

CLARINGTON'S WAYFINDING SYSTEM STRATEGY RECEIVES FEDERAL INVESTMENT

Clarington, Ontario – Clarington is receiving federal funding to develop a wayfinding system, which will support the Municipality's Active Transportation Master Plan.

With a goal to make Clarington healthier, more connected and more sustainable, the wayfinding system will feature signs, route maps, accessibility information and digital resources that residents and visitors can use to get around Clarington. Once implemented, it will help people travel from historic downtowns to beautiful scenery to their favourite local shop or

recreation facility—and guide them back home again. It will also link Clarington residents with broader Durham Region active transportation infrastructure, giving them better opportunities to connect with communities across Durham.

"The Municipality of Clarington is grateful to the Government of Canada for these funds, which will help residents and visitors who enjoy cycling, walking, or rolling through our community," said Clarington Mayor Adrian Foster. "This investment supports active transportation, helping us create a

more accessible and navigable system for Clarington's many attractions."

The Municipality is receiving \$50,000 from Infrastructure Canada's Active Transportation Fund to develop its Wayfinding System Strategy. The Fund invests in projects to make travel by active transportation easier, safer, more convenient and more enjoyable.

This project is one of 50 active transportation planning and design projects across Ontario with investments of more than \$2.3 million that the

federal government is supporting through the fund.

"I am so excited to announce the federal government's support for 50 planning and design projects that will lead to more and improved active transportation infrastructure across Ontario," said Housing, Infrastructure and Communities Minister Sean Fraser. "Investments in active transportation are a key part of building strong, connected and sustainable communities. Bike paths, sidewalks, footbridges and multi-use trails connect our homes to our communities and beyond,

helping to make them the best places to live."

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Clarington is a unique and ideal place for active transportation, blending urban amenities with rural charm. The wayfinding system will help users find a route that's

perfect for them—whether they're walking, cycling, using a mobility device, jogging, skateboarding, rollerblading, scootering, or using another self-propelled method of getting around.

Clarington is currently seeking feedback about its Active Transportation Master Plan. Stay posted to this community newspaper for more upcoming details.

If you do not see notices from Clarington on here. Call your local councillor or Mayor and demand they keep you notified.

TWO MALES ARRESTED FOR NUMEROUS FRAUDULENT IDENTIFICATIONS

Two males are in custody after being found with numerous fraudulent identifications while attempting to open an account at a bank in Oshawa.

On Wednesday, April 3, 2024, at approximately 2:20 p.m., members of East Division, with the assistance of the East Division Criminal Investigations Branch, responded to a fraud call at the TD Bank located at 1310 King Street East, in Oshawa. A male entered the bank and attempted to open an account with fraudulent identification documents. Employees recognized the documents as fraudulent and contacted police. The suspect fled the bank prior to police arrival.

Police located the suspect at a nearby business and took him into custody without incident. A second suspect, linked to the first suspect, was located in a nearby vehicle and taken into custody without incident. The second suspect was found with numerous fraudulent identification documents in the vehicle.

Robert SKRONSKI, age 54 from Quebec is charged with: Fraud Under \$5000 x2, Possession of Forged Document x3, Fraudulent Use of Certificate of Citizenship, Possess Identity Documents of Another x6, and Possess Credit Card Obtained by Crime.

George DAYOUB, age 26 from Quebec is charged with: Fraud Under \$5000 x2, Possession of Forged Document x2, Possess Identity Document of Another x4, Possess Credit Card Obtained by Crime, and Fail to Comply with Release Order x3

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