

Appointments to Business Improvement Area Boards of Management

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To: Toronto & East York Community Council

From: General Manager, Economic Development and Culture

Wards: Beaches-East York, Davenport, Parkdale-High Park, Spadina-Fort York, Toronto Centre, Toronto-Danforth, Toronto-St. Paul's, University-Rosedale

SUMMARY

Toronto and East York Community Council has delegated authority to appoint and remove directors from the boards of Businesses Improvement Areas (BIAs) that fall within its geographic boundaries.

The purpose of this report is to appoint directors to the Boards of Management of thirty-eight (38) Business Improvement Areas that fall within the Toronto and East York Community Council boundaries for the new term of Council and make necessary changes to Schedule A of the Municipal Code, Chapter 19.

RECOMMENDATIONS

The General Manager, Economic Development and Culture recommends that Toronto and East York Community Council:

1. In accordance with the City's Public Appointments Policy, appoint the following nominees to the Business Improvement Area Boards of Management set out below at the pleasure of Toronto and East York Community Council, and for a term expiring at the end of the term of Council or as soon thereafter as successors are appointed:

Baby Point Gates:
Babiak, Theodore
Harris, Francine
Skarlatakis, Gus
Stapleton, Jared
Tomaszewski, Kate
Tutko, Katharine
Valenza, Joe

The Beach:
Cockfield, James
Gabriele, Rick
Gillespie, Marg
Khosh-Ghalb, Mohammad
Laforge, Lise
Maida, Patrizia
Pratt, Carl

Bloor By The Park:
Alfaro, Nelson
Arcadi, James
Guca, Karen
Kim, Ahnan
Strods, John

Bloor West Village:
Brown, Jennifer
Carter, Bianca
Cote, Wesley
Klufas, Jurij
Medarevic, Alexandra
Sydoruk, Natalie

Bloor-Yorkville:
Campisi, Melissa
Carman, Daniel
Chruszez, Christena
Fernandes, Guida
Homer, David
Iafrate, Nadia
Janssen, Charlotte
Kolber, Samuel
Lovekin, Valentine
Motz, Michael
Palmer, Ron
Rabideau, Joy
Stuart, Alex

Bloordale Village:
Couto, Oliver
Lukashevsky, Liza
Mazis, Harrison
Park, Matthew
Tsourounakis, Niki

Broadview Danforth:

Carrel, Toby
Khan, Shan
Ellimam, Amr
Kocev, Philip
Stortchak, Albert
Wright, Cameron

Cabbagetown:

Junior, Patty
Lafazanis, Tony
Megly, Daniel
Michaud, Gerald
Renieris, Bill
Stratton, David
Waldock, Tania

Chinatown:

Chen, Benny
Chen, David
Chen, Eddy
Choo, Wai Ling
Jiang, Jian Ying
Kong, Tony
Kwok, Johnny Walker
Louie, Christina
Louie, Tonny
Mok, Robert
Pho, Vi Yung
Toy, Chang
Yam, Polly
Yam, Raymond
Yang, Jing Xiang

Church-Wellesley Village:

MacRae, Keir
Pratt, George
Ross, Aleksander
Skellas, Mike
Tayara, Monty
Tebruegge, Peter

CityPlace and Fort York:

Brown, Adam
Ghelichkhani, Mohsen
Kam, Michelle
Medeiros, Sandy
Smith, Ian
Topliffe, Justin Jesse

College Promenade:

Fass, Julie
Giavedoni, Paola
Miller, Tara
Paul, Frank
Rapp, Julia

Corso Italia:

Balodis, Alex
Bianco, Aniello
Bianco, Silvia
Deleo, John Paul
DiSapia, Mike
Lamanna, Connie
Lamanna, John
McIntosh, Kevin
Monaco, Leo
Rickett, Chris
Tomei, Robert
Vivacqua, Ellen

Downtown Yonge:

Ashfield, Carrie
Grass, Jennifer
Housez, Robert
Jennings, Sheila
Lalani Jr., Al
Liu, Alan
Logar, Bill
Mah, Stephanie
McAllister, Dan
Rahma, Najib
Smyth, Erin
Wray, Martin

Financial District:

Bardyn, Michael
Baweja, Chetan
Bouffard, Jameson
Hardy, Kevin
Kotsopoulos, Savvas
Pennock, Scott
Ross, Colin
Snell, Mike
Wedlock, Ashley
Wong, Denise

Forest Hill Village:
Chaim, Daniel
Houlachan, James
Lipse, Joshua
McDonald, Rachel
Snir, Tzvi

Gerrard India Bazaar:
Alibhai, Gulshan
Jandoo, Inder
Kapoor, Chandrakar
Khorana, Gurdip
Mahtani, Govind
Patel, Mit
Singh, Chandan

Greektown on the Danforth:
Carnevale, Joey
Christodoulou, Chris
Dagenais, Robb
Gabel, Eddie
Hadjis, John
Karamitsos, Nicholas
Menchella, Vince
Pethakas, Tony
Segura, Sandra
Sgouromitis, Tom
Sotiropoulos, Charalambe
Thomas, Anna
Voidonicolas, Constantine
Zias, Bill

Hillcrest Village:
Allagas DaSilva, Kathy
Cappella, Beau
Chang, Jaclyn
Chawla, Harsh
Chee, Robert
Hannah, Dr. Heather
Lista, Joncarlo
Zenel, Orvin

Junction Gardens:
DiBernardo, Janet
Elliott-Armstrong, Kiyo
Lee, Jyhling
Phillips, Heather
Solnik, Manny
Yurchuk, Dan

Kensington Market:

Aarts, Anthony
Bang, Gwen
Bareket, Mika
Beaver, David
Henton, Victoria
Kennedy, Nikki
Krulicki, Jason
Oghabi, Yashar
Ozery, Alon
Shepherd, Michael

Liberty Village:

Arbez, Charles
Atkins, Chris
Bourolias, Gregory
Chase, Kendell
Fraser, Chris
Hahn, Ben
Vilvanathan, Praveen
Weir, Sandy
Wilkins, Chris

Little Italy:

Aguiar, Edgar
Bertucci, Alessandro
Galipo, Maria
Hiu, Richard
Konstantinidis, Konstantinos
Lombardi, Leny
Mancuso, Anita
Mastrangelo, Connie
Paina, Corrado
Pridham, Gordon
Santino, Sam
Tindall, Clifford

Little Portugal Toronto:

Bowring, Shaun
Jenkins, Tracy
Kurina, Alex
Ladeira, Carolina
Silveira, Roger
Slootsky, Zach
Taborda, Anabela
Tavares, Benito
Toral, Matthew

Midtown Yonge:
Del Bianco, Fabiana
Gittins, Jennifer
Kaur, Rashmeet
Lianos, Dean
Pelletier, Paul
Schwarz, Jayson
Sideris, Diana

Mirvish Village:
Burchell, Brian
Chen, Jessie
Cloutis, Tim
Klein, Jennifer

Oakwood Village:
Dileo, Joanne
Di Renzo, Paulette
Jimenez, Mauricio
Lockett, Sarah
Peters, Jeffrey
Rosenbaum, Sam
Salituro, Leslie
Tezazu, Melake
Zwicker, Mark

Ossington Avenue:
Chalmers, Scott
Chouinard, Renee
Dragnea, Kristina
Gillies, Ian
Lieu, Amanda
Potter, Nicolette
Santino, Laura

Regal Heights Village:
Bundi, Tannis
Ducka, Maria
Madigan, Philippa
Nguyen-Marshall, Xuan
Tarantino, Marcello

Riverside District:
Davidson, Ellen
Korman, Mitch
McRuvie, Adrienne
Meirovici, David
Reynolds, Georgia
Sideris, Diana
Towers, Athena
Varjacic, Natasha
Watson, Dave
Zeldin, Jamie

Roncesvalles Village:
Chowmentowski, Andrew
Krupowicz, Andrew
Langley, Adam
Nycz, Katarzyna
Taylor-Vaisey, Bryce

Rosedale Main Street:
Agucci, Marissa
Cheung, Michael
Davis, Laura
Dydula, Paul
Fillcoff, Rose
Hahn, Alex
Mammoliti, Anna
Pfanzelt, Tracy

St. Clair Gardens:
Capocci, Rose
Garzelli, Mary
Loconte, Serafina
Militello, Connie
Molla, Moni
Riahinejad, Cynthia
Signorile, Rocky
Tavora, Carlos

St. Lawrence Market Neighbourhood:
Berinzon, Marian
Buckareff, Julie
Clarke, Jane
Cruickshank, Michael
Hnatiw, Graham
Milbrandt, George
Rennicks, John
Spector, Sara
Tootikian, Armen

Toronto Downtown West:

Aldridge, James
Emory, Michael
Geddes, Oliver
Gitalis, Simon
Hassenstein, Lorenz
Kane, Maya
Kelley, David
Maggisano, Veronica
Scott, Deborah
Turney, Sarah
Weyland, Laura

The Waterfront:

Bober, Suzanne
Brenner, Jeff
Clark, Shey
Currie, Kevin
Dunn, Pat
Halkias, Kristian
Kwok, Anson
Lalonde, Nathalie
Medeiros, Tony
Meslin, Gil
Middleton, Rosie
Nazarian, Armen
Schliemann, Udo
Sritharan, Junior
Tay, Beverly

West Queen West:

Drayton, Tao
Gajdel, Djanka
Lipari, Steven
Mawhinney, Janet
Nirenberg, Ilana
Rampen, Chris
Von Lichtenberg, Doc
Wright, Janet

Wychwood Heights:

Diodati, Tony
Nematy, Safa
Saenz, Maria

2. Direct that Schedule A of the Municipal Code Chapter 19, Business Improvement Areas, be amended by changing the number of directors of the following Boards of Management:

Chinatown	17
Downtown Yonge	14
Greektown on the Danforth	15

FINANCIAL IMPACT

There are no current or known future year financial impacts arising from the recommendations contained in this report.

The Chief Financial Officer and Treasurer has reviewed this report and agrees with the information as presented in the Financial Impact Section.

DECISION HISTORY

According to Municipal Code Chapter 19, appointments to BIA Boards of Management expire with the term of Council. In an election year, BIAs are required to elect nominees for appointment for the next Board of Management term at an Annual General Meeting (AGM).

To date, thirty-eight (38) BIAs within the Toronto and East York Community Council area have held Annual General Meetings (AGMs), elected Boards of Management for the 2023-2026 Council term, and submitted Applications for Nomination to the BIA Office. Toronto and East York Community Council has authority to appoint these nominees.

In some cases, BIAs have voted to alter the size of their Board of Management. Amendments are required to Schedule A of Municipal Code Chapter 19, to update the number of directors of each BIA Board of Management.

COMMENTS

There are fifty-four (54) BIAs within the geographic area of the Toronto and East York Community Council. This report recommends appointments to thirty-eight (38) BIAs that have held their 2022 Annual General Meetings and elected directors to their Boards of Management. Applications for Nomination have been provided to the BIA Office for each of the nominees in accordance with the Municipal Code.

The nominees listed in Recommendation 1 meet the requirements for membership of a BIA Board as set out in Chapter 19 of the Municipal Code.

Of the remaining sixteen (16) BIAs, fifteen (15) will be included in a subsequent report and one (1), Historic Queen East, is inactive.

Council members are appointed by right-of-office to the boards of BIAs in their wards.

In some instances, the number of nominees elected by the BIA membership is fewer than the number of directors of the board specified in Chapter 19, Schedule A, resulting in vacant positions. The appointments to these vacant positions will be addressed in subsequent reports.

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