

## Request to Speak to a Committee of Council

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If your request is for a specific committee meeting, this form must be received by NOON the day before the scheduled committee meeting. Requests for Monday meetings must be received by NOON the Friday before the meeting. Requests for meetings scheduled for the day after a statutory holiday must be received by NOON the last business day before the meeting. For summer meeting requests (July/August), please contact the City Clerk's Office at (905) 546-4408 for further information.

### Committee Requested

Kindly indicate which Committee: \*

Planning Committee

If you selected Advisory/Sub-Committee from the above list, please indicate name of Committee:

### Requestor Information

Name of Individual: \* Mike Whaling  
 Name of Organization: Airport Mini Storage  
 Contact Number: \* 905-679-6706  
 Email Address: \* bradie63@hotmail.com  
 Mailing Address: \* Po Box 237 Mount Hope, Ont L0R 1W0  
 Reason(s) for delegation request: \* I have concern with a competition business less than 5km from mine that has been running his business illegally. His business has been closed down & reopen under another name twice in the last 10 years. When looking up his address i have come up with 4 business names/4 different phone numbers. He also is not in compliance with the city of Hamilton by-laws. These issues have been brought up in the past with the city more than once and seems that nothing has been resolved. We have tried working with city Councillors and by-law officers, and the business is still open and running. I have been paying \$28,000+ in taxes every year and trying to compete with a business that has lower taxes. Therefore can keep his prices lower. Now hearing from our ward Councillor that the city is allowing him to work with the city to come into compliance after having been to court at least 3 times with him. I have a problem with the 100+ illegal businesses running in Hamilton area that the city does not go after for taxes, just keeps putting up the taxes on the business that are running.

Will you be submitting a formal presentation? \*  
 Yes  
 No

Are you a lobbyist? \*  
 Yes  
 No

(The information collected for the Lobbyist registry system was implemented by City Council in 2004 and the information provided is on a voluntary basis.)

If your answer is Yes to the lobbyist question, who are you representing? :

Requests to speak to Council are forwarded to the Committee for consideration. Once considered by Committee, and approved, you will be notified of the date for your presentation.

This form is not for the purpose of presenting unsolicited proposals by Vendors to Committee. Such proposals are subject to a competitive process as required by the City's Purchasing Policy.

Personal information collected on this form is authorized under Section 5.10(2) of the City's Procedural By-law No. 10-053 for the purpose of contacting individuals and/or organizations requesting an opportunity to appear as a delegation before a Committee and will be published with the Committee Agenda. The Voluntary Lobbyist Registry is a public document and will be available for viewing in the City Clerk's office. The Procedural By-law is a requirement of Section 238(2) of the Municipal Act. Questions about its collection can be directed to the Manager, Legislative Services / Deputy Clerk, City Hall, 71 Main St. W., Hamilton, ON L8P 4Y5 (905 546-2424 ext. 4304).