



Cobourg Taxpayers Association

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Ombudsman Complaint Update



At a special Council meeting held on November 26, 2018, Cobourg's Ombudsman provided a report which upheld the CTA's complaint that its members were barred from a public meeting they should have been allowed to

attend and not provided with agenda material they requested.

On July 16, 2018, the Cobourg Taxpayers Association (CTA) filed a complaint with the Ombudsman for the Town of Cobourg. The complaint was filed because the Town had denied numerous requests to provide agendas and minutes for the Parks and Recreation Advisory Committee Steering Committee and evicted four CTA Directors who attempted to observe the May 4, 2018 meeting. The cover letter and a copy of the complaint can be found here:

[Cover Letter](#)

[Ombudsman Complaint](#)

The CTA has received lots of media coverage in response to a Press Release issued on November 26, 2018. Links can be found below. Copies of the Press Release and the Ombudsman's full report can be found here:

[Media Release](#)

[Ombudsman's Report](#)

Additional media coverage can be found here:

[Cobourg News Blog](#)

Help Us To Be Heard

Get involved! If you like what you see and have like-minded friends or neighbours, please share this email with at least two of your contacts. Together we can make sure that residents are well informed about the Town issues that affect us all. Help make Cobourg a better place to live, work and play.

PLEASE DONATE TO THE CTA

The CTA is completely volunteer run with no paid staff, no funding from government or special interests. Donations will be used to pay for Freedom of Information requests, our website, and other expenses.

Cheques are also welcomed and can be sent to:

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Thank You!

