Request to Speak to a Committee of Council

If your request is for a specific committee meeting, this form must be received by NOON the day before the scheduled committee meeting. Requests for Monday meetings must be received the Friday before the meeting. Requests for meetings scheduled for the day after a statutory holiday must be received the last business day before the meeting.

Standing Committee Requested

Kindly indicate which Standing Committee: * Board of Health

Requestor Information

Name of Individual: * Wey Robinson
Name of Organization: Campaign for Adequate Welfare and Disability Benefits, Committee on Food Security Issues
Do you or your organization represent a lobbyist (voluntary) ☐ Yes ☑ No
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Mailing Address: * 23 Picton St. W. Hamilton On L8L 1E1
Reason(s) for delegation request: * We will speak to the public health aspects of the ongoing hunger crisis in Hamilton which is now rapidly growing with the economic downturn. We believe the Board of Health has a responsibility in the short term to more closely monitor and regulate food banks and other emergency food providers as they receive municipal funding, and a responsibility through the Community Food Security Stakeholders Committee to collaborate more closely with the Community Services Department in devising immediate measures to ensure safe, healthy and adequate food for all in need. We wish to speak to the September 28 meeting of the Board. Our presentation will be made by Michelle Hruschka, Co-chair of our committee on food security issues.
Will you be submitting a formal presentation?* ☐ Yes ☑ No
☐ Overhead projector required for the presentation
☐ Power Point required for the presentation

Requests to speak to Council are forwarded to the Standing Committee for consideration. Once considered by Committee, and approved, you will be notified of the date for your presentation. Personal information collected on this form is authorized under Section 5.10(2) of the City’s Procedural By-law No. 03- 301 for the purpose of contacting individuals and/or organizations requesting an opportunity to appear as a delegation before a Standing Committee and will be published with the Committee Agenda. The Voluntary Lobbyist Registry is a public document and will be available for viewing in the City Clerk’s office. The Procedural By-law is a requirement of Section 238(2) of the Municipal Act. Questions about its collection can be directed to the Manager of Legislative Services, 77 James St N, Suite 220, Hamilton, ON L8R 2K3 (905) 546-2424 ext. 5409