

THE CORPORATION OF THE TOWNSHIP OF ESSA
PUBLIC MEETING MINUTES
December 4th, 2024
TEMPORARY ZONING BY-LAW AMENDMENT (Z3-24)
(Affecting lands known as 253 Barrie Street, Thornton)

MINUTES

A Public meeting was held in person on Wednesday, December 4th, 2024 in the Council Chambers of the Administration Centre, Township of Essa.

In attendance: Mayor Sandie Macdonald
Deputy Mayor, Michael Smith
Councillor Pieter Kiezebrink
Councillor Henry Sander

Regrets: Councillor Maltby

Staff in attendance: M. Mikael, Chief Administrative Officer
L. Lehr, Manager of Legislative Services/Clerk
S. Haniff, Manager of Planning
C. Rankin, Manager of Parks and Recreation
P. Granes, Chief Building Official
S. Corbett, Deputy Clerk

Mayor Macdonald opened the meeting at 6:01 p.m. She stated that the purpose of this Public Meeting is to review an application for a Temporary Zoning By-law Amendment relating to lands known municipally as 253 Barrie Street in the Township of Essa in accordance with Section 34 of the *Planning Act*.

A description and presentation of the proposal was then read by the applicant Heidi Kostyra.

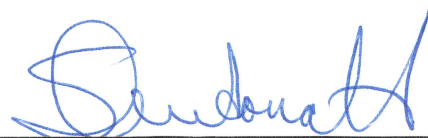
THE PROPOSED TEMPORARY ZONING BY-LAW AMENDMENT would affect those lands municipally known as 253 Barrie Street, Thornton.

Mayor Macdonald welcomed comments and questions from the public, stating that speakers must state their name and address so that proper records may be kept and notice of future decisions be sent to those persons involved in the review process.

Neighbouring resident, Joanne McReynolds of 251 Barrie Street, offered support for the proposed temporary use of the ground floor of the residential building as an office. She further stated that she was concerned that the building would be used as short-term accommodation and was pleased with the temporary office use.

Mayor Macdonald thanked all in attendance for their participation. She added that the Essa Township Planning office will prepare a report and by-law to be presented to Council concerning this matter.

The Public meeting adjourned at 6:06 p.m.



Sandie Macdonald
Mayor



Lisa Lehr
Manager of Legislative Services/Clerk