

# Skelton Brumwell & ASSOCIATES INC.

## Winter 2016 Newsletter

### SKELTON, BRUMWELL & ASSOCIATES (SBA) NEWS: The Leading Edge

#### **Aggregate Recycling Ontario**

SBA is pleased to announce that we are now qualified to certify aggregate recycling facilities for membership with Aggregate Recycling Ontario. Matt Bertram, P.Eng., has completed the 3rd Party Engineers Accreditation Training Course, and is one of only 11 professional engineers in Ontario who is certified to complete audits of aggregate recycling facilities.

#### **URBISARBOR**

Check on our new blog on urban forestry @ [www.urbisarbor.com](http://www.urbisarbor.com).

#### **Adjala-Tosorontio GMS**

SBA has been retained by the Township of Adjala-Tosorontio to undertake a Growth Management Strategy.

#### **Enhanced Client Communication**

SBA is in the process of implementing SharePoint based services to enhance communications and information exchange between the consulting team and clients.

#### **Changes to ARA and Provincial Plans**

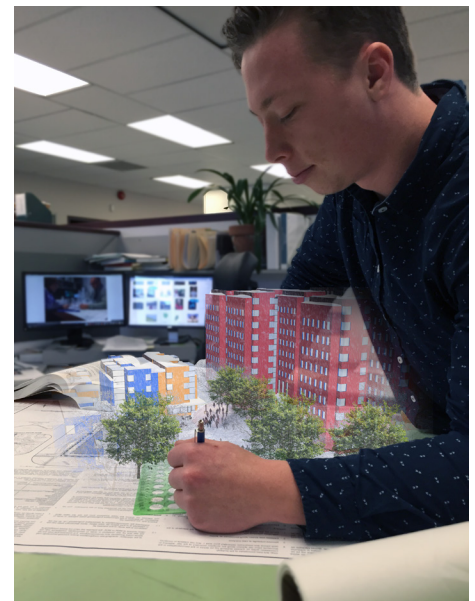
SBA has been integrally involved in review of and comments on the recently released "Blueprint for Change" and the "Planning for Health, Prosperity and Growth" reports. Look for details in our next newsletter.

### NEW CLIENT SERVICES:



#### Municipal Services

- + Official Plan and Comprehensive Zoning By-Laws
- + Growth Management Strategies
- + Strategic Plans
- + Planning Administration
- + Peer Review
- + Urban Design Guidelines
- + Best Management Practices
- + Cultural Heritage Planning
- + Community Engagement and Social Media
- + Economic Development Strategies
- + Public Engagement



#### Landscape Architecture

- + Urban and Community Design
- + Complete Street Design
- + Streetscapes
- + Public Health Design
- + Community Resiliency Planning
- + Master-planning
- + Trail Planning & Design
- + Active Transportation
- + Natural Heritage Strategies
- + Green Energy Proposal and Studies
- + Park & Square Design
- + Climate Change Adaptation
- + Development Guidelines and Standards



**Michael Wynia MCIP, RPP**

We are pleased to announce that Michael Wynia has returned to Skelton Brumwell and Associates Inc. as Senior Land Use and Environmental Planner.

Michael originally joined SBA in 1988 in the role of Planner and Project Coordinator after working with MNRF in the Conservation Authorities section. After working on a variety of projects throughout the Province, and starting up SBA's environmental services, Michael left SBA to take on a position as Director of Planning for Clearview in 2001.

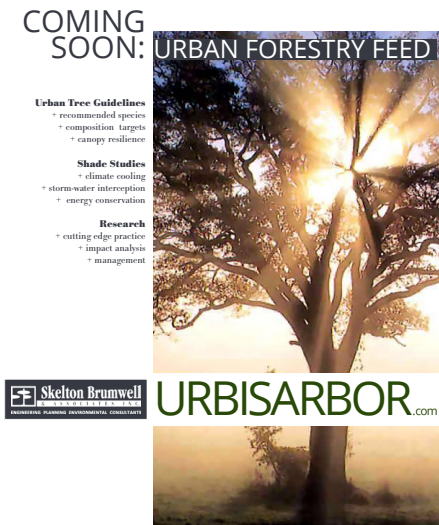
Following 13 years of public sector experience, Michael decided to bring his expanded range of knowledge and experience back to private sector working as part of the SBA team. In making this decision, Michael told us that he valued the reputation, integrity and client loyalty that SBA has earned over its 45 years in the business of providing our best advice to clients.

Michael has an extensive background in municipal planning and management as well as natural heritage planning and ecology. He has established a solid reputation for providing innovative, pragmatic and reliable solutions to complex projects and issues. Michael has an intimate knowledge of the land use planning approvals process, and has effectively managed large scale planning and development projects by applying his

considerable range of experience in both the public and private sectors.

Michael looks forward to taking on new projects and challenges, expanding our range of services, and applying his expertise to achieve results for clients.

Please join us in welcoming Michael back to the team, and wishing him much success!



**Michael - Latonell Symposium**



**Landon Black BLA, ISA**

We are very pleased to welcome Landon Black to the Skelton Brumwell Team starting November 2015.

Landon is a Landscape Architect Intern and Certified Arborist having graduated from the University of Guelph in 2014 with a Bachelors Degree in Landscape Architecture. Landon is an Associate Member of the Ontario Association of Landscape Architects and he will fulfill the OALA designation requirements here.

Several of Landon's work experiences are particularly relevant to the work at SBA. At Clearview Nursery he has been the Manager of Quarry Rehabilitation for the Walker Duntroon Quarry. Landon has worked with Dunbar Associates on municipal transportation and recreation projects, and master planning. At the Town of Collingwood and the Township of Clearview Landon prepared urban forest inventories and analysis, the emerald Ash Borer Action Plan and streetscaping guidelines.

We look forward to Landon's participation and initiatives in site planning and rehabilitation design, arborist services, landscape design and construction and rehabilitation work.



Trudy Paterson RPP, CET

The Management and Staff of Skelton Brumwell & Associates Inc. congratulate Trudy Paterson, Senior Planner, on her retirement and thank her for 35 years of service. Trudy received a Diploma of Resources Engineering Technology from Georgian College in 1976. She began her career with Rod Raikes OLS Survey before moving on to the MNR where she drafted plans and land use maps.

In 1988 Trudy was granted Provisional Member status in the OPPI. A year later Trudy began her studies in geography at York University. In 1995 she graduated with her Bachelor's Degree in Geography with the Atkinson Award for Rural Canadian Studies. Trudy was approved by the MNR to prepare and certify ARA Site Plans in 1999.

A retirement celebration, including staff and members of Trudy's family, was held in December 2015. We will miss her knowledge, curiosity and enthusiasm.

