

An update on the Gateway casino project

Wasaga Beach – The Town of Wasaga Beach is ready for the casino development to move forward in the municipality's west end.

"Municipal departments have worked cooperatively with Gateway and the OLG to ensure that all municipal approvals were obtained in a timely fashion," Mayor Nina Bifolchi said. "I want to thank municipal staff for their due diligence and professionalism on this project and other projects they are working on. It sends a clear message to all companies looking to invest in our community that Wasaga Beach is open for business."

The town continues to work with Gateway Casinos and Entertainment Ltd. on its construction timeline for the casino site. The building permit and site plan application are ready for implementation.

"Council shares the excitement in the community about the casino and council is thrilled about the millions of dollars being invested, the creation of new direct and indirect jobs, and the new entertainment offerings that the new casino will bring to Wasaga Beach," Mayor Bifolchi said. "We have a strong working relationship with OLG and we are aware that all provincial approvals are in place."

Mayor Bifolchi and senior municipal staff are in regular contact with Gateway and the Ontario Lottery and Gaming Corporation on the casino's progress and remain committed to keeping the community updated on the project.

"We welcome Gateway to our community and we look forward to them initiating the construction phase," Mayor Bifolchi said.

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