



# Request to Speak before Council

Request to Make a Deputation/Presentation to  
Council/Committee  
City of Kawartha Lakes  
City Clerk's Office  
26 Francis Street, PO Box 9000  
Lindsay, ON K9V 5R8  
705-324-9411

**Name: \***

Lindsay Downtown BIA

**Address: \***

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**City/Town/Village:**

Lindsay

**Province: \***

ON

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K9V 6G7

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There can be a maximum of two speakers for each deputation. Please list the name(s) of the individual(s) who will be speaking. The names that are listed here will be included on the Council Meeting Agenda.

**Deputant One:**

Wesley Found | Board Chair

**Deputant Two:**

Wayne English | Community Liaison

**Please provide details of the matter to which you wish to speak: \***

The Lindsay Downtown BIA wishes to address recent changes to parking fines in Downtown Lindsay and propose adjustments to the fine structure, as well as enhancements to signage. As always, we aim to advocate for a balance between effective parking enforcement and maintaining a welcoming atmosphere for visitors, and wish to inform Council of some recent concerns that we believe may have a detrimental effect to our downtown atmosphere as a result of recent changes to the municipality's parking by-law.

Please attach any additional supporting documents you wish to provide and submit with this completed form.

**Have you discussed this matter with City Staff?**

Yes

No

**If yes, Which department and staff member(s) have you spoken to?**

**What action are you hoping will result from your presentation/deputation? \***

Summary of Requests to City of Kawartha Lakes Council:

1. Incremental Increase of Parking Fines We request that the fines for the most common parking infractions in Downtown Lindsay be incrementally increased over a five-year period, as detailed in the attached table. This approach aims to balance enforcement with community needs.
2. Enhanced Signage for Free Parking We request the creation of additional signage to inform visitors of the two-hour free parking on downtown Lindsay's streets. This signage, featuring the Lindsay Downtown BIA's branding, will promote free parking as an enhanced service of our downtown. We propose that this signage be installed on all downtown lampposts to maximize visibility and awareness.

**How would you like to complete your deputation? \***

In Person in Council Chambers

By signing this form you are acknowledging that all of the information you are providing on this form is true, and giving the City permission to collect your personal information for the principal purpose of a request to make a deputation to Committee or Council as outlined below.

**Signature:**

Melissa McFarland | Executive Director

**Date:**

3/7/2025



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**Do you agree to the publication of your contact information (including your address, telephone number and email) on the City's website as part of a meeting agenda? \***

Please complete this form and return to the City Clerk's Office by submitting it online or:

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