

## HAMILTON PORT AUTHORITY – CITY OF HAMILTON LIAISON COMMITTEE

### Terms of Reference

**Mandate:** To liaise on real estate and planning matters of mutual interest within the West Harbour, Bayfront, and waterfront areas by:

- Ensuring that development on the ***Hamilton Port Authority*** lands is compatible with both the economic development of the port and the interest of the ***City of Hamilton including climate change initiatives, non-residential tax growth and living wage jobs***;
- Ensuring effective public consultation on significant decisions relating to the port and adjacent ***City of Hamilton*** lands;
- Promotion of the business in the port;
- Enhancement of the marine environment;
- Provision of access to the waterfront and activities of the port for citizens where this is consistent with the work of the port;
- Effective management of the use of the harbour, including recreational use where this is consistent with the work of the ***Hamilton Port Authority***;
- Provision of effective road and rail access and utility services for the efficient operations of the port;
- Provision of access to water and necessary ***City of Hamilton*** utility services; and,
- Provision of effective policing and emergency services in the port and adjacent areas of the ***City of Hamilton***, including emergency planning and disaster response.

**Composition:** The Mayor and ***two*** Members of City Council **(3)**  
Port Authority Board Chair, and two members (3)

**Support Staff:** City Manager and Port Authority Director ***and other staff as needed.***

**Duration:** To expire with the 2014-2018 term of Council or until such time as successors are appointed.

**Reporting to:** General Issues Committee

**Stipend:** No

**Meeting Schedule:** At the Call of the Chair

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