

Agenda: June 15, 2022

# Toronto Local Appeal Body Business Meeting No. 37

Meeting Date: Wednesday, June 15, 2022, 9:30 a.m. Location: Electronic via City of Toronto Web Conferencing

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## Q2 TLAB Public Business Meeting - June 15, 2022

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Toronto Local Appeal Body – Public Business Meeting

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### **Aboriginal Land Acknowledgement**

We acknowledge the land we are meeting on is the traditional territory of many nations including the Mississaugas of the Credit, the Anishnabeg, the Chippewa, the Haudenosaunee and the Wendat peoples and is now home to many diverse First Nations, Inuit and Métis peoples. We also acknowledge that Toronto is covered by Treaty 13 with the Mississaugas of the Credit.

Confirmation of Minutes – Business Meeting, March 4, 2022, and Special Business Meeting, May 4, 2022

Declaration of Interest under the Municipal Conflict of Interest Act

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## 37.1 TLAB PUBLIC GUIDE - REVISION

#### Summary

At its Q1 2022 Business Meeting on March 4, 2022, the TLAB adopted a Motion directing that staff revise the TLAB's Public Guide in consultation with the Chair and Vice-Chair, with input and comment received from Members at that Meeting, along with suggestions put forward by FoNTRA in their letter to the Tribunal dated December 9, 2021. The Motion also directed that the revised Public Guide be tabled at the next Business Meeting.

The revised Public Guide is being brought forward to allow the TLAB Members an opportunity to review and adopt the revised document, subject to any additional comments or suggestions for Administration to incorporate if necessary.

Motion to be considered:

THAT the TLAB adopt the revised Public Guide and direct Staff to upload the Guide to the TLAB website.

#### **Supporting Documents**

Revised Public Guide

### 37.2 – PROPOSED REVISIONS TO TLAB'S DECISION WRITING TEMPLATE

#### Summary

At the Q1 2022 Business Meeting on March 4, 2022, the Chair brought forward a draft decision-writing template for discussion purposes. The TLAB adopted a Motion that directed the Chair and Vice-Chair to develop a revised template.

The Chair will introduce a revised decision-writing template based on the discussion and comments/suggestions from Members received at the last Business Meeting, to allow the Members an opportunity to review and adopt the revised template, subject to any additional comments or suggestions.

#### Motion to be considered:

THAT the TLAB adopt the revised Decision Writing template presented by the Chair at the June 15, 2022, Q3 Business Meeting and that TLAB Staff be directed to revise the current template accordingly.

## **Supporting Documents**

Revised draft Decision Writing Template

### 37.3 – DRAFT PRACTICE DIRECTION #7

#### Summary

A draft Practice Direction 7 relating to a procedure for handling the late filing of submissions was discussed at the Q1 2022 Business Meeting on March 4, 2022. The Members adopted a Motion that the Chair and Vice-Chair, in consultation with the Tribunal's external legal counsel, draft revised wording for Practice Direction 7 and bring that forward for consideration at a future Business Meeting.

The Chair will introduce revised, draft wording for a Practice Direction (#7) for consideration by the Members. The TLAB may go in to a closed (In-camera) session to obtain legal opinion from the Tribunal's external legal counsel.

### **Supporting Documents**

**Draft Practice Direction #7** 

## 37.4 - CHAIR'S UPDATE

#### Summary

- a) Proposed Update to the City of Toronto Code of Conduct for Boards and Tribunals
- b) Status of the TLAB Chair's 2022 Annual Report
- c) Update on TLAB Member Education Session 2022
- d) Appointment of Additional New TLAB Members in 2022
- e) Chair & Vice-Chair's Meeting with the Deputy City Manager

#### **Supporting Documents**

N/A

## 37.5 – SUPERVISOR AND MANAGER'S UPDATE

#### **Summary**

Tribunals, Local Appeal Body Supervisor and Court Operations, Tribunals, Manager provide administrative updates.

- a) Motion from the Q1 2022 Business Meeting RE Opportunities for accessing corporate software, and training opportunities, and to receive City IT support in this regard
- b) Health & Safety/ Facility

### **Supporting Documents**

N/A

## 37.6 - MEMBER ACCOUNTABILITY (IN-CAMERA)

#### **Summary**

The TLAB will go into a closed session to discuss an issue regarding an identified Member as permitted by S.11(1)(c) of the Tribunal's Procedure By-law 1-2017.

### **Supporting Documents**

N/A

## 37.7 – SCHEDULE OF TLAB BUSINESS MEETINGS – 2022

## 37.8 – CLOSING BUSINESS & REMARKS

## Adjournment