

PortsToronto Annual General Meeting Opening Remarks Deborah Wilson June 12, 2025

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Good afternoon.

My name is Deborah Wilson, and I am the Vice President of Communications and Public Affairs at PortsToronto.

I would like to welcome you today to PortsToronto's 2024 Annual General Meeting.

I will begin today by acknowledging that we are located on the traditional territory of many nations including the Mississaugas of the Credit, the Anishnabeg, the Chippewa, the Haudenosaunee and the Wendat peoples, and is now home to many diverse First Nations, Inuit and Métis peoples. PortsToronto also recognizes that Toronto is covered by Treaty 13 signed with the Mississaugas of the Credit, and the Williams Treaties signed with multiple Mississaugas and Chippewa bands.

The agenda for today's meeting is as follows: In a moment I will invite PortsToronto's Board Chair, Jane McKenna, to provide her remarks. We will then hear an overview of our performance in 2024 and some of the highlights of the year from President and CEO, RJ Steenstra. Finally, I will invite our Vice President Strategy and Chief Financial Officer, John Peellegoda, to present topline financial information for 2024.

Following John's remarks, we will hold a Question-and-Answer period. We did invite participants to submit questions in advance. We will address the questions that were submitted first, and will then answer any other questions that those of you in the audience may have. We do have microphones so if you have a question, please signal to one of our team who will bring you a mic.

We will try to get all questions answered, but we do have a time limit for this AGM. I will remind you that this is not your only opportunity to ask questions of us. Questions can always be sent to communications@portstoronto.com at any point. We will respond to your inquiry in a timely manner through email.

It is now my pleasure to introduce Jane McKenna, Chair of the Board of PortsToronto.

Thank you, John.

With that we will move into our Question-and-Answer period. As I mentioned at the outset, we did receive a few questions in advance which will be addressed first. I will then open the floor to questions. I will read the question and ask my colleagues to answer as appropriate.

First question...

<Q&A Period>

If there are no more questions, I will thank all of those who attended today's Annual General Meeting.

Once again, you can always submit questions through our communications@portstoronto.com mailbox.

Our website is updated daily with news and information, and our social media platforms are very active in providing news and updates to our community.

Thank you again for joining us today.

Please enjoy the rest of your day.