

City of Mississauga Legislative Services 300 City Centre Dr. Mississauga

Thursday, December 9, 2021

Diana,

The Port Credit BIA advises of changes to our Executive Board effected immediately -

Jake Pedler and Nina Tsougios have resigned as Chair and Vice Chair and the Port Credit BIA Board has appointed John Pappas as Chair and Ann Ivy Male as Vice Chair as replacements to complete the remainder of the term until November 14, 2022.

Please let us know if you have any questions and/or comments.

Best wishes,

Natasha MacKinnon

Operations Manager

Dianne Dela Cruz

Business Development Manager

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	Port Credit BIA		MINUTES
	Board Meeting	Wednesday, Sept 30, 6:30pm	Virtual Meeting
Board Members	Jake Pedler, Nina Tsougios, Brenda McGarrell, Ric Cooper, Councillor Stephen Dasko, John Pappas, Ann Ivy Male, Scott Higginson		
Staff	Beatrice Moreira-Laidlow, Natasha Mackinnon, Dianne Dela Cruz		
Minutes by	Natasha Mackinnon		
Item #	Item Description		
1	Call to Order - 6:30pm		
2	Declaration of Pecuniary Interest		
3	Additions to and approval of	Agenda	
	Moved by Ric Cooper; Second	d by: Nina Tsougios	
4	Discussion and/or acceptance of Minutes from the Board Meeting held on Wed, July 29, 2020		
5	Moved by Nina Tsougios; Sec	ond by: Ann Ivy Male	
	 Overall patio program Board in favor to pati Positive feedback fro Stephen to meet with Pitch idea #1: Cars pawith a PCBIA tent set Pitch idea #2: Cars sc Decision made to kee The Queen Bea's Loo Education programs in 2021 will be availa Action Decision made to loo meeting, Oct 28 or Yee 	tension season until Nov 15 n extension raised at Council io extension m attendees and businesses re: Class n Ron Star re: launch of Cars Show in arked on Mainstreet and Elmwood Lo up on Friday & Saturday attered all around Memorial Park on ep the campaign to Classic Cars Thurs kout approved by Council provided by the City of Mississauga f ble k at available dates for Classic Cars e	2021 of on North and South side 1 Saturday in July sdays hosted on Thursdays or businesses to stay opened event during next board
6	Chair's Report – Jake Pedler Dropped off 20k STP Dropped off \$2,500 c East Village Committee Committee consists of There are a lot of fun	cheque to Compass Food Bank heque to Tom & Rick Show ee from by Ann, currently in the plan of shares ideas and initiatives ds that were not used this year – An BIA, stay with the BIA, Stephen to g	ning stages for next year. update that funds which

7 Committee Reports

Financials – Brenda

- Provided a written report
- Year to date, actuals, and balance
- Provided P&L and Balance Sheet
- \$20k left under sponsorship and grants
- We are in great standing with Budget

Beautification – Natasha

- STEPS Initiative 11 located throughout our Mainstreet on the East and West of our Village
- Jake and Tash met with Tom and his team for Mural on LCBO wall on Elmwood Lot, current stages: waiting for a contract from LCBO. 2 artists currently designing artwork, final piece moving forward decided by board
- Nisreen Art hired complete 3 cement circles: 2 beside Elmwood lot and 1 in front of Pixieblue Studio, total payment \$1,200 (\$600 for large, \$300 x 2 for half circles)
- Discussions for potential mural walls: Firestone Shaw & Lakeshore, Under Lighthouse by the water – check with Reality Services, LaVilla Bakery and Options Printing – private property, need to obtain contact and; Stavebank and Lakeshore white wall – Stephen to update
- Illuminate the port supplier Visualize IT

Action

- Tash explore mural opportunities with board members assistance
- Tash to submit grant to PCCF and Brightwater

Marketing - Ann/Natasha

- STP \$20K target reached
- STP website updated with cheque presentation, current press release and under pressure video
- Phase 2 on hold, discussion of always including a charity component to the initiative
- Partnership with InSauga for our Take A Left Campaign Currently have an article and video out on their website, Facebook and Instagram network
- Classic Cars Thursdays extended 2 additional weeks in September managed by Southside Shuffle
- Great response from businesses re: The Social Media Series DinelN, ShoplN, ExplorelT, etc. Goal: Launch one video per month
- New Website Overall design approved, current stage: Inputting business database

Action

Send database to eSolutions and approve loop video created by Jeff Jones

Safety & Security – John

- Feedback from was positive, acknowledged that it was a great program
- Safety of our members and community is very important, unanimous vote to keep police officers on
- Duty police actual BIA cost was \$36,312 vs. budgeted cost \$15,000 Reason: did not ask restaurants to pitch in this year due to pandemic

Action

• Jake and John to investigate the expansion of the program

	Construction to the Manual Construction	
	Sponsorship – Jake/Natasha	
	 Stephen Uiraney to submit a grant application for gallery opening at Archtop of pandemic photos 	
	Action	
	Submit grant application to BIA office	
	Policies – Brenda McGarrell	
	No updates on policies for this month	
8	Staff Report	
	Beatrice - Natasha – Dianne	
	Submitted written report.	
	Other Business	
	illuminate the Port	
	AGM 2020 Discussion	
	Decision to have a Virtual Meeting or Socially distanced hosted at Clark Hall	
	 More discussion next board meeting, Oct 30th 	
Ex-Board Members Discussion		
	Lydia Ordoez-Nies and Claudette Edwards stepped down	
	New Board Members joining	
	Collective agreement for no new members until 2021	
	Staffing	
	Discussions from Natasha and Dianne that the workload is heavy and exceeds	
	the initial job descriptions. Ask from staff to consider a change in titles and	
	salaries	
	Dianne to be promoted to full time within a management role	
	Natasha to be promoted to management with a title change	
	Discussions by board held after staff left the meeting	
	Action	
	 Vote to move forward with the change in structure and grant staff 	
9	with requested changes	
10	Adjournment	
	Motion:	
	John Pappas Moved that the meeting be adjourned at 9:10pm	
	Second by: Nina Tsougios	
	Carried	

Next Board meeting Wednesday Oct 28, 2020 – 6:30pm

	Port Credit BIA Minutes		
	Board Meeting Wednesday, Feb 24 2021 6:30pm Virtual Meeting		
Board	Jake Pedler, Nina Tsougios, Brenda McGarrell, Ric Cooper, Councillor Stephen Dasko,		
Members	John Pappas, Ann Ivy Male, Scott Higginson		
Staff	Natasha Mackinnon, Dianne Dela Cruz		
Guests	Lucie Zima, Julia Chatterji, Wassim Alroz		
Minutes by	Natasha Mackinnon		
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1	Call to Order - 6:33pm		
2	Declaration of any Conflict of Interest		
3	Additions to and approval of Agenda		
	Moved by Ann Ivy Male; Second by: Ric Cooper		
4	Discussion and/or acceptance of Minutes from the Board Meeting held on Wed, Jan 27 2021		
	Moved by Nina Tsougios; Second by: Brenda McGarrell		
5	 A Save The Port Committee has been formed to Keep the Port in Port Credit Committee which has two 2 sub committees. Jake Pedler appointed Chair of the Advocacy Committee which also includes PCBIA staff members Natasha Mackinnon and Dianne Dela Cruz, and PCBIA Board Member John Pappas. Mary Ellen Bench appointed Chair of the Financial Committee. Councillor continues to advocate for Main Street businesses to open and for Port Credit to head into Red Zone Councillor requested and confirmed Jake Pedler and John Pappas to speak to a business renewal license report (if needed). A copy of the report to be provided to PCBIA board. Lakeshore East Corridor Review from Seneca Ave. to East Toronto boarder launched Tuesday, Feb 23, 2021. John inquired if the Bus transit land design can be changed as it does not fit with the lane way parking concept. Design was inherited before Councillor's time and confirmed that City Staff are working on BRT + Red Tape design to be linked to bus connection. Environmental assessment for pedestrian cycling bridge launching in March 2021. Chair's Report – Jake Pedler 		
6	 Echoing the importance of Save The Port Committee to keep the Marina in Port Credit. Importance of advocating along with other Mississauga BIA's as we are stronger with strength in numbers. Launch of East Village Think Tank in March 2021 headed by Ann Ivy Male to generate more traction to the east end of our Village. Mention of the Associate Businesses to be considered for PCBIA. Businesses that want to be include/shown interest and have been involved. 		

7 Committee Reports

Financials

- Detailed report provided
- PCBIA Annual Budget was approved by PCBIA Board via email and send to the City of Mississauga's Financial Department.

Beautification

- Detailed report provided
- The Beautification Committee agreed the primary focus for Main Street Public Art initiatives in 2021 include LCBO mural, Indwell mural, Giant Muskoka chair, and regular sized Muskoka chairs distributed evenly around the BIA.

Marketing

- Detailed report provided
- Support The Port website to be redesigned and relaunch to outline how and where to use gift cards.
- PCBIA Marketing Committee to create generic STP posters to share with participating businesses.
- PCBIA Marketing Committee guided UNITY in the Community to the right resources and offered a booth in our Farmers Market to sell merch + communication on our socials/newsletters. PCBIA to use the tagline 'UNITY in the Community' tagline for our reopening street party.

Advocacy

- No report provided
- John + his brother have a meeting with Minister Prabmeet Singh Sarkaria to discuss gaps in the system for Small Business support.

Safety & Security

- Voted and increased paid police officers' program to \$10k totaling the overall budget for 2021 to \$35k. The focus for this increase is for the PCBIA to cover all costs of policing on our Main Street to help prevent crime, increase foot patrols + cruisers, deal with break and entry issues and protect our Port Credit brand.
- Officers to fill out a Duty report after their shift and report this information to the Safety and Security Committee.
- Program begins in June, hours TBC due to zoning.

Sponsorship

- Received submissions from Southside Shuffle, Mississauga Marathon, Ryan Brown Illusionist, Mississauga Waterfront Festival, Paint The Town Red. Pending submission from Mississauga Music Walk of Fame.
- No submission from Buskerfest.
- Sponsorship Committee to meet in March to discuss allocating funding.

Policies

- Amendment made to Policy 1-01 in reference to Board Members and motion was passed and carried in 2017.
- Associate Members
 Jake made a motion to amend the Associate Member policy that states that no duplicate businesses or competition can enter our BIA boundary.
 Discussion

Brenda confirmed Jake's reference was an outdated 2012 policy and advised that the updated policy from 2017 states that more than one business listing to be included within one commercial space.

AGM

Board of Management as part of the constitution must have the date, place and time secured and distributed to members + landlords for the AGM meeting.

Notice must be given to all members 14 days prior to the scheduled date as a final reminder.

Action:

 Brenda to provide the Dianne with updated policies to be placed on letterheads + filed.

8 Staff Report

Natasha – Dianne

Detailed reports provided

9 Other Business

Associate Members

- Interested businesses include: Stonehooker Brewery, iBroze Nails and Salon, Backroads Coffee Shop, Wellness Clinic that moved out of our BIA.
- Member fee: \$1,000/year includes all benefits except voting.
- Business center members fee: \$200 include website listing only.
- No limit for associate members. Take each interested business on a case by case and access individually.
- Associate members can only be commercial spaces.
- Home businesses not considered at this time.

CRM software update

 Meeting with Salesforce + Passionfruit Partners. Quote to be provided to office. Details provided in Dianne's staff report.

Action:

Stephen Dasko to provide Dianne with a referral company for CRM services.

Farmers Market

- Relaunch and bringing back from June to October 2021 every Saturday.
- Hire Customer Service Manager to work alongside Vince, Logistics Manager.
- Natasha and Dianne to be present onsite entire month of June.
- Rebranding in the works. Details provided in Dianne's staff report.

Action:

Stephen Dasko to introduce Martha Shepard to Dianne as our Customer Service Manager.

Virtual Networking Events

• Survey out to our members to inquire if there is any interest to bring back Networking Events. Details provided in Dianne's Staff Report.

OBIAA Conference + Awards in Hamilton: Sept 26-29

- Discussions of the importance to attend the conference.
- Deadline from board members to sign up set as March 31, 2021.

Action:

Natasha to share details of the conference to the Board.

Vote for New Board Members

	Motion: Stephen Dasko made a motion to elect Lucie Zima, Julia Chatterji and Wassim Alroz as new members of the Port Credit Board of Management. Seconded by Ann Ivy Male. No discussion. All in favor of all 3. Carried Committees • New members were added to each committee. Detailed report provided.
10	Adjournment
	Moved by John Pappas; Second by: Scott Higgionson
Dates	Virtual Networking Event Launch date: March 18 or 25, 2021
	Virtual OBIAA Professional Development: April 21, April 28, May 5, May 12
	Farmers Market June 5 to October 2
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	Port Credit BIA MINUTES			
	Board Meeting Tuesday, Nov 16, 2021 6:30pm Virtual Meeting			
Board	John Pappas, Brenda McGarrell, Ric Cooper, Councillor Stephen Dasko, Ann Ivy Male, Lucie			
Members	Zima, Julia Chatterji, Wassim Alroz			
Staff	Natasha Mackinnon, Dianne Dela Cruz			
Minutes by	Natasha Mackinnon			
Item #	Item Description			
1	Call to Order 6:35pm			
2	Declaration of any Conflict of Interest			
2	Additions to and approval of Agenda			
3	Moved by Ric Cooper; Second by Julia Chatterji			
	Discussion and/or acceptance of Minutes from the Board Meeting held on Wed, Aug 25,			
	2021			
	Moved by Brenda McGarrell; Second by Lucie Zima			
4	Discussion and/or acceptance of Minutes from the Board Meeting held on Wed, Oct 27, 2021			
"	Moved by Brenda McGarrell; Second by Wassim Alroz			
	Other Business - Appointment of new Chair & Vice Chair			
	On Wednesday, October 13th 2021, Vice Chair Nina Tsougios resigned from the Port Credit			
	BIA Board, following Chair Jake Pedler's resignation on Friday, Nov 5th, 2021. Both via			
	email. On Tuesday, Nov 9, 2021 the Port Credit BIA Board and Staff met via zoom to			
	discuss and appoint 2 Board Members as Executives.			
5	Ric Cooper made a motion to appoint John Pappas as Chair and Ann Ivy Male as Vice Chair			
	of the Port Credit BIA.			
	No futher discussion was made.			
	Second by Lucie Zima.			
	All in favor.			
6	Councillor's Report – Stephen Dasko			
7	Chair's Report – John Pappas			
8	Committee Reports			
	Financials – Brenda McGarrell			
	Beautification – Natasha Mackinnon			
	No Report			
	Marketing - Ann Ivy Male Dianne Dela Cruz			
	No Report			
	Advocacy - John Pappas			
	No Report			
	Sponsorship – Natasha Mackinnon			
	\$7,500 from Port Credit Community Foundation for Frosty Finale			
	Safety & Security - John Pappas			
	Policies – Brenda McGarrell Dianne Dela Cruz			
	No Report			
	Hiring Committee *new - Lucie Zima			
	No Report			

	Business Recruitment - No Report
	No Report AGM Prep:
	Dianne showed the agenda and appointed board members to each committee
9	Staff Report
	Natasha Mackinnon - Dianne Dela Cruz
10	Adjournment
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	AGM: November 23rd at 6pm Virtual
Dates	Lighting of the Lighthouse: Dec 4
	Christmas Dinner Date Finalized: Dec 6 - Bar Catalina
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