



Notice – Item for Discussion

Submitted by:	Councillor Courser
Subject:	Graffiti – Queen’s Park Skatepark
Reference Committee Name:	Executive Committee
Reference Committee Date:	April 1, 2026
General Committee Date:	April 15, 2026
City Council Date:	April 22, 2026

Motion for Consideration:

1. That a letter of support be provided to the group/individual(s) for their community public art and park revitalization proposal to construct a legal graffiti wall, install a ground surface mural and host a community opening celebration event in the City of Barrie’s Queen’s Park Skatepark as per the presentation provided to the Arts Advisory Committee on March 24, 2026.
2. That staff be directed to continue to support the planning, community engagement and implementation of the Queen’s Park Skatepark revitalization and community public art project and to prepare any required legal agreements to the satisfaction of the Director of Legal Services.
3. The approval be granted to spend up to \$20,000 from the Public Art Reserve account and to allocate \$25,000 of the \$60,408.76 approved operating budget for public art as per Council motion 25-G-133 to a maximum City contribution of \$45,000 to implement the project in part, or in full, pending receipt of matching grant funding and sponsorships.

Reason or Rationale in support of the motion:

Linkage 2022-2026 Strategic Priorities:

Community Safety