

**Proposed 2017 Water & Wastewater
Public Meeting
November 14, 2016**

MINUTES

Attendance:

Members Present: Councillor Logan Kanapathi, Chair Councillor Amanda Collucci, Vice-Chair Mayor Frank Scarpitti Deputy Mayor Heath Regional Councillor Nirmala Armstrong Regional Councillor Joe Li Councillor Alan Ho Councillor Alex Chiu Councillor Don Hamilton Councillor Valerie Burke Regrets: Regional Councillor Jim Jones Councillor Karen Rea Councillor Colin Campbell	Staff Present: Andy Taylor, Chief Administrative Officer Trinela Cane, Commissioner of Corporate Services Brenda Librecz, Commissioner of Community & Fire Services Jim Baird, Commissioner of Development Services Joel Lustig, Treasurer Andrea Tang, Senior Manager of Financial Planning Veronica Siu, Senior Business Analyst Daphne Ross, Manager of Business Compliance Laura Gold, Council/Committee Coordinator
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The Water & Wastewater Public Meeting convened at 6:05 p.m. with Mayor Frank Scarpitti presiding as Chair.

1. 2017 Proposed Water/Wastewater Rates

Veronica Siu, Senior Business Analyst provided the 2017 Proposed Water/Wastewater Rate presentation.

2. Discussion

A Councillor asked how staff decide which municipalities to compare the water rate with.

Staff advised that the water rate is compared with local municipalities with population comparable to Markham. The same municipalities are typically used when making comparisons.

A Councillor asked what is the number of people in an average household .

Staff advised that the number of people in an average household is not relevant as the water consumption per household is based on total water consumption divided by the number of households..

Moved by Councillor Amanda Collucci

Seconded by Councillor Logan Kanapathi

That the presentation entitled “2017 Proposed Water/Wastewater Rates” be received.

Carried

3. Adjournment

The proposed 2017 Proposed Water/Wastewater Rate presentation adjourned at 6:30 pm.