

CITY OF VAUGHAN

EXTRACT FROM COUNCIL MEETING MINUTES OF JANUARY 29, 2013

Item 26, Report No. 1, of the Committee of the Whole, which was adopted without amendment by the Council of the City of Vaughan on January 29, 2013.

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**NEW BUSINESS – REQUEST FOR REPORT
REGARDING THE VENETO CENTRE TELECOMMUNICATIONS TOWER**

The Committee of the Whole recommends:

- 1) That appropriate staff prepare a report respecting the telecommunications tower located at the Veneto Centre, lands sublet to the Centre by the City of Vaughan, which in turn leases the subject and surrounding lands, part of the Parkway Belt West, from the Province of Ontario;**
- 2) That the report indicate the arrangements in place with respect to the fees paid by Rogers Communications, the owner of the tower, to the Province, the City, and the Veneto Centre;**
- 3) That consideration be given to the City assigning/transferring its portion of the fees to the Veneto Centre, in return for public benefit, namely the continued rental of event space at the Centre to community groups on an at cost basis; and**
- 4) That staff be furnished with information from the Veneto Centre, to ensure that the extent of the benefit is consistent with the funds the City might transfer to the Veneto Centre.**

The foregoing matter was brought to the attention of the Committee by Councillor Carella.