



LEGAL AND COURT SERVICES OVERVIEW

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WHAT WE DO



LEGAL SERVICES

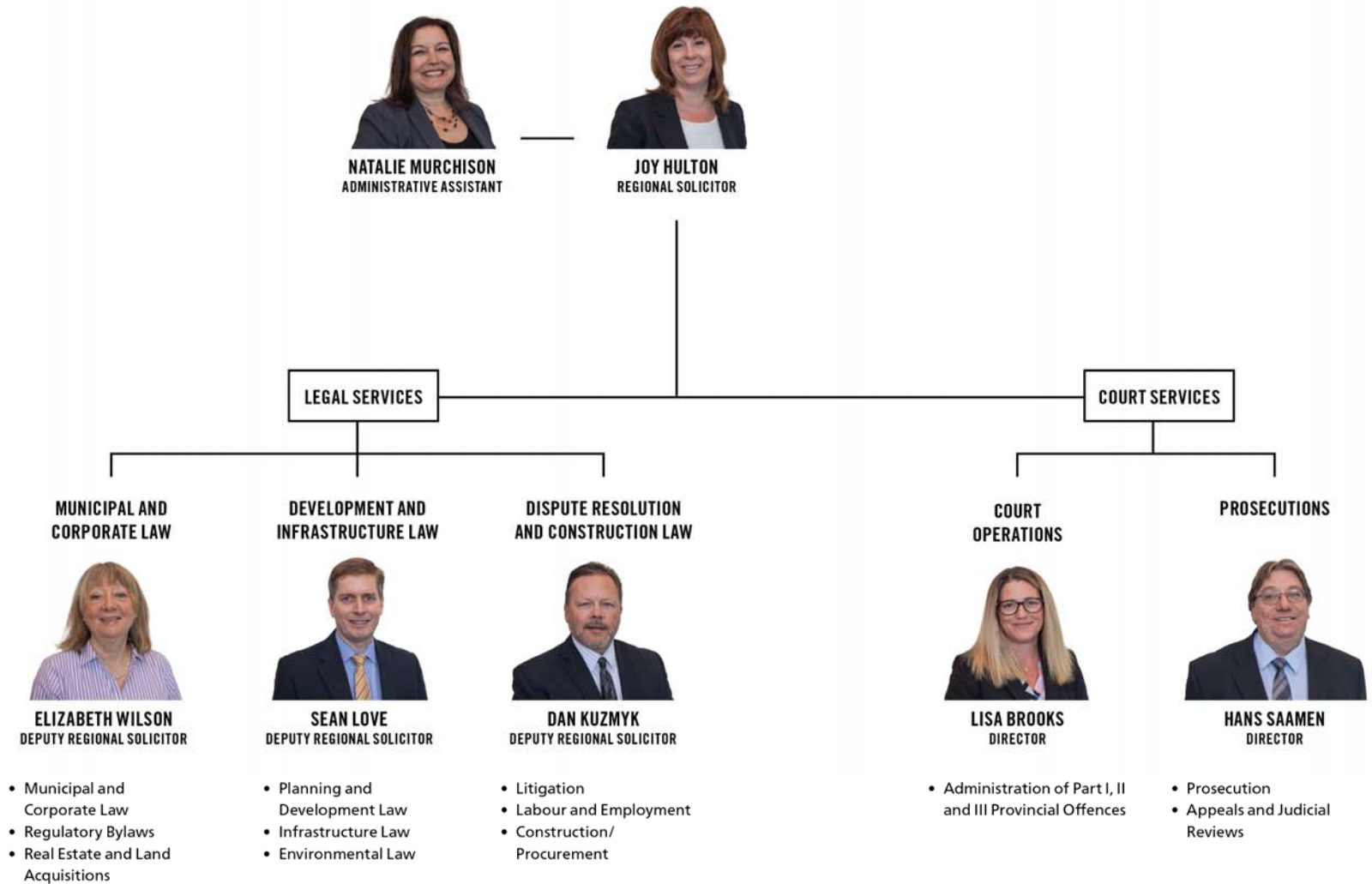
- Deliver readily accessible, cost-effective in-house legal expertise to meet the diverse needs of Regional Departments, the Police Services Board and its corporations
- Represent the Region in hearings and court proceedings, resolve disputes, deliver legal opinions, negotiate and draft legal agreements, work to ensure regulatory compliance, guard against legal risk and enforce the Region's rights



COURT SERVICES

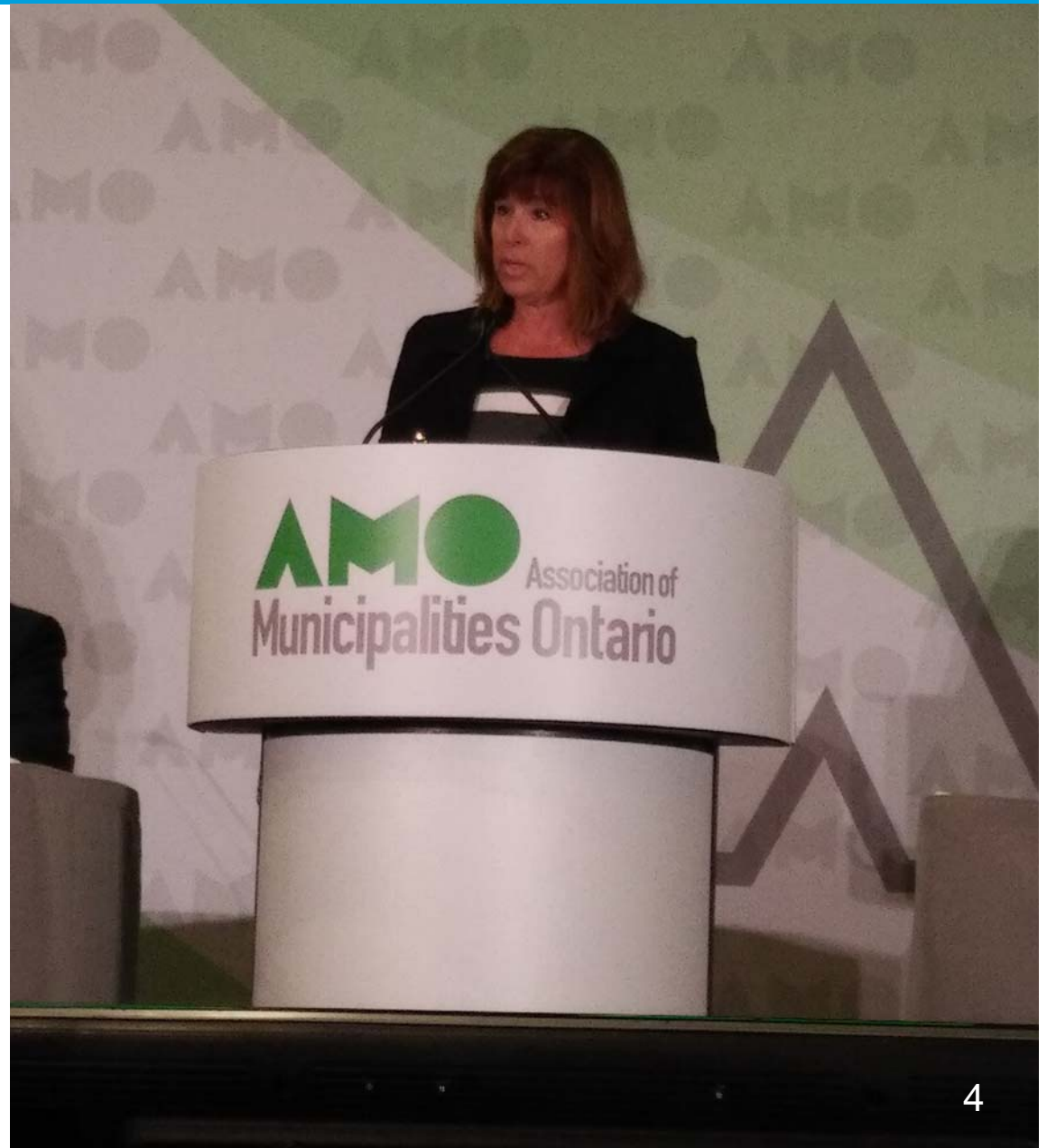
- Prosecution of Part I and II Provincial Offence Act charges
- Operate the Provincial Offences Courts in Newmarket and Richmond Hill

WHO WE ARE



ACCOMPLISHMENTS

Lead the Inter-Municipal Cannabis Working Group



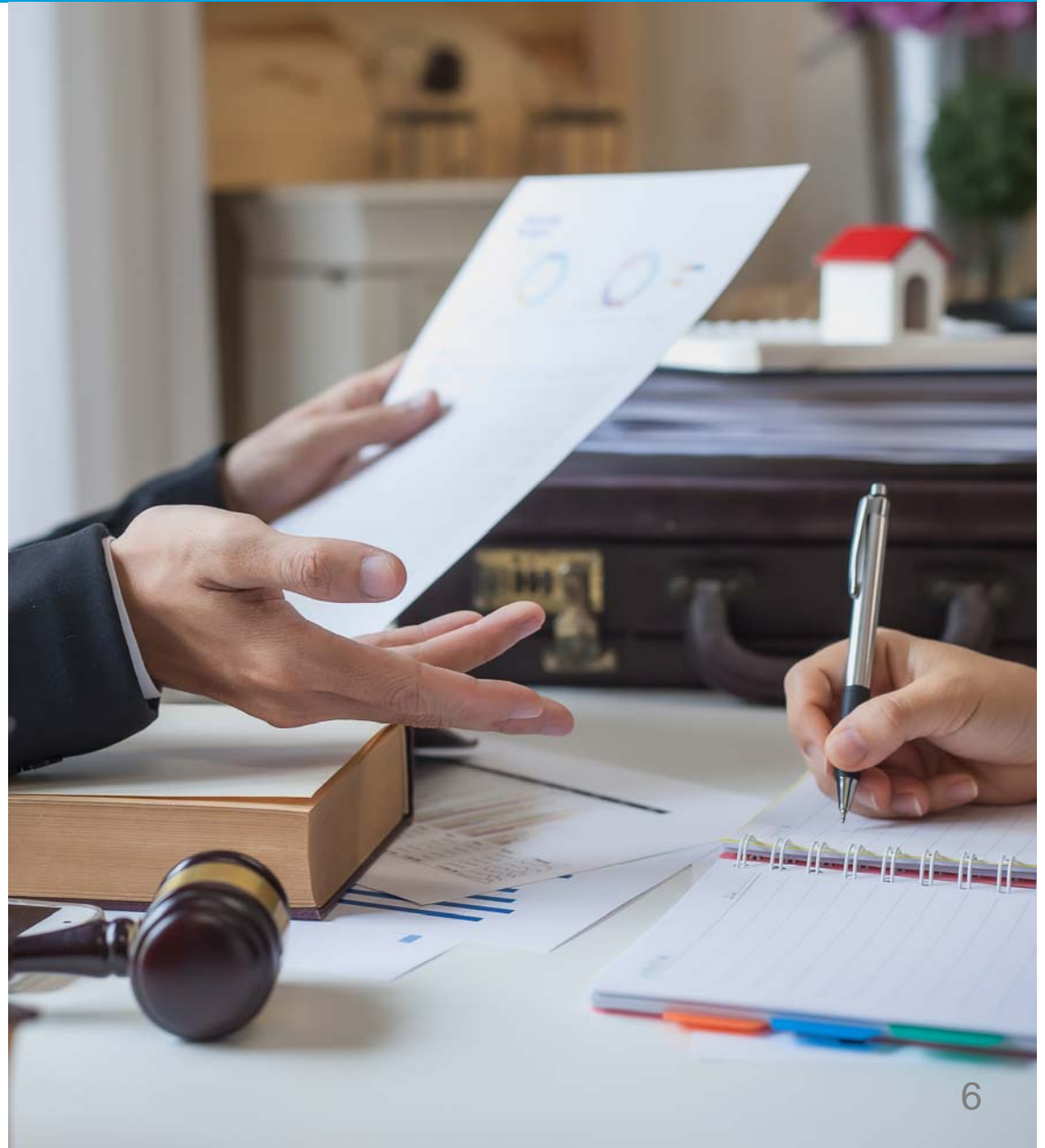
ACCOMPLISHMENTS

Redesigned the
Parking Bylaw to
include Administrative
Monetary Penalties



ACCOMPLISHMENTS

- Supported the rollout of eProcurement
- Led enactment of a revised Purchasing Bylaw
- Carriage or supervision of 500 Civil Files



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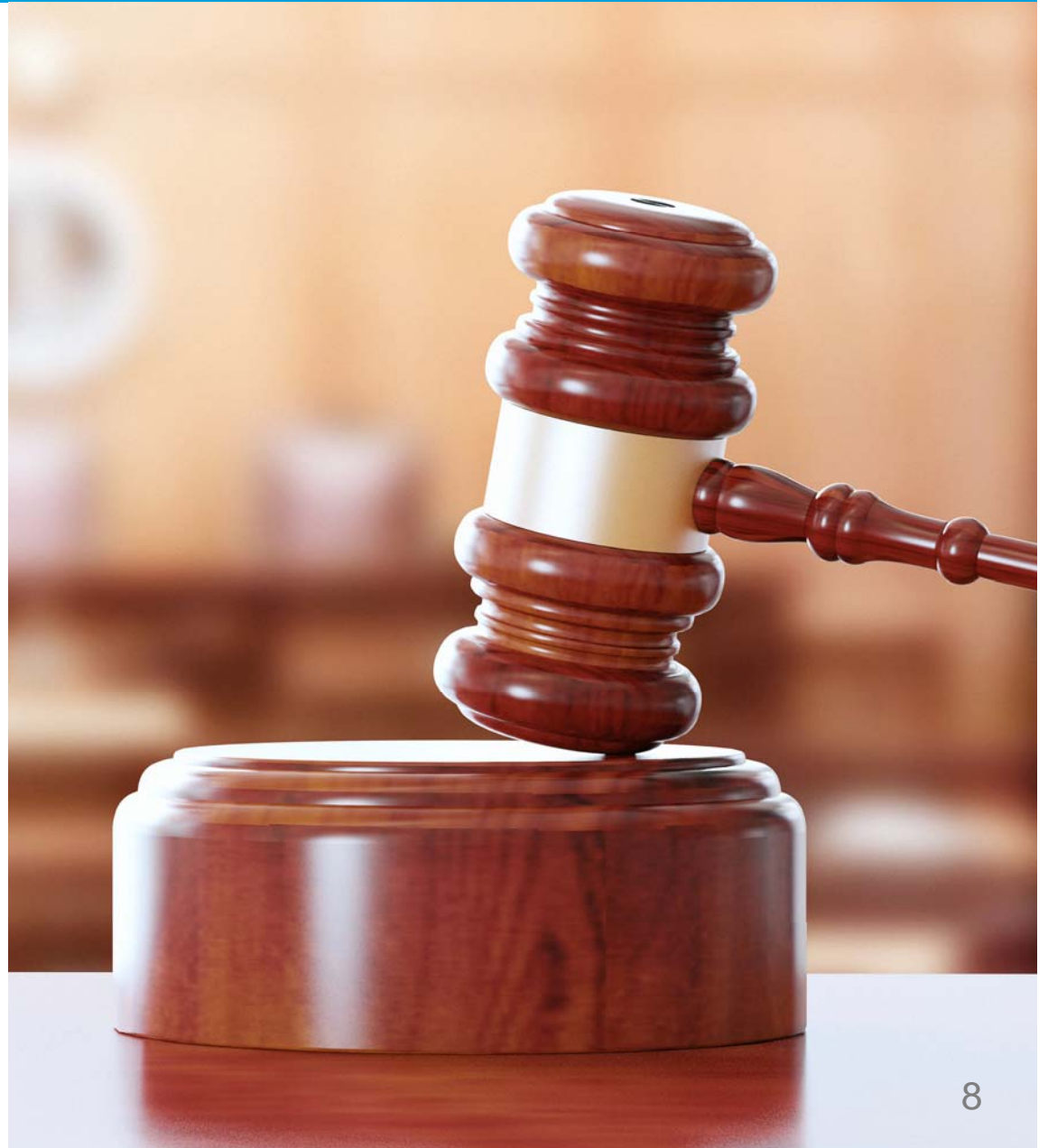
Implement Video
Testimony with York
Regional Police

JANUARY 2019 DEPARTMENT OVERVIEW



ACCOMPLISHMENTS

- Recovered over \$200,000 in civil claims collection
- Implemented Council Approved POA Collection Strategy to increase collection of default fine revenue
- Prosecuted 103,000 matters



ACCOMPLISHMENTS

- Provided disclosure in over 33,842 cases
- Administered 160,515 Provincial Offences Act Charges
- 169,687 provided in-person telephone service to Court Users



REPORT OUTLOOK

Every Year	2019	2020 - 2022
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Use of Delegated Authority for Representation in Matters before the Local Planning Appeal Tribunal • Regional Solicitor Use of Delegated Settlement Authority • Disposition of Matters Under the Purchasing Bylaw • Authority to Commence/Settle Litigation (as required) • Annual Report for Court Services 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Part III – POA Download • AMPS (Administrative Monetary Penalty System) • Cyber Breach Response Framework • Purchasing Bylaw Update 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Retainer for External Legal Services – 2021-2023 (2020) • Purchasing Bylaw 3-Year Review (2021)

PARTNERSHIPS AND ALLIANCES

Local Municipalities



Regional Partners

York Regional Police

Local Community

Local Municipalities

Provincial

Judiciary
Ministry of the Attorney General
Provincial Enforcement Officers
Ontario Provincial Police
Ministry of Municipal Affairs

Federal

Department of Canadian Heritage

Additional Partners

Municipal Law Departments of Ontario (MLDAO)
Emergency Services Steering Committee (ESSC)
Municipal Court Managers Association of Ontario (MCMA)
Prosecutors Association of Ontario
Association of Municipalities of Ontario (AMO)
Ontario Municipal Tax and Revenue Association (OMTRA)

QUESTIONS/DISCUSSION

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