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Item Number	Description	Resolution	Meeting Date	Due Date	Revised Date	Explanation/Comments
GG-0001	Fishing in Town Parks	That Staff report back on legal fishing in Town parks, including Port Whitby, after consultation with the fishing community has occurred.	07 May 2018	11 Feb 2019	14 Apr 2025	Fishing to be addressed in Parks By-law Update.
GG-0002	Community and Marketing Services Department Report, CMS 35-18 Re: Cullen Central Park Master Plan	2. That Council direct staff to commence the development of the Cullen Central Park Master Plan with the final Master Plan to be brought forward for Council approval in Q4 2019; and, 5. That Staff identify options to recognize former mayor Marcel Brunelle in Cullen Park.	25 Jun 2018	18 Nov 2019	01 Dec 2025	In the Whitby Sports Complex Construction Tender Results & Project Budget Approval - Parks projects (originally planned for 2024 in the 10-year forecast) will be impacted by this, includes the Cullen Central Park Redevelopment Phase 2. This project will be budgeted in 2025.
GG-0005	Public Works (Operations) Department Report, PW 17-21 Re: Vimy Memorial Park	3. That staff report back to Council on the progress of the park agreement along with refined budget implications prior to assumption.	21 Jun 2021	13 Jun 2022	03 Mar 2025	Memo to be provided to Council through CII.
GG-0007	Community Services Department Report, CMS 19-21 Re: Unnamed West Whitby Park – Park Name Survey Results	3. That staff be directed to review the Municipal Property and Facility Naming Policy (MS 250) and report back with any recommended revisions to update the policy.	29 Nov 2021	16 Jan 2023	01 Dec 2025	
GG-0019	Refrigerated Outdoor Ice Rinks or Skating Trails	That following the tender results for the Whitby Sports Complex and as part of the development of the Parks and Recreation Master Plan, that Staff be directed to report on opportunities to install refrigerated outdoor ice rinks or skating trails in the Town	20 Mar 2023	25 Mar 2024	09 Jun 2025	Following the recommendations of the Parks and Recreation Master Plan.

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GG-0021	Protecting Whitby's Urban Forest Canopy	That staff report back on the opportunity to protect trees of significance on private lands in order to preserve Whitby's urban forest canopy.	20 Mar 2023	04 Dec 2023	15 Sep 2025	This recommendation is to create a plan that will help guide a Tree Protection By-law.
GG-0026-0	CMS 09-23, Community Services Department Report Re: James Rowe House - Food and Beverage RFP	2. That staff enter negotiations with the respondents to the RFP and report back to Council with the results of those negotiations for approval by Council..	27 Nov 2023	03 Jun 2024	03 Mar 2025	
GG-0026	Installing lighting at Town parks within a 1-kilometre radius of 1635 Dundas Street	That Staff be directed to report to Council on the cost and timelines to install lighting at Town parks within a 1-kilometre radius of 1635 Dundas Street East.	18 Dec 2024	25 Nov 2024	03 Mar 2025	Memo to be provided to Council through CII.
GG-0027	Replacing Town Park playground surfaces within a 1- kilometre radius of 1635 Dundas Street East	That Staff be directed to report to Council on the cost and timelines to replace Town park playground surfaces with alternative surfaces within 1-Kilometre radius of 1635 Dundas Street East.	18 Dec 2023	25 Nov 2024	03 Mar 2025	Memo to be provided to Council through CII.
GG-0031	Requiring the Region of Durham to consult with the Town of Whitby prior to proposed expropriation requests or orders	That Staff report to Council through a memorandum on the Council Information Index on the legal feasibility of requiring Durham Region to consult with Town of Whitby Planning & Development Staff, CAO, and Council prior to a proposal of expropriation requests on private lands, or orders (for any buildings or lands) not being used for the purpose of providing utilities, (especially if the building is 70,000+ square feet). Which the purpose is to include a request for mandatory consultation with the Town and the Region.	18 Dec 2023	TBD		

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GG-0034	LS 13-23, Legal and Enforcement Services Department Report Re: Business Licensing By-law Exception Request - 417 Byron Street North	4. That Council direct staff to review the lodging house provisions within the Business Licensing by-law and report back on the merits of amending the By-law to ensure consistency with other applicable provincial legislation; and, 5. That Council direct staff to review the merits of adding provisions/schedules to the Business Licensing By-law to regulate Rooming Houses in the Town of Whitby.	18 Mar 2024	31 Mar 2025	03 Mar 2025	
GG-0035	CMS 04-24, Community Services Department Report Re: Commemorative Tree and Bench Policy Update	4. That Staff be directed to investigate the installation of a commemorative dedication feature at the waterfront and report back to Council in Q4 2024.	29 Apr 2024	02 Dec 2024	12 May 2025	
GG-0036	Memorandum from A. Gratton, Sr. Manager of Enforcement Services, dated June 14, 2024 regarding a Fence By-law Exemption request for 101 Carnwith Drive West	That the Fence By-law exemption request be referred to the Town Clerk and Commissioner of Legal and Enforcement Services to review and report back in Q4 2024 to Council on the existing scope of delegated authority, expanding the percentage variance for delegated authority over existing fence heights, associated fees, and process to handle requests beyond the scope of authority delegated to Staff.	09 Oct 2024	02 Dec 2024	09 Jun 2025	
GG-0037	FS 38-24, Financial Services Department Report Re: Declaration of Surplus - Town-owned lands at Cochrane Street and	That FS 38-24, Financial Services Department Report re: Declaration of Surplus – Town-owned lands at Cochrane Street and Highway 407 be tabled.	28 Oct 2024			This item was tabled at the October 28, 2024 Committee of the Whole meeting.

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GG-0038	Temporarily Delegating Authority to Approve Fence By-law Exemption Requests	2. That this delegated authority remain in place until such time as Staff can report back to Council to address questions on allowable exemptions, fees, and the process for considering Fence By-law exemption requests further to the referral at the December 2, 2024 Committee of the Whole meeting.	16 Dec 2024	03 March 2025	09 Jun 2025	
GG-0039	Gateway Maintenance Program	That Staff be directed to report back on the opportunity for a grant program for homeowners to offset their costs of removing gateway and masonry features and columns located on private property prior to the introduction of the 2026 Strong Mayor Budget	16 Dec 2024	12 May 2025	15 Sep 2025	
GG-0040	Terminate Contract with Local Authority Services to Save Taxpayers Money	2. That consideration of the motion regarding terminating the contract with LAS be referred to Staff to report to Council by the end of Q2 2025 regarding the Town's current accountability and transparency framework and the pros and cons, financial or otherwise of retaining the existing LAS contract or utilizing the Ombudsman for closed meeting investigations.	03 Feb 2025	09 Jun 2025		
GG-0041	Rental Unit Renovation By-law and Renoviction Licence Program	1. That Staff be directed to investigate the feasibility, benefits, and cost of adopting a rental unit renovation by-law that would require landlords who issue an eviction notice (N-13) to a tenant to demolish, repair or renovate a unit to apply to the Town within a defined timeframe for a renovation licence prior to starting any work; and, 3. That Staff be directed to investigate the feasibility, benefits, and cost of a by-law and	03 Feb 2025			

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		<p>permitting program regarding the demolition or conversion to non-residential rental units of six (6) or more residential rental units pursuant to Section 99.1 of the Municipal Act, 2001.</p>				
GG-0042	<p>Combatting Antisemitism and Hate Motivated Criminal Acts</p>	<p>4. That Town Council direct the Chief Administrative Officer to report on the possibility of establishing a protocol or policy to notify various human rights organizations when all hate motivated criminal acts are identified by Town staff and consult with DRPS. The intent of the protocol or policy is to assist them in the collection of empirical evidence related to hate crimes.</p>	03 Feb 2025			