

To: Members of General Committee

From: Mayor Diane Therrien

Meeting Date: March 11, 2019

Subject: Report COU19-001

Council Appointments to Boards and Committees

## **Purpose**

A report recommending the appointment of Members of Council to various Boards and Committees.

## Recommendations

That Council approve the recommendations outlined in Report COU19-001 dated March 11, 2019, of the Mayor, as follows:

That the appointment of Members of Council to Board and Committees for a term ending November 30, 2019, be approved as follows:

- a) Peterborough Green Up Councillor Riel
- b) Showplace Performing Arts Centre Councillor Pappas
- c) Market Hall Performing Arts Centre Councillor Clarke
- d) Canadian Canoe Museum Councillor Baldwin
- e) Joint Services Steering Committee (JSSC) Mayor Therrien (to replace Councillor Baldwin)

## **Budget and Financial Implications**

There are no budget or financial implications as a result of this report.

## **Background**

Peterborough GreenUp, the Canadian Canoe Museum and Showplace had Council Members appointed to their Boards until 2014.

Peterborough GreenUp, a local environmental organization, was formally established in 1992. In 1996 the province cut funding and the City of Peterborough and the Peterborough Utilities Group provided essential funding. GreenUp now secures funding from various sources and also provides fee-for-service programs. The City continues to fund GreenUP through the Community Service Grant Program.

Showplace Performance Centre was established in 1996 and has a mission to present, promote and sustain the preforming arts and encourage and support active community involvement. Showplace is a non-profit charitable organization which relies on fundraising, grants, memberships and donations.

Market Hall Performing Arts Centre is a non-profit charitable organization which has been in operation since 1998. Market Hall receives support from the City, the province and Service Canada and other organizations.

The Canadian Canoe Museum was founded in 1997 and is a private not-for-profit organization with charitable status. Fundraising is underway to build a new museum adjacent to the Lift Lock. Council committed in December 2017 to provide \$4 million in capital funding for the new facility with contributions paid in increments over eight years starting in 2019.

It was determined at the Joint Services Steering Committee meeting in January that both the Warden of the County and the City Mayor should be on the Committee. Given the nature of some of the matters that are anticipated to be coming before JSSC this year the participation of these individuals is necessary. Councillor Baldwin has gratefully offered to step down from JSSC to make his seat available to the Mayor.

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