



## TOWN OF STRATFORD RESOLUTION

**No. PH003-2012 Parkland & Open Space Policy # 2012-PH-01**

Motion Carried       √        
Motion Lost                       
Motion Withdrawn                     

Council Chambers  
Town Council

**January 11, 2012**

Committee  
Moved by Councilor  
Seconded by Councilor

Planning & Heritage  
Diane Griffin  
Emile Gallant

**WHEREAS** Stratford's sustainability vision considers parks and open spaces as opportunities for learning, leisure, spiritual renewal and recreation; and

**WHEREAS** Section 25.7 Stratford's Development Bylaw indicates requirements and regulations on Parkland Dedication and/or Park Dedication fees (Cash in lieu) in general; and

**WHEREAS** Council pursues fairness, equity and consistency as key principles in how parkland acquisition is applied within the community; and

**WHEREAS** a new policy has been required to elaborate such principles in reviewing process in order to improve transparency, increase predictability in actions, and build a mutual respect between the Town and other stakeholders;

**BE IT RESOLVED** that approval is granted to the attached Policy #2012-PH-01 Parkland & Open Space.

*This resolution bears the recommendation of the Planning & Heritage Committee as discussed at a meeting held on October 24, 2011.*