



THE CORPORATION
OF
THE TOWN OF HALTON HILLS

Resolution No.:

Title: Net Zero 2030 Update

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Moved by: Councillor J. Brass

Seconded by: Councillor J. Racinsky

Item No.

WHEREAS Canada and the Provinces are experiencing record high inflation;

AND WHEREAS Increasing costs of insurance, cyber security, construction, equipment repair costs etc., are putting extreme pressures on the Town of Halton Hills' Budget;

AND WHEREAS the Town of Halton Hills is one of the few governments globally to currently have a target as aggressive as a Net-Zero by 2030;

AND WHEREAS the estimated cost of Capital Investments for the Municipality to meet its Net Zero by 2030 target is currently estimated at \$14,620,880, and that number is expected to increase to roughly \$37,000,000 as additional facilities are assessed;

AND WHEREAS the estimated cost within the community will need to be more than \$2 Billion by 2030 to hit that target;

NOW THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED THAT Staff be directed to host a Council Workshop on Climate Change, and report back to Council with updated costs to both, the Town, and the community; and to provide a Feasibility Plan based on available resources related to the Town of Halton Hills achieving its Net Zero 2030 goal;

AND FURTHER THAT the findings of the Council Workshop form part of Council's upcoming Strategic Plan discussions;

AND FURTHER THAT the Town of Halton Hills continue with its commitment to implement feasible and practical environmental and climate change actions, with the goal of continuing to reduce greenhouse gas emissions.

Mayor Ann Lawlor