

**POLICY TITLE: COMMUNITY PARTICIPATION
QUESTION TIME**

Policy No. 206

POLICY PURPOSE

A major strategic goal of Council is to facilitate "a community governed in a way that enables it to be involved in the decision making that impacts on it". Strategies and actions to achieve this goal include encouraging greater participation by residents in the Governance of the community".

POLICY STATEMENT

The public can participate at Council and Standing Committee meetings in a number of ways, as follows:

1. Deputations
2. Public Consultation
3. Public Question Time with or without Notice