

J. Paul Dubé, Ombudsman

April 19, 2018

Via email

Mayor Dave Augustyn Pelham Town Hall 20 Pelham Town Square

P.O. Box 400 Fonthill, ON LOS 1E0

Dear Mayor Augustyn,

Re: Report – Office of the Ontario Ombudsman

I have completed my investigation into whether council for the Town of Pelham held an improper closed meeting and an illegal informal gathering on September 5, 2017. Please find my final report enclosed. We ask that you distribute the enclosed report to council.

In accordance with section 14.1 (8) of the *Ombudsman Act*, the town should make my report available to the public, and we ask that this be done no later than the next council meeting. Pursuant to section 14.1 (9) of the *Ombudsman Act*, I will also post a copy of the report on my website at www.ombudsman.on.ca.

Yours truly,

Paul Dubé

Ombudsman of Ontario

CC: Clerk, Nancy Bozzato

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