



Revisions to the Tree Bylaw and Site Alteration Bylaw

Open House

An open house was held on Tuesday, Nov. 29, 2016 from 6 to 8 p.m. in Hall C at the INVISTA Centre. Approximately 10 people attended. People had a chance to review display panels around the room and copies of the draft bylaws, to ask questions and to speak to staff.

Comments were received on: contributory woodlands mapping; the details of legal agreements and securities; the qualifications required for the approval of securities and replacement trees; the methods of calculating compensation for municipal trees; normal farm practices; and tree preservation and protection measures. A 7 p.m. presentation was given by Annemarie Eusebio, Intermediate Planner, which highlighted the proposed changes to the bylaws.

Next steps

The City is going to revise the draft bylaws based on public input received at the open house and by email. A Public Meeting at Planning Committee will be held in the spring of 2017.

Stay tuned to the [Tree Bylaw web page](#) and [Site Alteration Bylaw web page](#) for further updates.