Re: Item No. 3

# Chief Administrative Office Overview Committee of the Whole December 13 – 14, 2010



### 2010/11 Budget Overview

Expenditures	\$10,507,827
Revenues	\$116,400
Net Budget	\$10,391,427
Net Projection (surplus)/deficit	\$16,242 - surplus
FTE compliment	62
Vacancies (Dec. 1/10)	1



#### **Services Provided**

- CAO and DCAO Coordination/Support
- Coordination and Support of Council and COW, Community Councils, Boards and Committees of Council
- Public access to official records and process of accessing local government
- Elections (Municipal and School Board)
- Councillor Support and Constituent Relations
- Mayor Support and Constituent Relations
- Public Affairs
- Marketing and Communications
- Printing Centre
- Graphic Design
- Corporate postage and courier service
- Corporate Affairs
- Corporate Policy
- Intergovernmental Affairs
- Economic Policy



# Service Decreases / Operational Pressures / Risks

- Delayed filling Election Coordinator position by 6 months
- Filling front desk position in Clerk's office 1/2 time on contract rather than full time
- Targeted change in business processes around Council and Committee packages (less printing, fewer courier runs, no capacity to advertise beyond legislative requirements)
- Publication reductions (Recreation Catalogue, Naturally Green "How Your Tax Dollars Are Spent", Crosswalk Safety Booklet)
- Reduced supply of materials in Printing Centre stock
- Inability to make required upgrades and/or purchase equipment for the Printing Centre
- Significantly reduced corporate postage budget without related decreases in volume



# Future Cost Saving / Service Reduction Opportunities

- Assess service delivery in Marketing, Design and Print Services (i.e. print centre and graphic design) for potential efficiencies
- Further corporate reductions in printed materials and postage
- Conduct and implement phase two of the Publications Review internal publications and printing / photocopying hardware throughout the organization
- Explore service delivery options in governance sections
- Economic Development Governance Review

