

The Corporation of the Town of East Gwillimbury

By-law 2026-019

Being a By-law to Establish and Appoint Committees and Groups for the Corporation of the Town of East Gwillimbury

Whereas Section 11 of the Municipal Act 2001, S.O. 2001, c.25, as amended, provides that a lower-tier municipality may pass By-laws respecting the governance and structure and its local boards; and

Whereas Section 29(1) of the Accessibility for Ontarians with Disabilities Act, 2005, S.O. 2005, c. 11, as amended, provides that the council of every municipality having a population of not less than 10,000 shall establish an accessibility advisory committee; and

Whereas under the Ontario Heritage Act, R.S.O. 1990, c.O.18, section 28(1), the Town of East Gwillimbury wishes to establish a Municipal Heritage Committee to advise and assist council on the matters relating to Part IV and Part V of the Act;

Whereas Council deems it advisable to establish Committees and Groups to operate in accordance with the Terms of Reference and Statutory and Advisory Committee Policy established by Council, as amended, revised or superseded from time to time;

Now therefore the Municipal Council of The Corporation of the Town of East Gwillimbury enacts as follows:

1. That Council establish the following Committees and Groups for the 2022-2026 term of Council:
 - a. Accessibility Advisory Committee
 - b. Active Transportation and Trails Advisory Committee
 - c. Arts and Culture Advisory Committee
 - d. Diversity and Inclusion Advisory Committee
 - e. Economic Development Advisory Committee
 - f. Environmental Advisory Committee
 - g. Heritage Advisory Committee
 - h. Youth Advisory Committee
 - i. Broadband Working Group

2. That the members as listed in the Schedules to this By-law are hereby appointed to the Town of East Gwillimbury's Committees and Groups, and shall continue to hold office until November 14, 2026 or until a successor is appointed; and
3. That Committee and Group members may be removed, replaced or added by Council resolution.
4. That By-law 2023-045 be repealed.

Enacted and passed this 24th day of February, 2026.



Tara Roy-DiClemente, Acting Mayor



Tara Lajevardi, Municipal Clerk

Schedule A to By-law 2026-019: Accessibility Advisory Committee

- Nadia Buchanan
- Lindsey Gold
- Catherine Mahut
- Judith Pajaro
- Kristin Smith
- Lorraine Waller

Schedule B to By-law 2026-019: Active Transportation and Trails Advisory Committee

- Rina Bick
- Lauren Grzywniak (Lake Simcoe Region Conservation Authority)
- Robert Hancock
- Irene Tamblyn
- York Region Representative(s)

Schedule C to By-law 2026-019: Arts and Culture Advisory Committee

- Raymond Bach
- Maxwell Batista
- Jackie Bellamy
- Janette Champ
- Stella Grinfeld
- Michael Hanson
- George Keltika
- Bev Mathers-Hall
- Catharina Joy McEwen
- Di Zhang

Schedule D to By-law 2026-019: Diversity and Inclusion Advisory Committee

- Phil Coulter
- Michael Mendes
- Brenda Mok
- Athanas Njeru
- Wansey Poon
- Sanjiv Thaker

Schedule E to By-law 2026-019: Economic Development Advisory Committee

- Haseeb Amini
- Nasim Bahari
- Hassan Chugtai
- Stella Grinfeld
- Doug Leitch
- Murdo MacMillan
- Terry Russell
- George Shrijver
- Sanjiv Thaker

Schedule F to By-law 2026-019: Environmental Advisory Committee

- Theresa Abbot-Howland
- Tife Akindele
- Adam Doran
- Mark Goldsworthy
- Adam Hurst
- Elaine Jackson
- Michael Mendes
- Sana Murtaza
- Meagan Potter
- Alexandra Reznik
- Len Stanley

Schedule G to By-law 2026-019: Heritage Advisory Committee

- Catherine Brydon
- Janet Jin
- Aida Kostuck
- Denise Tennant
- Janet Wolfe

Schedule H to By-law 2026-019: Youth Advisory Committee

- Nicholas Ayson
- Tiana Fernandes
- John Nathan Cale Pajaro
- Addyson Pogue
- Sajan Reinsma-Dogra
- Tiiu Strutt

Schedule I to By-law 2026-019: Broadband Working Group

- Stella Grinfeld
- Bob Kyriakides
- Terry Russell
- Rob Schuetze
- Harold Wagner