



**MINUTES**

**MARKHAM SANTA CLAUS PARADE COMMITTEE**  
**ROTARY CLUBS OF MARKHAM**  
**Ontario Room, Markham Civic Centre**  
**November 7, 2016**

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**Attendance**

Jim Sandiford, Rotary Club of Markham Sunrise Inc. - Chair  
Andy Taylor, Chief Administrative Officer  
Councillor Colin Campbell  
Councillor Alan Ho  
Susan Peterson  
George George, Markham Unionville Rotary Club  
Yvonne Buckley Lord, Corporate Communications  
Craig Breen, Supervisor Roads East  
Joel Lustig, Treasurer  
Nikolas Dimitrakopoulos, York Region Police  
Alida Tari, Council/Committee Coordinator

**Regrets**

Peter Still  
Cathy Molloy, Manager Museum

The meeting convened at 4:05 PM with Jim Sandiford in the Chair.

**1. ADOPTION OF THE OCTOBER 6, 2016 MEETING MINUTES**

The October 6, 2016 Markham Santa Claus Parade Committee meeting minutes were approved as presented.

**2. GRAND MARSHALL**

Maxime Brinck-Croteau will be in attendance, and the following are currently pending: Andre De Grasse, Charity Williams, and Sarah Wells. Staff will follow up with the Mayor's office relative to the three pending athletes.

**3. SANTA CLAUS FLOAT**

Operation staff will deliver what is required to the Crupi yard.

#### **4. SPONSORSHIP**

Jim Sandiford advised that he has been in contact with Mattamy Homes regarding a potential sponsorship. He will provide the contact information to Andy and Joel.

#### **5. PAID AND AUXILIARY OFFICERS**

Nikolas Dimitrakopoulos, York Region Police reviewed the times and locations of the road closures. He will forward that information to Operation staff via e-mail.

He advised Jim that he needs to request the following from York Region Police:

- One staffed sergeant (9:30 am to 1:30 pm)
- Eight constables (9:30 am to 1:30 pm)
- Two constables (8:30 am to 1:30 pm)
- One constable with cruiser
- 20 auxiliary officers

#### **6. OTHER BUSINESS**

##### Vehicles

Yvonne will confirm that Dennis has made all arrangements for the Big Reds, BMW and Shuttle Bus.

##### Advertising

It was noted that the advertisement in the Economist & Sun needs to remove the words "free parking"

##### Bands

Jim advised that he spoke to the Chinese Band confirming that they can not hand out any political literature.

#### **ADJOURNMENT**

The meeting adjourned at 4:45 p.m.