

CORPORATION OF THE TOWN OF LAURENTIAN HILLS

NOTICE OF A PUBLIC MEETING

Helping to Shape the Future of Laurentian Hills

5-Year Official Plan Review

TAKE NOTICE that a special public meeting will be held in order to consider revisions to the Official Plan pursuant to the requirements of Section 26 (3) of the Planning Act, R.S.O. 1990, as amended. The public meeting will be held on **Thursday**, **August 20**, **2015 at 6:30 pm** at the Municipal Office at 34465 Highway 17, Point Alexander.

PURPOSE AND EFFECT: The Town of Laurentian Hills is undertaking the five year review of its Official Plan as required by the *Planning Act*. As part of the review, Council is seeking input from the public on revisions that may be required to the Plan. The meeting will focus on the Town's vision, what values are important to residents and businesses in creating a healthy community, ensuring the stewardship of the natural environment, building a sound economic base and addressing issues such as energy conservation, climate change and resource management. The 5-year review is an opportunity to "fine-tune" the Official Plan to ensure that it continues to respond to the needs of citizens. Other changes to the Official Plan may be required to update the Plan to be consistent with the 2014 Provincial Policy Statement.

The public is encouraged to attend and participate in a 'town hall' style meeting in discussing changes they feel may be important to the future of the Town. Written submissions may also be forwarded by e-mail and fax.

ADDITIONAL INFORMATION A copy of the Town's Official Plan can be found on the Town's website at <u>www.laurentianhills.ca</u>

Dated at the Town of Laurentian Hills this 17th day of June, 2015.

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