

CITY OF HAMILTON PLANNING AND ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT DEPARTMENT Economic Development Division

то:	Mayor and Members General Issues Committee
COMMITTEE DATE:	July 8, 2024
SUBJECT/REPORT NO:	Westdale Village Business Improvement Area Changes to Board of Management (PED24119) (Ward 1)
WARD(S) AFFECTED:	Ward 1
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RECOMMENDATION

That the following individuals be removed from the Westdale Village Business Improvement Area Board of Management:

- (a) Isha Soni (Pizzaiolo Westdale);
- (b) Biyao Hu (Second Cup Westdale);

That the following individual be appointed to the Westdale Village Street Business Improvement Area Board of Management:

Mohammad Emami (Nannaa Persian Eatery).

EXECUTIVE SUMMARY

Changes to Board Members to the Westdale Village Business Improvement Area Board of Management that includes removal of two Directors and replacing with one Director, adjusting their current compliment from nine to eight Directors.

Alternatives for Consideration – Not Applicable

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FINANCIAL - STAFFING - LEGAL IMPLICATIONS

Financial: Not Applicable.

Staffing: Not Applicable.

Legal: The *Municipal Act 2001*, Sections 204-215 governs Business Improvement

Areas. Section (204) Subsection (3) stipulates "A Board of Management shall

be composed of, (a) one or more Directors appointed directly by the Municipality; and (b) the remaining Directors selected by a vote of the membership of the improvement area and appointed by the Municipality". Section 204 Subsection (12) stipulates "...if a vacancy occurs for any cause, the Municipality may appoint a person to fill the vacancy for the unexpired portion of the term and the appointed person is not required to be a member

of the improvement area."

HISTORICAL BACKGROUND

A meeting of the Board of Management of the Westdale Village Business Improvement Area took place on April 4, 2024. At this meeting, the membership received the resignations of Isha Soni and Biyao Hu from the positions of Director on the Board of Management. At this same meeting the Board approved the appointment of Mohammad Emami the position of Director on the Board of Management to replace the abovementioned resignations.

POLICY IMPLICATIONS AND LEGISLATED REQUIREMENTS

Not Applicable.

RELEVANT CONSULTATION

Not Applicable.

ANALYSIS AND RATIONALE FOR RECOMMENDATION

Not Applicable.

ALTERNATIVES FOR CONSIDERATION

Not Applicable.

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APPENDICES AND SCHEDULES ATTACHED

Not Applicable.