

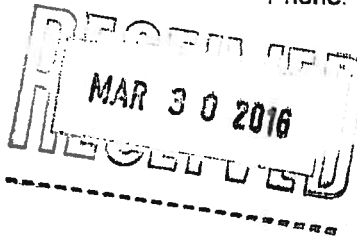
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RE: Parry Sound & Area Food Charter

At the regular meeting of Council for the Township of Carling held March 14, 2016, Council passed the following resolution:

16-036

**Moved by Councillor Larson
Seconded by Councillor Gilbert**

WHEREAS a food system includes all of the activities related to how food is produced, processed, distributed, accessed, consumed and disposed of; and,

WHEREAS food charters are used to highlight collective food-related goals and values of community members, organizations and/or municipalities within a region; and,

WHEREAS the Township of Carling recognizes the important role municipalities have in shaping local food systems, given the potential municipal impact of food-related initiatives on the health of the population and the environment, economic development, tourism and local food production; and,

WHEREAS the Township of Carling believes the Parry Sound & Area Food Charter will guide the work related to promoting a healthy, sustainable food system for the region; and,

WHEREAS the Township of Carling values health and well-being, sustainable economic development, social equity, healthy ecosystems, food literacy, and culture and collaboration, as outlined in the Parry Sound & Area Food Charter;

NOW THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED that Council for the Township of Carling endorses the Parry Sound & Area Food Charter as distributed; and

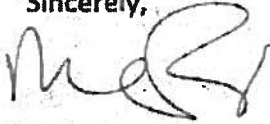
BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that Council for the Township of Carling will support efforts related to creating public policies and supportive environments that promote a healthy, sustainable food system within the region; and,

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that a copy of this resolution be sent to all other municipalities in the Nipissing and Parry Sound districts to encourage support for the Parry Sound & Area Food Charter.

Carried

If you require further information, please do not hesitate to contact the undersigned at 705-342-5856 ext. 404 or mbonenfant@carlingtownship.ca.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read 'Megan Bonenfant', written over a faint horizontal line.

Megan Bonenfant
Deputy Clerk

CC: Parry Sound and Nipissing District municipalities