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Date January 28, 2025 **Report No.** 2025-86
To Mayor and Members of City Council
From Chris Gauthier, City Clerk

1.0 Type of Report

Consent Item
Item For Consideration

2.0 Topic **Clerk's Report on Communication for January 2025**

3.0 Recommendation

THAT the Clerk's Report on Communication for January 2025 BE RECEIVED

4.0 Executive Summary

To receive as part of the Corporate Record, the following communication to the City Clerk:

5.0 Purpose and Overview

To receive as part of the Corporate Record, the following communication to the City Clerk:

5.1 Items received December 13, 2024

1. Association of Municipalities of Ontario (AMO)

- i. AMO Education - Land Use Planning Workshops - Received December 9, 2024

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- ii. AMO Education - Indigenous Community Awareness Training - Received December 10, 2024
 - iii. AMO Education – Apathy to Action: Building Resilient Communities through Managing Assets – Received December 11, 2024
 - iv. AMO Watchfile - Received December 12, 2024
 - v. AMO Policy Update – Homelessness Encampments Legislation - Received December 13, 2024
 - vi. AMO Policy Update – Municipal Codes of Conduct Legislation - Received December 13, 2024

2. Federation of Canadian Municipalities (FCM)

- i. FCM Connect - SCC Savings end on December 13 - Received December 10, 2024

3. Rural Ontario Municipal Association (ROMA)

- i. Roma Events - So Many Great Concurrent at ROMA - Received December 9, 2024

4. Resolutions

- i. Resolution - Northern Ontario Women's Caucus (NOW Caucus) - Arbitrator's Investigation - Received December 10, 2024
- ii. Resolution - Town of Deep River - Ontario Regulation 391-21 Blue Box - Received December 10, 2024
- iii. Resolution - County of Brant - Paramedic Services Draft 2025 Operating Budget - Received December 10, 2024
- iv. Resolution – Township of Oro Medonte – Request for Support – Increase Tile Drain Loan Limit - Received December 11, 2024
- v. Resolution – Municipality of South Huron – Redistribution of Land Transfer Tax and GST – Received December 11, 2024
- vi. Resolution – Township of Cobalt – Resume Assessment Cycle – Received December 11, 2024
- vii. Resolution – Tay Valley Township - Support for the Motion on Sustainable Municipal Funding - Received December 12, 2024
- viii. Resolution – East Ferris Township - Letter to Premier Doug Ford Formally Opposing That Radioactive Material being Transported to the Township of Nairn and Hyman – Received December 12, 2024
- ix. Resolution – Town of Cobalt – Improvements to Catch and Release – Received December 13, 2024
- x. Resolution of Support – Municipality of Wawa – Ambulance Shortage and Healthcare System Issues – Received December 13, 2024
- xi. Resolution of Support – Municipality of Wawa – Billy Bishop Airport – Received December 13, 2024
- xii. Resolution of Support – Township of Elizabethtown-Kitley – Ontario Rural Road Safety Program – Received December 13, 2024

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- xiii. Resolution – City of Belleville – OPP Cost Increases for Small and Rural Municipalities – Received December 13, 2024
 - xiv. Resolution – Township of Puslinch – TAPMO Letter regarding Pre Budget Announcement – Received December 13, 2024
 - xv. Resolution – Township of Puslinch – Redistribution of Land Transfer Tax and Property Sale GST – Received December 13, 2024
 - xvi. Resolution – Township of North Stormont – Redistribution of Land Transfer Tax and Property Sale GST – Received December 13, 2024

5. General Correspondence

- i. Letter of Thanks from Pastor Ray Narula - Received December 9, 2024
- ii. Letter from City of Owen Sound, Town of Hanover and Municipality of West Grey - Request for Equitable Funding for Municipal Policing - Received December 9, 2024
- iii. Minister's Letter to Heads of Council - Code of Conduct – Received December 13, 2024

6. Staff Information Updates

- i. Staff Information Update - Lorne Bridge Removal of 30 Tonne Winter Load Limit - Received December 11, 2024
- ii. Staff Information Update - Brantford Ice Jam Mitigation Class Environmental Assessment Update - Received December 11, 2024
- iii. Staff Information Update - Playground Equipment Removal – Received December 13, 2024

5.2 Items received December 20, 2024

1. Association of Municipalities of Ontario (AMO)

- i. AMO Watchfile - Received December 19, 2024

2. Federation of Canadian Municipalities (FCM)

- i. FCM Connect - Join the climate adaptation Communities of Practice - Received December 18, 2024

3. Grand River Conservation Authority (GRCA)

- i. Application for permission No. 124/24 Pursuant to Ontario Regulation 41/24 to reconstruct a boat launch and install bank protection works at Ballantyne Drive (135 metres west of Spalding Drive) – Received December 19, 2024
- ii. 2025 Grand River Conservation Authority Municipal Apportionment and Budget Vote Meetings - Received December 20, 2024

4. Municipal Property Assessment Corporation (MPAC)

- i. MPAC December 2024 - InTouch - Received December 19, 2024

5. Assessment Review Board

- i. Notice of Decision - Colborne St - Received December 17, 2024

6. Rural Ontario Municipal Association (ROMA)

- i. ROMA 2025 Conference Hotel Savings Deadlines Beginning December 17 - Received December 16, 2024

7. Resolutions

- i. Support for Resolution - Township of East Garafraxa - Regulating Exotic Animals and Licensing Zoos - Received December 16, 2024
- ii. Resolution - Town of Smith Falls - Equity in Funding to Assist in Managing Increasing Costs of Policing - Received December 17, 2024
- iii. Resolution - Police Services Board - 2025 Capital Budget - Received December 17, 2024
- iv. Support for Resolution - Township of Pelee - Redistribution of LTT and GST - Received December 17, 2024
- v. Resolution - Municipality of Port Hope - Redistribution of Land Transfer Tax and GST - Received December 19, 2024
- vi. Support for Resolution - Township of Stone Mills - Redistribution of the Provincial Land Transfer Tax and GST - Received December 19, 2024
- vii. Support for Resolution - Township of Scugog - Redistribution of the Provincial Land Transfer Tax and GST - Received December 19, 2024
- viii. Resolution - City of Guelph - Opposing the Use of the Notwithstanding Clause to Enable Encampment Relocations - Received December 19, 2024

8. General Correspondence

- i. Excess soil regulation – change made to the in-effect date of the landfilling restriction - Received December 18, 2024

9. Staff Information Updates

- i. Staff Information Update - Positive Impacts of Road Diets - Received December 16, 2024

5.3 Items received December 27, 2024

1. Association of Municipalities of Ontario (AMO)

- i. Book Your AMO 2025 Conference Hotel Rooms Beginning January 14 - Received December 23, 2024

2. Grand River Conservation Authority (GRCA)

- i. Application for permission No. 749/24 Pursuant to Ontario Regulation 41/24 to replace a dwelling at 71 Balfour Street – Received December 24, 2024

3. Rural Ontario Municipal Association (ROMA)

- i. ROMA Events - Season's Greetings & ROMA Conference Updates - Received December 23, 2024

4. Resolutions

- i. Support for Resolution - Municipality of Chatham-Kent - Funding for Encampments and Homelessness - Received December 23, 2024
- ii. Resolution - City of Markham - Support for SolvethCrisis.ca Campaign - Received December 23, 2024
- iii. Resolution - Municipality of Kincardine - Property Taxation Implications - Received December 24, 2024
- iv. Resolution - Township of Amaranth - Redistribution of the Provincial Land Transfer Tax and GST - Received December 24, 2024
- v. Resolution - City of Toronto - Paid-Plasma-Free Zone - Received December 24, 2024
- vi. Resolution - Township of South Stormont - Rural Road Safety Program Implementation - Received December 24, 2024
- vii. Resolution - Township of South Stormont - Redistribution of a portion of Land Transfer Tax and Goods and Services Tax to Municipalities - Received December 24, 2024

5.4 Items received January 3, 2025

1. Association of Municipalities of Ontario (AMO)

- i. Book Your AMO 2025 Conference Hotel Rooms Beginning January 14 - Received January 2, 2025

2. Agendas/Minutes

- i. Nov 21 2024 DBBIA Minutes - Received January 2, 2025

5.5 Items received January 10, 2025

1. Association of Municipalities of Ontario (AMO)

- i. AMO Watchfile - Received January 9, 2025
- ii. AMO Policy Update - Reports on Ontario's Homelessness Crisis, Water and Wastewater Utility Feasibility - Received January 9, 2025

2. Rural Ontario Municipal Association (ROMA)

- i. ROMA Events - Register for the 2025 ROMA Conference by January 13 to Save! - Received January 8, 2025

3. Resolutions

- i. Resolution - Town of Kearney - More Homes Built Faster Act, 2022, and the Cutting Red Tape to Build More Homes Act, 2024 - Received January 7, 2025
- ii. Support for Resolution - Northumberland County - Protection of Agricultural Lands and Sustainable Development - Received January 7, 2025
- iii. Support Resolution - Municipality of South Huron - Heritage Advisory Committee - Heritage Preservation - Received January 9, 2025
- iv. Resolution - Town of Aylmer - Oppose Provincial Legislative on Cycling Lanes - Received January 9, 2025
- v. Support for Resolution - Town of Plympton-Wyoming - Improvements to the Catch and Release System - Received January 9, 2025
- vi. Support for Resolution - Town of Plympton-Wyoming - Property Taxation Implication Related to Non-Market Valuation of Electricity Industry Properties - Received January 9, 2025

4. General Correspondence

- i. Update on the Board of Health Governance Structure - Received January 6, 2025
- ii. City of Woodstock Letter of Support - Ontario's Child Welfare Services Sector need for Child Welfare Services Funding - Received January 9, 2025

5. Staff Information Updates

- i. Staff Information Update - Parks and Recreation Master Plan Addendum 2025 - Received January 9, 2025

5.6 Items received January 17, 2025

1. Association of Municipalities of Ontario (AMO)

- i. AMO Events - AMO Conference Hotel Booking Begins Tomorrow - Received January 13, 2025
- ii. AMO Policy Update - AMO 2025 Pre-Budget Submission - Received January 16, 2025
- iii. AMO Watchfile - Received January 16, 2025

2. Federation of Canadian Municipalities (FCM)

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- i. FCM Connect Webinar for small municipalities - Upgrade your community buildings - Received January 14, 2025

3. Grand River Conservation Authority (GRCA)

- i. Application for permission No.782/24 Pursuant to Ontario Regulation 41/24 to reconstruct a road and replace water, sanitary and stormwater servicing at 22 Norwich Street – Received January 13, 2025
- ii. Application for permission No. 741/23 Pursuant to Ontario Regulation 41/24 to construct a 0.26 hectare wetland at 599 Shellard Lane - Received January 13, 2025

4. Municipal Property Assessment Corporation (MPAC)

- i. MPAC's 2024 Municipal Partnership Report - Received January 16, 2025

5. Resolutions

- i. Support for Resolution - County of Frontenac - Tile Drainage Loan Limit - Received January 15, 2025
- ii. Support for Resolution - Municipality of South Huron - TAPMO Letter Regarding Pre-Budget Announcement - Received January 16, 2025
- iii. Resolution - Town of Pelham - Redistribution of the Provincial Land Transfer Tax and GST to Municipalities for Sustainable Infrastructure Funding - Received January 16, 2025
- iv. Support for Resolution - Town of Kearney - Opposition to the Operation of Private for Profit Blood Collection Companies - Received January 17, 2025
- v. Support for Resolution - Town of Kearney - Redistribution of Taxes Collected - Received January 17, 2025
- vi. Support for Resolution - Town of Kearney - Rural Road Safety - Received January 17, 2025

6. General Correspondence

- i. 2025 ARMA Board of Directors Election Candidates Announced - Received January 16, 2025
- ii. 2025 GEPH Board of Health Schedule - Received January 16, 2025
- iii. Update - Proposed regulation regarding Minister's Permit and Review powers under the Conservation Authorities Act - Received January 17, 2025

7. Agendas/Minutes

- i. Dec 19 2024 DBBIA Minutes - Received January 16, 2025

Submitted Respectfully,
Christ Gauthier, City Clerk

Attachments: None

In adopting this report, is a by-law or agreement required? If so, it should be referenced in the recommendation section.

By-law required yes no

Agreement(s) or other documents to be signed by Mayor and/or City Clerk yes no

Is the necessary by-law or agreement being sent concurrently to Council? yes no