Attachment 8: Pollinator Advisory Group and Inter-Divisional Pollinator Working Group

Two advisory groups were established to develop the Pollinator Protection Strategy:

1. Pollinator Advisory Group

The strategy was developed with the support and guidance of subject matter experts including conservation biologists, native pollinator specialists, native plant experts, the academic community, beekeepers and concerned non-profit community groups. The individuals below have been instrumental in guiding the development of the Strategy.

Pollinator Advisory Group members:

- Antonia Guidotti, Royal Ontario Museum
- Brock Harpur, York University
- Charlotte de Keyzer, University of Toronto
- Clement Kent, York University and Master Gardener
- Dave Barr, Toronto Field Naturalists
- Gillian Leitch, Landscape Designer and Beekeeper
- Jode Roberts, David Suzuki Foundation
- Jodi Lastman, Park People
- Kathleen Law, Pollinator Partnership
- Liat Margolis, University of Toronto
- Lorraine Johnson, Native Plant Expert
- Oliver Cuoto, Toronto Beekeepers Collective
- Sarah Hedges, Ontario Nature
- Scott MacIvor, University of Toronto
- Sheila Colla, York University
- Vicki Wojcik, Pollinator Partnership

2. Inter-Divisional Pollinator Working Group

The City recognizes that protecting Toronto's pollinators requires a City-wide approach that applies across multiple divisions. This group consists of City staff from the following divisions and agencies:

- Environment and Energy
- Parks, Forestry and Recreation
- City Planning
- Transportation Services
- Toronto Water
- Toronto Public Health
- Solid Waste Management
- Tower & Neighbourhood Revitalization
- Facilities and Real Estate
- Waterfront Toronto
- Toronto and Region Conservation