



Township of Southgate Council Meeting Highlights June 6, 2024

- Council heard from Heather Arnott and Tom Arnott regarding their concerns with Staff Report CL2024-022 – Road Renaming – Sections of Southgate Road 26 and Homestead Road.
- Council received a delegation regarding the Ontario Farmland Trust by Martin Straathof.
- Council received the 2022 Audit Findings Report presentation by KPMG LLP and approved the Consolidated Financial Statement for the fiscal year ending December 31, 2022.
- Council approved the 2024 Tax Rates. The Final Tax Bill's will be mailed out in August with the tax installment dates being August 29, 2024 and October 29, 2024.
- Council approved Policy Number 51 – Flag Protocol and Proclamation Policy. The updated policy can be viewed [here](#).
- Deputy Mayor Dobreen provided an update on the most recent County Council meeting. Highlights from the May 23, 2024 County of Grey Council meeting can be viewed [here](#).
- Councillor Singh Soares mentioned that the Community Garden located at the Memorial Park were now open and wanted to thank all those who volunteer for their hard work in providing a Community Garden to residents. Councillor Singh Soares noted that there will be a Cricket match held on July 1, 2024, and that more details will be available closer to the date. Councillor Singh Soares also mentioned that there were many successful events in the month of May to celebrate Asian Heritage Month. Councillor Singh Soares also reviewed a letter received by the Saugeen Mobility and Regional Transit Board highlighting the experience of an individual who utilized the service while in Hospice.

Upcoming Meetings:

- Special Council Meeting – *Holstein Council Chambers* – June 19, 2024 @ **9:00AM**
- Council Meeting – *Holstein Council Chambers* – June 19, 2024 @ **1:00AM**
- Southgate Public Library Board – *Mill Room, Library* – June 20, 2024 @ **6:00PM**

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