



CORRESPONDENCE

Council received the following for information:

- AMO News Release re: OMERS Devolution Bill Will Mean Higher Costs for Municipalities and Municipal Employees
- AMO Communication re: Environmental Penalties and Municipalities
- AMO Alert re: Municipal Affairs and Housing (MAH) Releases Report on Line Fences Act
- City of Cambridge re: Volunteer and Municipal Trails AND Clerk's letter of support
- Town of Penetanguishene re: Ontario Municipal Partnership Fund (OMPF)

INFORMATION REPORTS

Council received the following Information Reports:

- Assimilative Capacity Studies – Lake Simcoe Watershed and Nottawasaga River Update #5 – May 31, 2005
- Building Services Department Monthly Report – May 2005
- By-law Department Monthly Statistics – May 2005
- Springwater Fire Department Monthly Activity Report – May 2005

PURCHASING

Township Council approved the purchase of an Ambulance from Simcoe County with the funds of the over budget amount of \$1500.00 to be found within the 2005 Fire Capital Budget.

RECREATION MASTER PLAN

The Township will commence with implementation of Recommendations #15-17, 23, 26-27, 30-31, 33-41, 43-45, and 48-49 of the Recreation Master Plan, designated as high priority items for the municipality. Further, Township Council voted in favour of adopting the Recommendation #1 being the preferred Recreation Service Delivery Model to guide decision-making regarding capital investments for major recreation facilities and the provision of recreation services, as recommended by the Recreation Advisory Committee. Township Council also voted to adopt Recommendation #22, being a three-tier classification system as outlined in the Parks and Recreation Master Plan for the purposes of future parks planning and development, as recommended by the Recreation Advisory Committee.

FOR IMMEDIATE RELEASE

Springwater Township Council Notes

For the meeting of Monday, June 20, 2005

SPECIAL EVENTS

The Licensing Officer made a short presentation to Council on Special Events Licensing.

DELEGATION BY COREY AND HEATHER BURDICK

Corey and Heather Burdick made a presentation to Council on the ATV Traffic at Baseline Road and Rainbow Valley Road East. It included a proposal for gating and fencing of the County Forests and unassumed roads in the area. The concerns will be referred to an upcoming meeting with the OPP, Township, and County representatives.

DELEGATION BY COLIN ELLIOTT

Colin Elliott made a short presentation to Township Council regarding the Phelpston Marsh Drain.

PRESENTATION TO JIMMY STEPHENS

Mayor John Brown presented Elmvalle District High School Student Jimmy Stephens with a Township Certificate on behalf Springwater Township in recognition of his receipt of the Ontario Federation of Anglers and Hunters' Junior Heritage Award

SENIOR OF THE YEAR

Councillor Tony Hope presented Zita Moreau with the Senior of the Year Award from the Ontario Seniors Secretariat on behalf of Springwater Township.

STAFF NEWS

Compliments were extended to the Building Department on behalf of Council.

Welcome to Erin Deckert who has been hired as Administration Secretary – Intern upon expiration of her current contract. Upon commencement of the Administration Secretary Internship, Conor Begley's position will be re-titled to Research and Policy Analyst and report directly to the C.A.O. Congrats!

BY-LAWS

The following By-laws were passed:

- By-law No. 5000-028 – Ravines of Matheson Creek Subdivision (Walton) ZBA
- By-law No. 2005-071 – Spring Lakes OPA No. 18
- By-law No. 2005-072 – Licensing By-law – Kennel & Domestic Animal Boarding Facility Schedule
- By-law No. 2005-073 – 1315076 Ontario Inc. (Eisses Brothers Limited) – File No. SP-T-89012 – Apto Subdivision Pre-servicing Agreement
- By-law No. 2005-074 – Land Acquisition and Sale of Right of Way
- By-law No. 2005-075 – Acquire and Assume One Foot Reserve for Road Purposes
- By-law No. 2005-076 – Confirmatory

FOR MORE INFORMATION contact the Administration Department at (705) 728-4784. The minutes will be available on the Township Website at www.springwater.ca on Friday.