



**City of Belleville
Recreation, Culture and Community Services**
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BELLEVILLE – The City of Belleville is pleased to announce that Templeman Menninga LLP has received approval to own the naming rights to the Aquatic Centre at the Quinte Sports & Wellness Centre. Upon execution of the Agreement, the Aquatic Centre will be known as the “Templeman Menninga Aquatic Centre”.

In April 2013, the City issued an Expression of Interest for Naming Rights within the newly expanded Quinte Sports & Wellness Centre. Tonight, Council passed resolution to enter into a Naming Rights Agreement with Templeman Menninga LLP for naming rights to the Aquatic Centre for \$75,000 + applicable tax over ten (10) years.

“The City of Belleville is delighted to have Templeman Menninga sponsor the naming rights for the Aquatic Centre”, says Mayor Neil Ellis. “This contribution will provide additional, sustainable revenue that will help support programs and services at the Centre and is testament to the generous support of our community partners and their confidence in investing in this community asset”.

“We are excited to be one of the first companies to lend our support through naming rights at the expanded Quinte Sports & Wellness Centre. The Centre is a wonderful facility that is meeting the growing health and wellness needs in the community and region. We are proud to have our name attached to the Aquatic Centre”, says Harold Van Winssen, Partner, Templeman Menninga LLP.

Templeman Menninga LLP is one of the largest regional law firms in Central and Eastern Ontario and has been a long standing business in Belleville and region since 1981. Templeman Menninga LLP has grown to 24 lawyers and 31 support staff currently providing a full range of legal services throughout the Quinte region with branch offices in Kingston, Brockville and Whitby. Templeman Menninga LLP is a regular supporter of community projects and events within the communities it serves.

The Aquatic Centre features 3 pools; a 25 metre main pool, a therapy pool and a preschool. The pools are used throughout the year with an average of 3,000 swim participants per week for swimming lessons, adult/senior aquatic programs, therapeutic programs, recreational swims, birthday parties, corporate and school bookings and is home to the Belleville Youth Swim Team.

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