

Roger Anderson Reflects on 2007

Roger Anderson, Chair, Region of Durham.

A highlight of the past year for Anderson is **"that the waste plant is coming online,"** he says of Durham Regions proposed energy-from-waste facility.

As well, Anderson said he was pleased to see a new recycling centre opened in Durham, which would handle some 100,000 tonnes of recycling every year. He added that he's happy with the good reports that have been coming to counsel on completing the east end of Hwy. 407 and with the support that the Region has been giving the Canadian troops that are fighting overseas by putting decals on all regional buildings and vehicles.

Next year, Anderson would like to see the completion of the environmental assessment on the energy-from-waste facility, "so we can move forward with it," he said. He added that he would also like some attention on the courthouse in Oshawa.

As well, he said that he wants to get a quick start of the budget for 2008. And one thing he's disappointed with and would like to see some action on is the lack of funding for the transit programs and says, "I'm sure 2008 will result in some recognition from the province for transit."