

Council Meeting Highlights May 12th, 2025

Next Council Meeting: May 26th, 2025

For the official record, please refer to the minutes which are posted after adoption at the next Council Meeting.

CGMH Strategic Plan and Foundation Fundraising Presentation

Michael Lacroix, CGMH President & CEO and Jory Pritchard-Kerr, President & CEO, CGMH Foundation, presented to Council on the \$100+ million capital fundraising campaign for the new hospital build.

The new hospital will include 132 private patient rooms, expanded specialty clinics and programs and enhanced diagnostic and surgical services.

For details, view their presentation.

Access to Affordable Recreation Policy C.L.E.A.R.

Council approved the Access to Affordable Recreation C.L.E.A.R. Policy. The Community Leisure for Eligibleyouth at Affordable Rates Policy is a fee assistance program that provides support to low-income families and individuals in Clearview Township by providing qualifying participants with recreation credits that can be applied to the registration fee for qualifying programs and activities.

For details, view Report # PCR-008-2025.

EDCO Regional Professional Development RFP Submission

Council approved submitting a proposal to the Economic Developers Council of Ontario (EDCO) for Clearview to host a regional professional development event in 2026. The meetings will be one day in length and attended by 50-70 economic development professionals from both the public and private sector. Council also supported including \$15,000 in the 2026 Economic Development budget to cover event expenses.

For details, view Report # CAO-005-2025.

Strong Mayor Powers Overview

Council received a Strong Mayor Powers
Overview report for information. Effective
May 1, 2025, the Province announced that
Strong Mayor Powers were extended to 169
additional municipalities, including
Clearview Township. Strong Mayor Powers
must be exercised in writing through a
Mayoral decision or directive and must be
made public. A <u>Strong Mayor Powers page</u>
has been created on our website to house
these decisions.

For details, view Report # LS-010-2025.