

2007 Priority Setting Findings

Following a second meeting with Councillors that took place on November 23, 2007, each Council member completed an electronic survey to validate the input received and ensure a consistent selection process for final review by members of Council. The numeral following each item indicates the number of times it was selected as a potential priority. Items with an equal number of selections as well as those selected only once are listed alphabetically. The findings indicate a high level of agreement on the top nine priorities. High and medium level priorities will be integrated into 2008 Departmental workplans. Other priorities raised that relate to the high and medium priorities or are significantly underway will also be addressed in the 2008 workplans. Once approved, all of the priorities will serve as the basis for 2009 priority setting and workplan development discussions.

High Priority

- CEP Implementation (10)
- New Organic Waste Processing Facility (10)
- Growth Management Plan (9)
- 20 Minute Transit Service (9)
- York District Plan Phase III/York Watson Lands (9)
- Downtown Action Plan (7)
- Waste Management Master Plan (6)
- Strategic Urban Forest Management Plan (5)
- City/County Service Agreements (4)

Medium Priority

- Alternative Development Standards (3)
- Eastview Landfill Community Park (3)
- Hanlon Creek Business Park (3)
- IMICO Redevelopment (3)
- Secondary Plan for CPR or Interim Council by-law to Hold CPR Nodes to Redesign (3)
- Expand the GJR (2)
- Community Art Centre (2)
- Corporate Governance Framework (2)
- Corporate Service Review (2)
- Culture Master Plan (2)
- Human Resources Strategy (2)
- Official Plan Update (2)
- Review of the Farmer's Market (2)
- South End Community Centre (2)
- South End Fire Station (2)

Other Priorities Identified (1)

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| ◇ Bike Racks | ◇ Downtown Economic Initiative | ◇ Pollinator City Parks |
| ◇ Carbon Footprint Issues | ◇ Establishing City-wide Greenways | ◇ Satellite Transfer Locations |
| ◇ Civic Square Precinct Study | ◇ Guelph Trails Master Plan | ◇ Waste Heat at Ecotricity |
| ◇ Corporate Social Responsibility Framework | ◇ Heritage Registry and Implementation | ◇ Water Efficiency Effort |
| ◇ Dairy Festival | ◇ Investigate and Confirm Treatment at Sacco, Smallfield and Clythe Wells and Scout Camp Class EA | ◇ Wilson Street Parking Garage |
| ◇ Debt Issue | | |
| ◇ Development Charges Update | | |

* It is recognized that many initiatives have strong linkages to others for example: the Downtown Action Plan is connected to the Wilson Street Parking Garage, Civic Square Precinct Study, Downtown Economic Initiative, Library and Museum; the CEP includes Waste Heat at Ecotricity and Carbon Footprint Issues; the Cultural Master Plan links to the Community Art Centre.

