?Sunshine? staffers grow in number at King Township

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King Township had 10 employees on what's known as the ?Sunshine List? ??civil servants earning \$100,000 or more annually. This number is up by four over the six staffers in this category in 2014.

The salaries and taxable benefits of employees in the Ontario Public Service and the broader public sector who were paid \$100,000 or more in 2015 were released last week. The Public Sector Salary Disclosure Act requires public sector organizations to disclose, by March 31, the name, position, salary and taxable benefits of their employees paid \$100,000 or more in the previous calendar year. The top wage earner in King is CAO?Susan Plamondon, who was paid \$184,020.26 last year.

Next was director of finance Allan Evelyn, who earned \$125,307.81.

He was followed by planning director Stephen Kitchen and clerk Kathryn Smyth (Moyle), who both earned \$119,039.74. Alan Jackson, arena manager, followed with a salary of \$117,292.93. Brian Grubbe, chief building official, took in \$116,456.83. Fire Chief Jim Wall earned \$113,211.56.

Mike Cole, deputy director of engineering and development, earned \$108,333.71 and Chris Fasciano, director of parks, recreation and culture, made \$107,744.36. Rounding out the list was Scott Donald, manager of parks, recreation and culture, who earned \$102,845.97.

King Mayor Steve Pellegrini earned \$120,773.78. He works as the City of Brampton's supervisor of business services. Councillor Bill?Cober is a principal with the York Region District School Board. He earned \$122,746.63.