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TOWNSHIP OF PUSLINCH LAUNCHES COMMUNITY ENGAGEMENT SURVEY FOR THE TOWNSHIP'S PROPOSED DONATION POLICY

PUSLINCH – The Township is excited to launch a community engagement survey on the proposed Donation Policy on EngagePuslinch.ca, to gather valuable resident feedback.

The proposed Donation Policy outlines a framework for accepting and managing voluntary contributions that support municipal projects, programs, and services. This policy encompasses monetary donations, gift in-kind contributions, sponsorship and naming rights agreements, and the Township's Commemorative Bench and Tree Program. By establishing clear guidelines, the policy aims to ensure transparency, effective resource management, and appropriate acknowledgment of donor contributions.

Citizen feedback is essential in shaping a policy that reflects community values and priorities. Mayor Seeley stated, "We value the generosity and involvement of our residents in building a stronger Township. This proposed Donation Policy is a key step in ensuring that all contributions are managed transparently and effectively to serve the community's needs. I encourage everyone to review the policy and share their insights."

The survey is available on the Township's community engagement platform, EngagePuslinch.ca, and will remain open until February 5, 2025. Feedback will be reviewed and considered by Council as part of the policy's development.

A Public Council Meeting will be held in-person at the Municipal Office at 7404 Wellington Rd 34 and via electronic participation through Zoom on February 20, 2025, to discuss the proposed Donation Policy. This meeting will provide an opportunity for Council to review public feedback and receive additional comments from residents. The Township encourages community members to attend and participate in shaping this important policy.

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