Council approves 1.3 million more for downtown plaza

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Only two options were entertained for the downtown plaza.

Approve with the extra amount or reduce the scope/scale. Not listed was any thought of cancelling the project.



After a significant presentation by Deputy CAO Tom Vair and extensive discussion, council voted 8-3 in favour of spending the extra CCBF (Former gas tax) funds. In the end, the city is responsible for 81% of the total costs according to figures presented by Matthew Shoemaker during the meeting.

For:

Mayor Provenzano

Corey Gardi

Paul Christian

Sandra Hollingsworth

Lisa Vezeau-Allen

Donna Hilsinger

Luke Dufour

Rick Niro

Against-

Marchi Bruni

Matt Scott

Matt Shoemaker

SaultOnline will bring you a more in-depth article in the coming days on the over hour long conversation which occurred.

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