

Special Board Meeting Highlights

November 18, 2022

Presentations:

a) **Provincial Bill 23: More Homes Built Faster Act, 2022**

CAO Rob Baldwin provided a presentation on the proposed Provincial Bill 23 – More Homes Built Faster Act, 2022 as it impacts the *Conservation Authorities Act*. He reviewed the four central categories of proposed change, along with his comments on each category:

1. Proposed updates to the regulation of development for the protection of people and property from natural hazards in Ontario;
2. Focusing conservation authorities' role in the review of development related proposals and applications;
3. Freezing conservation authority fees; and

Identifying conservation authority lands suitable for housing and streamlining conservation authority severance and disposition processes that facilitate faster development.

To view this presentation, please click this link: [Proposed Bill 23, More Homes Built Faster Act, 2022 - Presentation](#)

Staff Report:

Provincial Bill 23: More Homes Built Faster Act, 2022

The Board received Staff Report No. 40-22-BOD regarding Provincial Bill 23 – More Homes Built Faster Act, 2022 regarding Amendments to the Conservation Authorities Act and directed staff to provide a submission to Environmental Registry of Ontario No. 019-6141 based on comments within this report. The Board directed staff to submit a letter to the Minister of Natural Resources and Forestry and the Minister of Environment, Conservation and Parks requesting that the Conservation Authorities Working Group be re-engaged.

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