

Meeting Minutes

Friday, May 8, 2026, 10:00 AM – 12:30 PM
Committee Room #3, 2nd floor, Toronto City Hall
100 Queen St. W, Toronto, ON M5H 2N2

Attendees:

Gabriel Eidelman	Nick Vlahos	Tim Grant
Bruce Ryder	Kowmitha Satkunarajan	David Del Grande
Patricia Wood	Bashir Kamugo	
Zain Kurram	Nicole Grijalva	

Regrets:

Oksana Ermolenko

City Manager's Office staff:

James Lapierre, Deputy Chief of Staff
Sonali Chakraborti, Sr Consultant
Brendan Nolan, Consultant
Subashna Moktan, Research Associate
Kate Strazds, Administrative Assistant

1. Recap from Co-Chairs

- Co-Chairs provided a review of previous discussions and activities of MAPAB Working Groups (WGs) since the last meeting.

2. Honoraria

- City Manager's Office staff provided an update on how MAPAB members' honoraria will be processed.

3. Overview of Report Transmission

- City Manager's Office staff provided an overview to MAPAB members of the next steps in the transmission of the MAPAB's report once it is submitted to the City Manager, and when the City Manager transmits it to City Council, through its Executive Committee.

3. Discussion about the draft MAPAB report – finalization

- MAPAB Working Group members reviewed the report's draft Executive Summary, Chapter recommendations and key takeaways.

4. Next Steps and Scheduling

- Co-Chairs will make changes discussed at the meeting as part of MAPAB's report finalization and submission to the City Manager.
- City Manager's Office agreed to provide copy editing support to MAPAB to assist in the report finalization process.

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