COMMITTEE OF THE WHOLE DECEMBER 3, 2007

2008 COUNCIL/SMT STRATEGIC PLANNING WORKSHOP

Recommendation

The City Manager and the Senior Manager of Strategic Planning in consultation with the Chair of the Strategic Planning Committee and Senior Management Team recommends:

1) That Attachment 1- Council/SMT Strategic Planning workshop quotes be received and direction be provided as to the selected location of the April 2-3, 2008 strategic planning workshop.

Economic Impact

Funds are already included in the 2008 operating budget.

Communications Plan

N/A

Purpose

To confirm the 2008 Council/SMT strategic planning workshop meeting location.

Background - Analysis and Options

At the Strategic Planning Committee meeting on November 20, 2007 tentative agreement was given to hold the Council/SMT Strategic Planning workshop on the dates April 2-3, 2008. Subsequent investigation by staff has confirmed the availability of all participants for this date. As can be seen in Attachment 1 a number of locations in Vaughan and neighbouring municipalities have been selected as potential sites for the workshop. It is recommended that a location for the workshop be confirmed.

Relationship to Vaughan Vision 2007

The annual Council/SMT strategic planning workshop is an opportunity to review and discuss the strategic plan document and process.

Regional Implications

N/A

Conclusion

It is appropriate and timely to schedule the location for the April 2-3, 2008 Council/SMT strategic planning workshop in order to initiate planning for the workshop.

Attachments

1. Attachment 1- Council/SMT strategic planning workshop quotes list

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COUNCIL/SMT WORKSHOP QUOTES APRIL $2^{\rm ND}$ & $3^{\rm RD}$, 2008

LOCATION	MUNICIPALITY	COST WITHOUT TAXES (Details) 16 people	TOTAL COST Plus taxes
SHERATON PARKWAY NORTH 600 Hwy 7 East (905)881-2121	RICHMOND HILL	 1 Overnight Stay (April 2nd) \$169/per. \$55.99/per. For breakfast, lunch and room rental Dinner approx. \$70.00/per. 	Approx. \$6400.00
MARKHAM SUITES 7030 Woodbine Avenue 905-470-8500	MARKHAM	 1 Overnight Stay (April 2nd)\$165.0/per. Individual prices for breakfast, lunch, breaks Dinner approx. \$70.00/per. 	Approx. \$7663.60
HILTON TORONTO 145 Richmond Street West (416)860-6814	TORONTO	 1 Overnight Stay (April 2nd) \$179/per. \$80/per. For breakfast, lunch and room rental Dinner approx. \$70.00/per. 	Approx. \$7460.00
HILTON GARDEN INN 3201 Highway 7 West (905)660-4700	VAUGHAN	 1 Overnight Stay (April 2nd) \$140.00/per. For breakfast, lunch and room rental Dinner approx. \$70.00/per. 	Approx. \$5497.00
MARRIOT COURTYARD 11 Interchange Way (905) 695-4200	VAUGHAN	 1 Overnight Stay (April 2nd) \$149/per. For breakfast, lunch and room rental Dinner approx. \$35/per. 	Approx. \$4460.00
MONTE CARLO INN 705 Applewood Crescent (905) 761-7170	VAUGHAN	 1 Overnight Stay (April 2nd) \$109.90/per. For breakfast, lunch and room rental Dinner approx. \$70.00/per. 	Approx. \$4748.00

^{*} Note: Kingbridge Conference Centre is booked April 2-3, 2008