

Streetcar Island Platform at the Intersection of Via Italia and St. Clair Avenue West

(City Council on December 14, 15 and 16, 1999, adopted the following recommendation:

“It is recommended that Council concur with the following actions taken by the Budget Advisory Committee at its meeting held on December 10, 1999, in its consideration of the 2000-2004 Capital Budget Review of the Toronto Transit Commission:

‘That the Policy and Finance Committee be advised that the Budget Advisory Committee reaffirms the installation of the Streetcar Island Platform at Via Italia and St. Clair Avenue West; that the project be re-budgeted in the 2000 Capital Budget of the Toronto Transit Commission; and that the project be re-tendered early in the year, for completion by spring.’ ”)

The Policy and Finance Committee reports having forwarded the following communication (November 24, 1999) from Councillor Tom Jakobek, East Toronto, to Council for consideration; and reports having requested the Chief Financial Officer and Treasurer to submit a report thereon directly to Council for its meeting scheduled to be held on December 14, 1999, respecting the source of funding therefor:

I have attached for your perusal a letter from Councillor Betty Disero, Davenport, concerning additional funding for the above project.

Please have this matter placed on your next Agenda.

Your prompt attention is appreciated.

(Communication dated November 18, 1999, addressed to
Councillor Jakobek from Councillor Disero)

On February 19, 1999, the Budget Committee approved the installation of a TTC island at the above-noted location. The recommendation was adopted without amendment at the March 2, 3, and 4, 1999, City Council meeting.

It is my understanding that tenders that have been received are for more than the original amount approved. Could you please request the Budget Committee to provide the additional funding for the project.

Thank you for your consideration in this matter.