Township of Brock Mayor's Networking Business Breakfast



Agenda

- Registration & Networking
- Welcome & Introductory Remarks Mayor Grant
- Attendees Introduction (Name & Business/Organization)
- Departmental Overviews & Municipal Election Thomas Gettinby
- Township and Regional Updates Mayor Grant
  - Budget Highlights
  - Accomplishments
- New Business Introductions
  - Whimsy (Beaverton) Janet Slater
  - Brock Chiropracter & Rehabilitation Brendan Parliament
- Brock Board of Trade Update Christine Dukelow



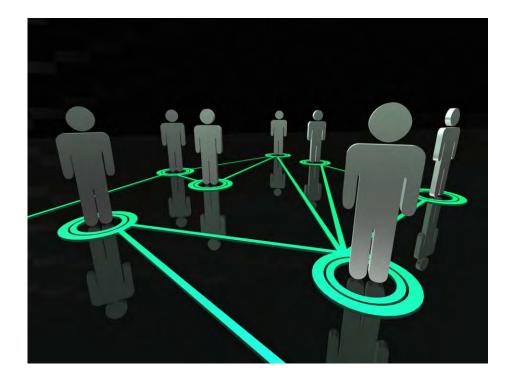
Welcome & Introductory Remarks by Mayor Grant





#### Attendee Introduction

## Introduce yourself and the business/organization you represent!





2018 Township of Brock Budget

- Increase of 1.54% over the 2017 Budget
- Budget pressures continue to include roads, bridges, equipment, sidewalks and maintenance of buildings & arenas.
- Budget highlights:
  - \$4,400,000 to be drawn from reserve funds for 2018 projects
  - \$300,000 placed in a reserve fund for future arena projects and \$350,000 for future fire equipment requirements





Reserve Funds

- Many reserve funds are restricted and are to be used for dedicated purposes as established by legislation, Ministry requirements, and advice from the Township's auditors.
- Why Reserves are important?
  - To cover unexpected repairs;
  - To help address the financing requirements of the Asset Management Plan; and
  - To ensure a consistent tax rate
- Balance of reserves is almost \$19 million



- \$2.5 million of this balance is held to pay for projects that were budgeted in prior years and are not yet complete
- Increase in reserve funds includes:
  - \$1 million to the Development Charges Reserve Fund collected in 2017
  - \$173,800 to the Building Fees Reserve Fund collected in 2017
  - \$1.8 million to finance planned improvements to Township owed assets (buildings, equipment, roads, bridges, etc.)





Durham Region Economic Development Updates



- Durham Region Economic Development Strategy
- Local Food BR+E Project
- Spring Farmers Market at Durham Region Headquarters
  - Tuesday, June 5, 2018
- Serviced Employment Land Review
- Competitiveness Study
- Re-branding of Economic Development and Tourism Branding, and Marketing and Promotional materials





Township Public Works Update



Building & Development

Year	2017	2018 To Date
# of Building Permits	322	85
Township Development Fees Collected	\$1,317,871.08	\$602,299.24
Building Permit Fees Collected	\$440,510.89	\$157,533.55
Total Value	\$65,014,989.00	\$20,172,065.00
# of Homes	132	56
Other	Gillespie Gardens (18 units)	Commercial Building Osborne





- Fairgate subdivision in Sunderland is complete (24)
- Kaitlin subdivision in Sunderland is complete (90)
- Marydel to continue with construction of Phase 1 (52) and subdivision agreement for remaining Phase (289) in preparation
- Proposed developments currently under discussion
  - 2 plans of subdivisions submitted in Beaverton (355 units)



New Development (Former Trillium Site (Beaverton) & Brock Stop (Sunderland)





Additional Affordable Housing

- Gillespie Gardens Seniors' Residence in Beaverton
- New Seniors Resident Building -Cannington





#### Sunderland EMS Station

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#### Township of Brock Fire Department



Fire Department Accomplishments

- Fire Department Review
- Fire Department Long Term Capital Forecast
- Part-time Training Officer Hired
- Fire Department Annual Report
- Replacement & purchased new equipment (see handout for detailed information)

2016 Annual Report





#### Improvements in the Downtown

Community Improvement Plan











# BR-E

Tourism Project





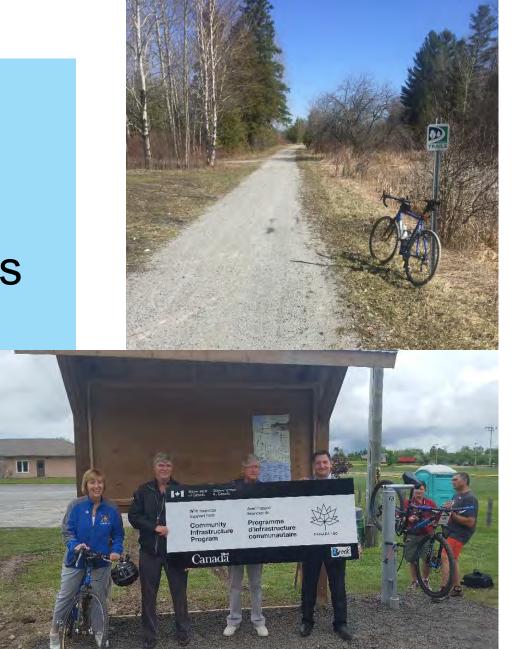




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#### Healthy Connected Communities









#### Recreational Improvements



#### Q & A





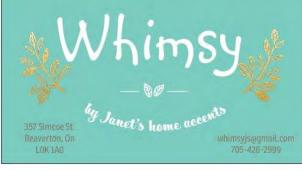




### Whimsy

Ms. Janet Slater

















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## Thank you for coming!

