

# CITY OF HAMILTON

## M O T I O N

PLANNING COMMITTEE DATE: NOVEMBER 19, 2019

**MOVED BY COUNCILLOR JOHNSON.....**

**SECONDED BY COUNCILLOR CLARK.....**

### **Feasibility of Glanbrook Sports Park Being Included in the Binbrook Village Urban Boundary**

WHEREAS, Glanbrook has grown exponentially in the past 20 years and the demand for recreation programs has increased significantly;

WHEREAS, Glanbrook residents travel on average 5 km to access recreation programs;

WHEREAS, according to the capital budget, Glanbrook is slated for a recreation centre in 2028;

WHEREAS, Recreation centres require approx. 25 acres (10 hectares);

WHEREAS, the only available land is the “Glanbrook Sports Park” that currently has an arena, baseball and soccer facilities as well as the municipal centre;

WHEREAS, “Glanbrook Sports Park” is approx. 25 acres (10 hectares);

WHEREAS, “Glanbrook Sports Park” is within the Greenbelt and abuts the urban boundary;

WHEREAS, “Glanbrook Sports Park” has a very fragile septic system and well;

WHEREAS, Installation of new infrastructure such as water and sewer is not allowed within Greenbelt lands; and,

WHEREAS, according to Growth Plan for the Greater Golden Horseshoe, the need for a settlement area boundary expansion has been justified in accordance with policy 2.2.8.225 acres (10 hectares) can be included in the Binbrook Village urban boundary;

**THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED:**

That staff be directed to look at the feasibility of including the lands of the “Glanbrook Sports Park” into the Binbrook Village Urban Boundary.