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THE TOWN OF STRATFORD

RESOLUTION

No. RC005-2021 Adoption of the Waterfront Park Plan

Motion Carried Motion Lost Motion Withdrawn Council Chambers Town Hall October 13, 2021

Committee	Recreation, Culture and Events
Moved by Councillor	Darren MacDougall
Seconded by Councillor	Steve Gallant

WHEREAS the Town of Stratford owns and manages over 300 acres of public parklands, including green space, trails and parks; and

WHEREAS these public spaces and related improvements support the quality of life of Stratford residents and the Town wishes to ensure existing and future parkland improvements are designed and managed for maximum public benefit, to ensure community health, safety and continuity of services for all residents; and

WHEREAS the former Wastewater Treatment site and adjacent park lands and undeveloped lands required a plan for their development; and

WHEREAS Upland Planning + Design was engaged to develop a plan for the waterfront parks and to review the zoning for the waterfront core area lands, including engaging citizens in the design to establish a community vision for a future Waterfront Park; and

WHEREAS the resulting Waterfront Park Plan will provide the Town of Stratford with a plan to help guide the design and development of a waterfront destination that will include a future boardwalk, active transportation connections, natural and manicured park space, and play areas amongst many other features;

BE IT RESOLVED that the attached Waterfront Park Plan prepared by Upland Planning + Design be hereby adopted.

This resolution bears the recommendation of the Committee of the Whole Council from the meeting held on September 29, 2021.