

Committee of the Whole Meeting – April 13, 2026

Agenda Item # 13.2

Proposed Motion: Councillor P. Banks – Council Member Participation in OMERS

Moved by: Councillor P. Banks

Seconded by: _____

WHEREAS the Ontario Municipal Employees Retirement System Act, 2006 permits municipalities to allow members of council to participate in the OMERS;

AND WHEREAS participation in OMERS for members of council is optional and requires a municipal by-law;

AND WHEREAS more municipalities across Ontario are moving to include this option as part of council compensation to help attract new candidates;

AND WHEREAS Council recognizes the importance of attracting a broader and more diverse pool of candidates for the 2026–2030 term;

NOW THEREFORE be it resolved that staff be directed to report back with a draft by-law to permit Members of Council, beginning with the 2026–2030 term, to opt into OMERS on a voluntary basis, including financial and administrative implications.