Ford, Minister of Colleges and Universities Jill Dunlop, Minister of Health Christine Elliot, Minister of Economic Development, Job Creation & Trade Victor Fedeli, local MP's and MPP's, Ontario Medical Association, Northern School of Medicine, Northern Ontario Academic Medicine Association, Association of Municipalities of Ontario (AMO), the Federation of Northern Ontario Municipalities (FONOM), all Ontario Municipalities.

☒ **Carried**

☐ **Defeated**

☐ **Amended**

☐ **Deferred**

Wendy Landry
Signature

Municipality of Shuniah, 420 Leslie Avenue, Thunder Bay, Ontario, P7A 1X8



COUNCIL RESOLUTION



Wednesday, February 9, 2022

Res: **2022.04. 32**

Moved by: _____Drouillard_____

Seconded by: _____Corneil_____

WHEREAS a steering committee was established to negotiate terms for establishing a Water Board for the Lake Huron and Elgin Area Water Systems; and

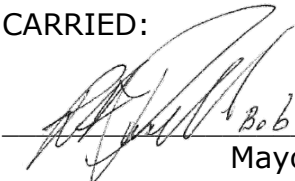
WHEREAS a Water Board has proved beneficial in the case of the Tri-County Water Board.

NOW THEREFORE the Council of the Municipality of Dutton Dunwich requests that all lower tier municipalities review the Tri-County Water Board Agreement and work together to form a Water Board for the Lake Huron and Elgin Area Water Systems; and

THAT a copy of this resolution be forwarded to all lower tier municipalities involved in the Lake Huron and Elgin Area Water Systems for consideration, Jeff Yurek, MPP, Karen Vecchio, MP and Andrew Henry.

<u>Recorded Vote</u>	<u>Yeas</u>	<u>Nays</u>
P. Corneil	<u> x </u>	<u> </u>
A. Drouillard	<u> x </u>	<u> </u>
K. Loveland	<u> x </u>	<u> </u>
M. Hentz	<u> x </u>	<u> </u>
B. Purcell – Mayor	<u> x </u>	<u> </u>

CARRIED:



 Mayor

DEFEATED:

 Mayor