

**Clr Russ Powers' column**  
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The recent Food Drive, in support of the Salvation Army Food Bank in Dundas and organized by Dundas Community Services, was an over-whelming success with more than 38.6 tonnes of food and toiletries collected and over \$3,500 donated. Congratulations and thanks to the Co-Chairs, Robert Turner and Rev. Dr. Don Donaghey and the 200+ volunteers who made the endeavor such a success.

During Centennial Year 1967, Welcome to Dundas signs were installed on Cootes Dr, just east of East St and on Osler Dr, just east of Grant Blvd in the Binkley Hollow. Over time, their condition had deteriorated to the point of no return so replacement was necessary. I discussed various options with the City's Public Works Dept and through the generosity of both the Downtown Dundas BIA and the Dundas Division of the Hamilton Chamber of Commerce, new signs were designed, constructed and installed.

The City of Hamilton's Flu Clinics will commence on Nov 4<sup>th</sup> and run through Dec 10<sup>th</sup> (21 clinics in total). In Dundas, the clinics will take place at the Dundas Lions Memorial Community Centre, 10 Market St S on Mon, Nov 10<sup>th</sup> from 11 am – 3 pm and on Mon, Dec 8<sup>th</sup> from 3 pm – 7 pm. For other dates, check out the Public Health Community Clinics webpage at [www.hamilton.ca/influenza](http://www.hamilton.ca/influenza) .

Arts Dundas, an annual four-day event organized by the Carnegie Gallery, will have several venues throughout the community from Nov 6<sup>th</sup> – 9<sup>th</sup> inclusive. Be sure to view their webpage at [www.carnegiegallery.org](http://www.carnegiegallery.org) for details.

The City is developing a Transportation Master Plan to identify required changes to the transportation network in Dundas involving King, Hatt, Main and Market Sts and Governors Rd. Your comments are welcome so drop-in anytime between 6 – 8 pm on Thurs, Oct 30<sup>th</sup> in the upstairs auditorium of the Dundas Municipal Service Centre, 60 Main St. Additional info is available by visiting the project website at [www.hamilton.ca/DowntownDundasTMP](http://www.hamilton.ca/DowntownDundasTMP) .

The Government of Canada has initiated a "Do-Not-Call" Registry. If you want to be added to the list, sign up online at [LNTE-DNCL.gc.ca](http://LNTE-DNCL.gc.ca) or call the toll-free numbers 1-866-580-3625 or 1-888-362-5889 (for the hearing impaired).

The next Dundas Community Council meeting is Wednesday, Nov 19<sup>th</sup> at 7 pm in the Council Chambers at the Dundas Municipal Service Centre, 60 Main St.