



INDUSTRY ADVISORY

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City Meeting on One-Stop Service and Planning Application Fee Review

Eighteen months ago, the City of Ottawa launched its program to change the way the applications for development were handled by city staff by creating a new model. Referred to as the One Stop Service, your BOMA Ottawa has been part of the process, from the industry consultation phase, to offering input on how this model could best be accomplished, to opinions on how it is working so far.

Now it is your turn.

As part of the launch of the 18-month review of One Stop Service and the Planning Application Fee Review, John Moser committed to reporting back to the industry as the work progressed.

In support of this, the city is inviting industry stakeholders to attend an update on the review of the One Stop Service, and a go-forward plan for resolving issues of concern. A presentation will also be made on the initial data obtained as part of the comprehensive review of planning application fees. Information will be presented on the effort estimates (i.e. the work involved in reviewing a typical

application, fee methodology concepts) and to see how this will all fit together.

The consultants working on the projects will be in attendance to provide the briefing and to capture industry feedback. Todd MacDonald of Performance Concepts has been in touch with BOMA as part of the review of One Stop Service, and Todd's firm is working with Andrew Grunda of Watson and Associates who is leading the comprehensive fee review.

**The session will be:
Monday, May 9, 2011
10 a.m. to 12 p.m.
Nepean Sportsplex
Boardroom C and D**

You are asked to please confirm your attendance with the City directly by contacting Lise Marier by email, or 613-580-2424 ext. 18888.

The Government Affairs Committee has acted as the liaison for the BOMA members on this file, and encourages members to take an active role by attending, even if to simply be updated.

