

EXPANDING HOUSING AND SUPPORT SERVICES FOR WOMEN AND TRANSGENDER COMMUNITY SUB-COMMITTEE REPORT 20-001

9:30 a.m.
Friday, March 6, 2020
Room 830
Hamilton City Hall
71 Main Street West

Present:

Voting: Councillors N. Nann (Chair), C. Collins, J. Farr, and M. Wilson

S. Badri, R. Bouwman, C. Cowan-Morneau, K. Kalinowski, and C. Kirkby

Non-Voting: R. Mastroianni and N. Zelisko

THE EXPANDING HOUSING AND SUPPORT SERVICES FOR WOMEN AND TRANSGENDER COMMUNITY SUB-COMMITTEE PRESENTS REPORT 20-001 AND RESPECTFULLY RECOMMENDS:

1. Appointment of the Chair and Vice-Chair for 2020 (Item 1)

- (i) That Councillor Nrinder Nann be appointed Chair of the Expanding Housing and Support Services for Women and Transgender Community Sub-Committee for 2020.
- (ii) That Carol Cowan-Morneau be appointed Vice-Chair of the Expanding Housing and Support Services for Women and Transgender Community Sub-Committee for 2020.

2. Change to the Name of the Sub-Committee (Added Item 13.3)

That the name of the Expanding Housing and Support Services for Women and Transgender Community Sub-Committee be changed to Expanding Housing and Support Services for Women, *Non-Binary*, and Transgender Community Sub-Committee.

FOR INFORMATION:

(a) APPROVAL OF AGENDA (Item 2)

The Committee Clerk advised that there were no changes to the agenda.

The agenda for the March 6, 2020 Expanding Housing and Support Services for Women and Transgender Community Sub-Committee meeting, was approved, as presented.

(b) DECLARATIONS OF INTEREST (Item 3)

There were no declarations of interest.

(c) COMMUNICATIONS (Item 5)

(i) Correspondence from Janice Lewis-Deeley, Board President, Native Women's Centre, respecting Mountainview Emergency Shelter Operations

The correspondence from Janice Lewis-Deeley, Board President, Native Women's Centre, respecting Mountainview Emergency Shelter Operations, was received.

(d) GENERAL INFORMATION/OTHER BUSINESS (Item 13)

(i) Terms of Reference for Expanding Housing and Support Services for Women and Transgender Community Sub-Committee (Item 13.1)

The Terms of Reference for Expanding Housing and Support Services for Women and Transgender Community Sub-Committee, was received.

(ii) Amendments to the Outstanding Business List (Item 13.2)

The following amendment to the Expanding Housing and Support Services for Women and Transgender Community Sub-Committee Outstanding Business List, was approved:

- (a) Items Considered Completed and to be Removed:
 - (i) Correspondence from Janice Lewis-Deeley, Board President, Native Women's Centre, respecting Mountainview Emergency Shelter Operations Item on OBL: 20-B Addressed as Item 5.1 on today's agenda

(iii) Needs Assessment, Policy Review, and Funding Opportunities (Added Item 13.4)

Staff were directed to report back to the Expanding Housing and Support Services for Women and Transgender Community Sub-Committee, with:

- information on needs assessment and gaps in services as these relate to housing and support services for women, non-binary, and transgender community;
- (b) a homelessness policy overview as it pertains to the mandate of the Sub-Committee; and,
- (c) an overview of funding administered through Housing Services
 Division for housing and support services for women, non-binary,
 and transgender community from all levels of government, including
 a five-year historical summary.

(e) ADJOURNMENT (Item 15)

There being no further business, the Expanding Housing and Support Services for Women and Transgender Community Sub-Committee was adjourned at 10:30 a.m.

Respectfully submitted,

Councillor Nrinder Nann Chair, Expanding Housing and Support Services for Women and Transgender Community Sub-Committee

Tamara Bates Legislative Coordinator Office of the City Clerk