

CITY OF VAUGHAN COMMITTEE OF THE WHOLE (2) ADDENDUM AGENDA

(ADDENDUMS WILL REQUIRE A TWO-THIRDS VOTE OF THE MEMBERS PRESENT TO BE ADDED TO THE AGENDA)

If you wish to speak to an item listed on the Agenda, please pre-register by completing a Request to Speak Form online, emailing clerks@vaughan.ca, or contacting Service Vaughan at 905-832-2281, by 12 noon on the last business day before the meeting.

Tuesday, May 13, 2025
1:00 p.m.
Council Chamber
2nd Floor, Vaughan City Hall
2141 Major Mackenzie Dr., Vaughan, ON
and Online via Electronic Participation

Indigenous Land Acknowledgement (prior to the commencement of the meeting)

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MEMBER'S RESOLUTION

Committee of the Whole (2)

DATE: Tuesday, May 13, 2025

<u>TITLE</u>: THREE STRIKES AND YOU ARE IN – FASTER APPROVALS FOR MORE HOMES IN VAUGHAN

FROM:

Mayor Steven Del Duca

Whereas, Vaughan has always been a destination of choice, a place people dream of calling home, and where future generations wish to raise their families, start businesses, and enjoy an unrivalled quality of life; and

Whereas, the City of Vaughan agreed to the provincial housing pledge that committed us to enable the building of 42,000 units of housing by 2032; and

Whereas, Vaughan received \$59 million to build more housing units as part of the federal Housing Accelerator Fund in 2023, \$35 million from the province's Housing-Enabling Water Systems Fund in 2024; and \$20 million from the province's Housing-Enabling Core Servicing Stream under the Municipal Housing Infrastructure Program in 2025; and

Whereas, in 2024, Vaughan Council cut development charge rates on all residential developments by almost 50 per cent to boost housing construction and lower housing costs for residents; and

Whereas, the entire City of Vaughan is subject to Site Plan Control By-law No. 123-2013, as amended; and

Whereas, pursuant to the Site Plan Control By-law, when an applicant considers developing a property with one or more buildings, the applicant must receive Site Plan approval from the City before a building permit is issued; and

Whereas, pursuant to the *Planning Act*, if approval is not granted within 60 days the applicant may choose to appeal the Site Plan Application to the Ontario Land Tribunal; and

Whereas, there may be several submissions of a Site Plan Application which may be a costly and time-consuming process for both City staff and the applicant; and

Whereas, the City of Mississauga has adopted a "three strikes and you are in" model upon consultation with the stakeholders to address these issues with the Site Plan Application process; and

Whereas, the "three strikes and you are in" model fosters collaboration between the City and applicants providing opportunity for communication and negotiation; and

Whereas, the model encourages the City and applicant to communicate requirements clearly providing applicants with much needed predictability.

It is therefore recommended:

- 1. That Council formally approves a "three strikes and you are in" model to be adopted by the Planning, Growth Management and Housing Delivery Portfolio for Site Plan Applications that commits to the following:
 - a. the City commits to three sets of comments (if necessary) delivering feedback on Site Plan Applications; and
 - b. after the third set of comments is delivered, the applicant be given the option of a face-to-face 'redline' meeting with the staff to resolve any outstanding issues so that a Site Plan Approval can be issued; and
- 2. That the model be effective and operational as of June 2025.

Financial and Staff Resource Impact

Existing operating budget will be leveraged to implement the above

Attachments

N/A



MEMBER'S RESOLUTION

Committee of the Whole (2)

DATE: Tuesday, May 13, 2025

TITLE: ANNUAL PROCLAMATION OF FILIPINO DAY

FROM:

Mayor Steven Del Duca

Whereas, the City of Vaughan is proud to be home to a vibrant and engaged Filipino community, which has made significant contributions to the cultural, economic, and social fabric of our city; and

Whereas, the Filipino-Canadian Association of Vaughan (FCAV), established in 1990, has played a critical role in fostering community spirit, supporting newcomers and strengthening civic engagement among Filipino residents; and

Whereas, the City of Vaughan and Baguio City, Philippines, have enjoyed a strong international partnership since 1997, which has included numerous cultural exchanges, economic missions and educational collaborations—including a recent mission in May 2023 that renewed these longstanding ties; and

Whereas, Filipino Day supports the Filipino-Canadian Association of Vaughan's goal of promoting Filipino culture and values in Vaughan and across Canada; and

Whereas, Filipino-Canadians across the country, including in Vaughan, commemorate June 12 with events, flag raisings and festivals that celebrate Filipino heritage, cuisine, music, dance and values of family and service; and

Whereas, the City of Vaughan reaffirmed its friendship with Baguio City in November 2022, welcomed a Philippine delegation and continues to pursue partnership opportunities aligned with Canada's Indo-Pacific Strategy; and

Whereas, Vaughan mourns and condemns the deeply disturbing incident that occurred on April 26, 2025, when a vehicle deliberately struck a crowd at a Filipino cultural celebration in British Columbia, killing and injuring numerous people. This heinous act of violence underscores the continued need to stand against hate and reaffirm the importance of celebrating cultural heritage publicly and safely.

It is therefore recommended:

- 1. That Council proclaims June 12 of each year as Filipino Day;
- 2. That this day be officially recognized and promoted through the City's corporate channels by the Communications, Marketing and Engagement department; and
- 3. That the City Clerk be directed to coordinate a flag raising ceremony each year on or near June 12, in accordance with the City's Flag Protocol Policy.

Financial and Staff Resource Impact

Existing operating budget will be leveraged to implement the above.

Attachments

1. Proclamation Request – Filipino Day

ATTACHMENT 1



FLAG RAISING & PROCLAMATION REQUEST FORM

I am requesting the following (please select all that apply):		
Flag Raising (Complete Parts 1-3, Parts 5 & 6, Annex A, Annex B)		
Proclamation (Complete Parts 1-4)		
PART 1: ORGANIZATION DETAILS		
ORGANIZATION NAME		
Filipino-Canadian Association of Vaughan		
ORGANIZATION TYPE		
PART 2: REQUESTER DETAILS		
LAST NAME OR SINGLE NAME	FIRST NAME	
Insigne	Erlinda	
POSITION		
President		
STREET ADDRESS		APT/UNIT NUMBER
7894 Dufferin Street		
CITY/TOWN	PROVINCE	POSTAL CODE
Vaughan	ON	L4K1R6
EMAIL ADDRESS	TELEPHONE NUMBER	
fcav@rogers.com		
PART 3: ALTERNATE CONTACT DETAILS		
LAST NAME OR SINGLE NAME	FIRST NAME	
POSITION	<u> </u>	
STREET ADDRESS		APT/UNIT NUMBER
CITY/TOWN	PROVINCE	POSTAL CODE
	ON	
EMAIL ADDRESS	TELEPHONE NUMBER	

PART 4: PROCLAMATION REQUEST DETAILS		
CAUSE/EVENT/COMMEMORATION TO BE PROCLAIMED (Written as you want it to be Declared by Council) Filipino Day - June 8, 2025		
● DAY	VEEK MONTH	
PART 5: FLAG RAISING DETAILS		
CAUSE/EVENT/COMMEMORATION TO BE RECOGNIZE	ED	
FLAG TO BE RAISED (Please attach an image of the flag to this form)		
ANTHEM OR MUSIC TO BE PLAYED (If required)		
WILL THERE BE A PUBLIC EVENT AT CITY HALL FOLLOWING THE FLAG RAISING CEREMONY?		
YES - Please note additional permits, fees and charges may apply for extended use of the space and other resources.		
NO		
PART 6: PUBLIC CEREMONY DETAILS		
The City of Vaughan endeavors to accommodate the requestor's preferred date, however it is NOT GUARANTEED . To assist in scheduling your public ceremony, we ask you to designate up to 3 alternate dates for booking.		
PREFERRED CEREMONY DATE	ALTERNATE CEREMONY DATE	
TIME OF DAY PREFERENCE		
AM (09:00 a.m. – 12:00 p.m.)	PM (12:00 p.m. – 4:00 p.m.)	
ESTIMATED NUMBER OF ATTENDEES		