

Environmental Action Committee 2024 Year in Review

Presented by: Alice Casselman and Karen Pawlowski



Agenda

- Environmental Action Committee goals
- Deputations
- Highlights of 2024



Goal

The Environmental Action Committee (EAC) supports actions to address local environmental issues. The committee offers advice and recommendations to Council related to environmental sustainability and climate action with a focus on the City's master plans and other relevant strategies such as the City's Climate Change Action Plan.

In addition, EAC members:

- Provide feedback on new City strategies and initiatives
- Support the implementation of City actions
- Share opportunities to engage with the City on relevant initiatives and programs

Thank you for your time & commitment!

Term 2023 – 2026:

Members

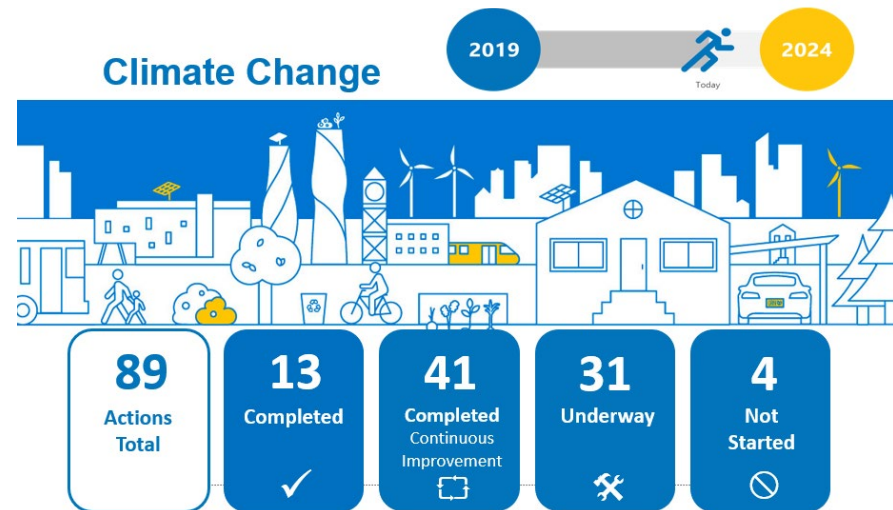
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| • Chair and Councillor Matt Mahoney | Ward 8 |
| • Vice-Chair and Councillor Stephen Dasko | Ward 1 |
| • Councillor Alvin Tedjo | Ward 2 |
| • Councillor Brad Butt | Ward 11 |
| • Prabhjit Banga | Citizen Member |
| • Jihan Khatib | Citizen Member |
| • Morgan Lee | Citizen Member |
| • Karen Pawlowski | Citizen Member |
| • Derek Stone | Citizen Member |
| • Alice Casselman | Association for Canadian Educational Resources |
| • Britt McKee | Ecosource |
| • Melanie Kramer | Credit Valley Conservation |
| • Jennifer Taves | Partners in Project Green |
| • Tea Falzata | University of Toronto Mississauga Student |
| • Sophia Zhang (2023-2024) | PEYA (Peel Environment Youth Alliance) Student |

Deputations Received

City staff presented on topics including:

- Climate Change
 - Update of CCAP and Engagement Plan
 - Progress Reporting
 - Electric vehicles strategy rollout
- Energy management updates
- Green Development Standards
- Circular Economy
 - Reusables at Movie Nights
 - Recycling Collection Drive
 - Repair Hubs
- Environmental Sustainability
 - Reduction of Single-use Items in City Facilities and Operations
 - Indoor wood burning
- Sustainability and climate related disclosures

Total Deputations: 21



Deputations Received

EAC Members

- Toronto and Region Conservation Authority - Partner in Project Green (e.g. green fleets)
- Ecosource (green champions)
- Credit Valley Conservation (SNAP)

External Organizations

- Youth Climate Corps
- Centre for Community Energy Transformation
- Sky's the Limit Hackathon

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City of Mississauga Hackathon Challenge: Leveraging Rooftops to Adapt to Climate Change (November 26, 2024)

EAC Litter Clean



Litter Cleanup at Jack Darling Park: 5.25kg of garbage and 0.94kg of recycling collected

2024 Highlights

- January 31: Reduction of Single-use Items in City Facilities and Operations adopted by Council
- April 17: Green Development Standards adopted by Council
- October 1: Climate Change Action Plan update first engagement session with EAC Members
- December 10: EAC endorsed the Cooksville Sustainable Neighbourhood Action Plan



Thank you

Environmental Action Committee:

<https://www.mississauga.ca/council/committees/environmental-action-committee/>

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