## COMMITTEE OF THE WHOLE - JUNE 23, 2009

# STAFF ATTENDANCE AT A COMMUNITY MEETING

## **Recommendation**

Councillor Bernie DiVona recommends:

That staff from the Planning and Engineering Departments be directed to attend a community meeting with the Ratepayer's Association and the applicant dealing with the development application located at the southwest quadrant of Major Mackenzie Drive and Highway #400, south of the Go Transit Commuter Parking Lot.

# **Contribution to Sustainability**

N/A

# Economic Impact

N/A

# **Communications Plan**

Notice of meeting will be sent via e-mail or regular mail.

# **Purpose**

To provide information to the Vellore Woods Ratepayers' Association.

#### **Background - Analysis and Options**

On December 1, 2008, Council (Public Meeting) considered applications (Files: OP.08.016 and Z.08.062 – 1678573 Ontario Limited) to develop the subject lands for high density residential development. A number of residents appeared at the Public Meeting expressing their concerns about the proposed development. Council at that meeting directed that the applicant meet with the community to engage in further dialogue respecting the applications. The Ratepayer Association has agreed to meet with the applicant to discuss the applications. It would be beneficial to the meeting proceeding if from the Development Planning and Engineering Departments be available to provide information as may be required to facilitate the meeting.

#### Relationship to Vaughan Vision 2020/Strategic Plan

This report is consistent with the priorities previously set by Council and the necessary resources have been allocated and approved.

#### Regional Implications

N/A

## **Conclusion**

The presence of appropriate staff will allow for a more authoritatively-informed meeting.

#### **Attachments**

None

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Respectfully submitted,

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