

Report to: General Committee Meeting Date: April 6, 2021

SUBJECT: Reporting Out of Real Property Acquisition – 2787 19th Avenue,

Markham

PREPARED BY: Jacqueline Chan, Assistant City Solicitor, Ext. 4745

RECOMMENDATION:

1) THAT the report entitled "Reporting Out of Real Property Acquisition – 2787 19th Avenue, Markham" be received;

- 2) That Staff be authorized and directed to take the actions set out in this report; and
- 3) That the report entitled "Reporting Out of Real Property Acquisition 2787 19th Avenue, Markham" and the foregoing resolutions be reported out at the next public Council meeting.

PURPOSE:

This report provides information on the acquisition of the lands legally described as Part Lot 30, Concession 3, designated as Part 1, Plan 65R-38879, Markham, ("**Property**"), municipally known as 2787 19th Avenue, Markham.

BACKGROUND:

Council previously ratified the execution of an Agreement of Purchase and Sale to acquire the Property.

OPTIONS/ DISCUSSION:

An aerial photograph showing the location of the Property is included as Attachment No. 1. The Property fronts on 19th Avenue, north of Elgin Mills Road and west of Woodbine Avenue, and is approximately 10 acres in size.

The Property was acquired for future municipal uses and is considered to be a strategic land acquisition given its location.

The acquisition transaction was completed on July 13, 2020.

FINANCIAL CONSIDERATIONS

Below is a summary of the Purchase Price, Harmonized Sales Tax and Land Transfer Tax paid for the acquisition of the Property.

	Total	\$ 9,075,475.00
(c)	Land Transfer Tax	\$171,475.00
(b)	HST	\$154,000.00
(a)	Purchase Price	\$8,750,000.00

These funds were paid from Project 20304, Property Acquisition of 2787 19th Avenue, Markham, and funded by the Land Acquisition Reserve Fund.

HUMAN RESOURCES CONSIDERATIONS

Not Applicable.

ALIGNMENT WITH STRATEGIC PRIORITIES:

Not Applicable.

BUSINESS UNITS CONSULTED AND AFFECTED:

The Finance Department has reviewed and approved this report.

RECOMMENDED BY:

Claudia Storto, City Solicitor and

Director of Human Resources

ATTACHMENTS:

Attachment No. 1 Aerial Photo of 2787 19th Avenue