



Inter-Governmental Affairs Committee Meeting Agenda

Monday, April 13, 2026, 4:00 p.m.

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1. Inter-Governmental Affairs Committee Meeting 02-2026

Chair: Councillor Trevor Giertuga

2. Members

Mayor Ken Boshcoff

Councillor Mark Bentz

Councillor Shelby Ch'ng

Councillor Kasey Etreni

Councillor Trevor Giertuga

3. Officials

John Collin, City Manager

Krista Power, Director of Legislative Services & City Clerk

Jeff Walters, Manager - Legislative Services & Deputy City Clerk

Leanne Lavoie, Executive Administrator

4. Resource Persons

Larry Joy, Policy Assistant to the Mayor

Jamie Taylor, CEO – CEDC

Michelle Williams, Manager – Communications & Public Relations

5. Disclosures of Interest

6. Agenda Approval

WITH RESPECT to the April 13, 2026 meeting of the Inter-Governmental Affairs Committee, we recommend that the agenda as printed, including any additional information and new business, be confirmed.

7. Confirmation of Previous Minutes

The Minutes of Meeting 01-2026 of the Inter-Governmental Affairs Committee, held on March 9, 2026, to be confirmed.

THAT the Minutes of Meeting 01-2026 Inter-Governmental Affairs Committee, held on March 9, 2026, be confirmed.

8. Association of Municipalities of Ontario (AMO) Conference 2026

The 2026 AMO Conference will take place in Ottawa, Ontario August 16-19, 2026. Committee to determine which committee members will attend the conference.

WITH RESPECT to the 2026 AMO Conference, being held August 16-19, 2026 in Ottawa, Ontario, we recommend that all expenses for this conference be paid for

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AND THAT these expenses be paid through the Inter-Governmental Affairs Committee budget.

9. Lakehead Region Conservation Authority Update

Technical Briefing titled Improving Ontario's Conservation Authority System, dated March 10, 2026, providing an update on the consolidation of Ontario's conservation authorities, for information.

10. Protecting Local Voice in Public Education

Correspondence from Ellen Chambers, Trustee - Lakehead District School Board, dated March 21, 2026 requesting Council's support in reaffirming the essential role of locally elected public school trustees as the primary community voice in public education.

This item has been added to the IGAC agenda at the request of Councillor Shelby Ch'ng.

11. New Business

12. Next Meeting

The next regular Inter-Governmental Affairs Committee meeting is scheduled for May 11, 2026 at 5:00 p.m. in the McNaughton Room, 3rd Floor City Hall.

13. Adjournment