

CITY OF HAMILTON

2024

ADVISORY COMMITTEES

BUDGET SUBMISSION FORM

“Indigenous Advisory Committee”

PART A: General Information

ADVISORY COMMITTEE MEMBERS:

Marilyn Wright (Chair)	
Connie Bellamy	
Allan Loft	
Scott Cruickshank	
Patty Lawlor (non-voting)	

MANDATE:

The Indigenous Advisory Committee assists the City of Hamilton to honour and engage its Indigenous citizens in the pursuit of the City's vision by providing advice and/or recommendations, through the appropriate Standing Committee of Council, that enhance the wellbeing of Indigenous people and/or resolve municipal issues.

The Committee supports the City of Hamilton's Urban Indigenous Strategy and the successful and meaningful implementation of its Strategic Actions.

The Committee envisions a future where Hamilton is an inclusive and culturally-aware community, where issues of importance to Indigenous peoples living here are addressed proactively, effectively and respectfully on the municipal agenda.

PART B: Strategic Planning

STRATEGIC OBJECTIVES:

- to assist the City in achieving and demonstrating progress or positive change in support of the equitable economic, social, health and overall wellbeing of Indigenous citizens;
- to provide a forum and mechanism for coordinated dialogue and consultation between and among Indigenous leaders and other stakeholders, acting as a catalyst for the development of positive relationships and open, transparent dialogue between and among the City and these stakeholders; and,
- to offer input, advice and recommendations, through the Audit, Finance & Administration Committee, informed by stakeholder consultation, to support the City in determining effective municipal strategies and/or policies on issues of importance to Indigenous peoples.

ALIGNMENT WITH CORPORATE GOALS:

Please check off which Council approved Strategic Commitments your Advisory Committee supports			
1) Community Engagement & Participation	✓	2) Economic Prosperity & Growth	
3) Healthy & Safe Communities	✓	4) Clean & Green	
5) Built Environment & Infrastructure		6) Culture & Diversity	✓
7) Our People & Performance			

PART C: Budget Request

INCIDENTAL COSTS:

Monthly meeting expenses (refreshments, advertising, signage, postage, photocopying etc.)	
SUB TOTAL	\$1,000.00

SPECIAL EVENT/PROJECT COSTS:

To include: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - National Indigenous Peoples Day and National Day for Truth and Reconciliation/Orange Shirt Day <ul style="list-style-type: none"> o Banner displays o NIPD recognition day event - Support and participation in events co-hosted with the Indigenous Relations team - Support Hamilton's local Indigenous community initiatives where applicable. 	
SUB TOTAL	\$2,552.00
TOTAL COSTS	\$3,552.00
Funding from Advisory Committee Reserve (only available to Advisory Committees with reserve balances)	\$0.00
TOTAL 2024 BUDGET REQUEST (net of reserve funding)	\$3,552.00
PREVIOUS YEAR (2023) APPROVED BUDGET (2023 Request \$3,552.00)	\$3,552.00

CERTIFICATION:

Please note that this document is a request for a Budget from the City of Hamilton Operating budget. The submission of this document does not guarantee the requested budget amount. Please have a representative sign and date the document below.

Representative's Name: _____

Signature: _____

Date: _____

Telephone #: _____