

Advisory Panels

ADVISORY PANEL	LEGISLATIVE AUTHORITY	PANEL COMPOSITION	MANDATE
Accessibility Advisory Panel	<i>Accessibility for Ontarians with Disabilities Act, 2005</i>	Up to Eleven (11) members <ul style="list-style-type: none">The majority of members shall be persons with disabilities.While not required a Councillor may wish to sit on this Panel	To provide advice on matters related to the accessibility of municipal services, municipal programs and municipal facilities as required under the Ontarians with Disabilities Act, 2001 and the Accessibility for Ontarians with Disabilities Act, 2005.
Bell Park Advisory Panel	N/A	Up to Nine (9) members <ul style="list-style-type: none">Two (2) neighbourhood representativesTwo (2) user group representativesFour (4) community membersOne (1) member of Council	To serve as a link between the City of Greater Sudbury and the various stakeholders of Bell Park and the community at large, ensuring that the facility continues to be Greater Sudbury's premier outdoor public space, which is open and accessible to all.
Development Liaison Advisory Panel	N/A	Membership is based on stakeholder interest and commitment and not appointed by Council. Membership includes representatives from: <ul style="list-style-type: none">Sudbury and District Homebuilders Association,Sudbury Construction Association,Greater Sudbury Chamber of Commerce,Sudbury Real Estate Board,Ontario Architects Association - Sudbury Chapter,Professional Engineers of Ontario - Sudbury Chapter,Ontario Land Surveyors - Sudbury Chapter,Ontario New Home Warranty Program,Chair of Planning Committee, and Planning Committee Members ex-officio. Members are appointed on the basis of interest and willingness to participate in sub-committee workloads.	To bring together key development and construction industry interests (developers, construction associations, development consultants and approval authorities) for the purpose of maintaining and improving the development/construction environment within the City of Greater Sudbury.

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Municipal Heritage Advisory Panel	<i>Ontario Heritage Act</i>	No less than five (5) members and no more than seven (7) with expertise in local history, culture, geography or anthropology.	To advise and assist Council on matters relating to Parts IV and V of the <i>Ontario Heritage Act</i> , R.S.O. 1990 c. 0.18
Population Health Safety and Well Being Advisory Panel	<i>Safer Ontario Act, 2018</i>	Up to seventeen (17) members including: <ul style="list-style-type: none">• One (1) representative appointed by the North East Local Health Integrated Network,• One (1) representative appointed by Health Sciences North,• One (1) representative appointed by the Canadian Mental Health Association,• One (1) representative appointed by Public Health Sudbury & Districts,• One (1) representative appointed by Centre de Sante Communautaire du Grand Sudbury,• One (1) representative from local school boards and one representative from local post-secondary schools appointed by Council (preferably one French and one English representative),• One (1) representative of community or social services providers appointed by Council,• One (1) representative of community or social services providers to children or youth appointed by Council,• One (1) representative of custodial services providers to children or youth appointed by Council,• One (1) member of City Council (to act as Co-chair),• Two (2) representatives appointed by the Greater Sudbury Police Services Board comprised of one member of the Police Services Board and one high ranking officer of the police service,• One (1) representative appointed by the Urban Indigenous Sacred Circle,• Three (3) community members or experts appointed by Council, representing the following: seniors, children and youth, vulnerable and/or at-risk individuals, multi-cultural groups, the housing sector, and recreation.	To advise and assist Council in the development and implementation of an inclusive and diverse Greater Sudbury Population Health, Safety and Well-Being (PHSWB) Plan that meets the legislative requirements under the Safer Ontario Act, 2018, and that is in alignment with the City's strategic priorities.

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Public Art Advisory Panel	N/A	No less than five (5) members and no more than seven (7) members comprised of a broad representation of the arts and culture sector, including representation from, but not limited to: <ul style="list-style-type: none">• Anglophone, Francophone and Indigenous Peoples,• Independent artists and arts/cultural/heritage organizations,• Variety of artistic disciplines present within the City,• Private, not-for-profit, education and public sector,• Professional, emerging, community and commercial arts,• Geographical dispersion across the City of Greater Sudbury,• Members of Council.	To advise and assist staff and Council on the creation of the Public Art Implementation Plan.
Seniors Advisory Panel	N/A	Up to ten (10) members including: <ul style="list-style-type: none">• Three (3) representatives with a vital interest in seniors' issues in areas such as health, research and education (no age restrictions),• Six (6) representatives age 50+ from the Greater Sudbury area,• One (1) Council Member (to act as Co-Chair).	To promote, maintain and enhance seniors' quality of life in the City of Greater Sudbury through consultation, education, advice and advocacy. To advise and respond to requests by the Mayor and Council on seniors' issues, and to promote the development of a continuum of services for seniors.
Solid Waste Advisory Panel	Ministry of Environment and Climate Change (MOECC)	Up to ten (10) members: <ul style="list-style-type: none">• Six (6) to eight (8) citizens,• Two (2) Members of Council.	To function as Council's public liaison committee on current solid waste management issues.

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VETAC Regreening Advisory Panel	N/A	Membership includes volunteer technical experts from government, academia, industry and the community. Members are not appointed by Council but are selected by the Panel on the basis of their interest and qualifications. The current membership will be reinstated annually, unless: <ul style="list-style-type: none">• The member wishes to resign by indication to the Chair;• Or by virtue of continuous and consecutive absences at meetings with the number of acceptable absences to be determined by the Panel, at which time the Panel will seek interested members.	VETAC, City Council’s Advisory Panel on Regreening, was established in 1973. Their mandate is to work towards the recovery of self-sustaining, indigenous terrestrial and aquatic ecosystems in Greater Sudbury through the City's Regreening Program. VETAC also provides the community with opportunities to participate in this initiative by improving the environment at home, in neighbourhoods, and on public lands.
Watershed Advisory Panel	N/A	Up to fourteen (14) members including: <ul style="list-style-type: none">• Eight (8) citizens (preferably members of lake stewardship groups).• Six (6) lake and watershed technical experts recommended by staff from various water agencies and local post-secondary educational institutions.	To provide advice, information and expertise to the City of Greater Sudbury and its Lake Water Quality Program on the health quality of our lakes, watercourses and watersheds.