

**MINUTES OF THE COUNCIL
OF THE
CITY OF TORONTO**

**TUESDAY, JULY 27, 1999,
WEDNESDAY, JULY 28, 1999,
THURSDAY, JULY 29, 1999 AND
FRIDAY, JULY 30, 1999**

City Council met in the Council Chamber, City Hall, Toronto.

CALL TO ORDER

- 8.1 Mayor Lastman took the Chair and called the Members to order.

The meeting opened with O Canada.

PRESENTATION OF REPORTS

July 27, 1999:

- 8.2 Councillor Moeser presented the following Reports for consideration by Council:

Report No. 3 of The Policy and Finance Committee,
Report No. 2 of The Planning and Transportation Committee,
Report No. 9 of The Etobicoke Community Council,
Report No. 9 of The Scarborough Community Council,
Report No. 10 of The Toronto Community Council,
Report No. 4 of The Policy and Finance Committee,
Report No. 2 of The Community Services Committee,
Report No. 2 of The Economic Development and Parks Committee,
Report No. 3 of The Planning and Transportation Committee,
Report No. 2 of The Works Committee,
Report No. 2 of The Administration Committee,
Report No. 3 of The Administration Committee,
Report No. 8 of The East York Community Council,

Report No. 10 of The Etobicoke Community Council,
Report No. 7 of The North York Community Council,
Report No. 10 of The Scarborough Community Council,
Report No. 11 of The Toronto Community Council,
Report No. 8 of The York Community Council,
Report No. 5 of The Audit Committee,
Report No. 7 of The Nominating Committee, and
Report No. 6 of the Board of Health,

and moved, seconded by Councillor King, that Council now give consideration to such Reports, which carried.

July 29, 1999:

- 8.3 Councillor Duguid, with the permission of Council, presented the following Report for the consideration of Council:

Report No. 5 of The Policy and Finance Committee,

and moved, seconded by Councillor Chow, that, in accordance with the provisions of Section 44 of the Council Procedural By-law, Council now give consideration to such Report, which carried, more than two-thirds of Members present having voted in the affirmative.

8.4 **DECLARATIONS OF INTEREST**

Councillor Cho declared his interest in Clause No. 3 of Report No. 2 of The Administration Committee, headed "Conditions of Employment - Council Staff Members", in that a member of his family is an employee in his office.

Councillor Chow declared her interest in Clause No. 17 of Report No. 11 of The Toronto Community Council, headed "Variance from Chapter 297, Signs, of the Former City of Toronto Municipal Code - 235 Queens Quay (Downtown)", in that her stepdaughter acts as a summer camp director at the subject site.

Councillor Fillion declared his interest in Clause No. 1 of Report No. 3 of The Planning and Transportation Committee, headed "Draft Official Plan Amendments and Zoning By-law Amendments to Permit Second Suites As-of-Right", in that he owns property which contains a second suite.

Councillor Fotinos declared his interest in Clause No. 26 of Report No. 4 of The Policy and Finance Committee, headed "Child Care Capital Needs and Future Funding Strategies", and in Item (f), entitled "Provincial Response to Child Care Cost Sharing Request", embodied in Clause No. 36 of Report No. 4 of The Policy and Finance Committee, headed "Other Items Considered by the Committee", in that his mother provides private home child care.

Councillor Moscoe moved that the Clause be amended by deleting the words “with the City of Vancouver” from Recommendation No. (15) embodied in the report dated July 8, 1999, from the Chief Administrative Officer, and inserting in lieu thereof the words “from the City of Vancouver”, so that such recommendation shall now read as follows:

“(15) the Steering Committee seek comments on the matter of the correspondence from R.V. Anderson Associates Limited respecting an application from Leducor Communications Limited, from the City of Vancouver;”.

Votes:

The motion by Councillor Moscoe carried.

The Clause, as amended, carried.

8.8 **Clause No. 22 of Report No. 4 of The Policy and Finance Committee, headed “Toronto Transit Commission (TTC) - Provincial/Municipal Funding Trends and Longer-Term Funding Strategies”.**

Motion:

Councillor Moscoe moved that the Clause be struck out and referred back to the Toronto Transit Commission for further consideration.

Vote:

The motion by Councillor Moscoe carried.

8.9 **Clause No. 27 of Report No. 4 of The Policy and Finance Committee, headed “Youth Employment Program - Two Wheel Drive, Grant from Human Resources Development Canada”.**

Having regard that the Clause was submitted without recommendation:

Motion:

Councillor Duguid moved that Council adopt the following recommendation:

“It is recommended that the report dated July 22, 1999, from the Commissioner of Community and Neighbourhood Services, embodying the following recommendations, be adopted:

‘It is recommended that:

WHEREAS City Staff have no objections to a licence being granted subject to conditions (see Schedule 'B' attached); and

WHEREAS this corner property needs upgrading; and

WHEREAS both Councillors are in favour of this application; and

WHEREAS, unless this application is granted at the July 27, 1999 Council meeting the summer patio business season will be lost to Timothy's until next year;

NOW THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED THAT a boulevard café licence be granted to Timothy's Coffees of the World Inc. to occupy the boulevard at 1788-1790 Avenue Road, Unit 1, subject to provisions of the Transportation Services Division, Works and Emergency Services Department."

Council also had before it, during consideration of Motion J (6), the following communications:

- (i) (July 22, 1999) from Mr. Gary Freedman, North Avenue Road Developments Inc., requesting that this matter be submitted to Council for consideration at its meeting to be held on July 27, 1999; and
- (ii) (July 23, 1999) from the Director of Transportation Services, District 3, Works and Emergency Services, addressed to Councillors Berger and Flint, outlining the conditions required for the issuance of the requested permit.

A copy of the aforementioned communications is on file in the office of the City Clerk.

Vote:

Motion J(6) was adopted, without amendment.

- 8.87 Councillor Disero moved that subsections 26(4), 27(1) and 28(1) of the Council Procedural By-law be waived to permit consideration of the following Notice of Motion J(7), which carried, more than two-thirds of Members present having voted in the affirmative:

Moved by: **Councillor Disero**

Seconded by: **Councillor Fotinos**

“**WHEREAS** the former City of Toronto considered an application filed by F. Zappone Limited regarding 2019, 2021 and 2025 Davenport Road on Tuesday, November 25, 1997, requesting the severance of the site into six parcels of land; and

WHEREAS on consideration of the concerns expressed by Urban Planning and Development Services and concerns expressed by local residents and Ward Councillors, the agent for the applicant agreed to sever the property into five parcels of land only, and as a result, the Committee found the proposed subdivision into five parcels of land (whereas parcel six be combined with parcel five and be maintained as landscaped open space) to be reasonable, where lot sizes would be in keeping with the character and development pattern in the neighbourhood; and

WHEREAS the City of Toronto Committee of Adjustment considered an application filed by Frank Zappone Limited for 2025 Davenport Road on June 15, 1999: the application called for the severance of the previously described parcels five and six into three parcels of land; to maintain the existing semi-detached house on a reduced lot; and construct a two-storey detached house and a rear garage; and

WHEREAS the Urban Planning and Development Services, in its communications dated June 9, 1998 and June 11, 1999, to the Committee of Adjustment, expressed the following concerns: the creation of new building lots in the rear of the existing building 2035 Davenport Road cannot be considered desirable or appropriate development of the lands; the proposed lot pattern will not be in keeping with the established lot pattern of the neighbourhood; and the development would have negative impacts on adjacent properties, in terms of diminishing privacy, sense of enclosure and a generally reduced level of enjoyment of rear yard amenities for abutting property owners; and

WHEREAS local residents vehemently opposed to a precedent setting of a 'house behind a house' or a house in the middle of people's backyards; and

WHEREAS similar proposals for 'a house behind a house' have been denied by the Ontario Municipal Board in the past, i.e. 208 Osler Street and 1960R Davenport Road; and

WHEREAS the City of Toronto Committee of Adjustment refused the requested variances for 2025 Davenport Road on June 15, 1999; it was the Committee's opinion that the proposal does not represent an appropriate land severance or development and would reduce the amenities and privacy for adjacent neighbours; and

WHEREAS the Committee of Adjustment's decision has been appealed to the Ontario Municipal Board, and there is a possibility a hearing on this matter may be scheduled prior to the next meeting of the Toronto Community Council and Toronto City Council;

NOW THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED THAT Toronto City Council instruct the City Solicitor and the Acting Commissioner of Urban Planning and Development Services to defend the City of Toronto Committee of Adjustment's decision of

Council also had before it, during consideration of Motion J (13), the following communications and minute extract:

- (i) (July 25, 1999) from Mr. G.S. Belza, acting on behalf of the Edithvale-Yonge Community Association, addressed to Mayor Lastman, outlining concerns with respect to the Symphony Square Development;
- (ii) (July 25, 1999) from Mr. G.S. Belza, acting on behalf of the Edithvale-Yonge Community Association, addressed to Mr. E. Tipping, Director, Building Department, North District, outlining concerns with respect to the Symphony Square Development;
- (iii) (July 25, 1999) from Mr. G.S. Belza, acting on behalf of the Edithvale-Yonge Community Association, addressed to the Manager and Secretary-Treasurer, Committee of Adjustment, outlining concerns with respect to the Symphony Square Development;
- (iv) (July 27, 1999) from Mr. G.S. Belza, acting on behalf of the Edithvale-Yonge Community Association, addressed to Mayor Lastman, requesting that this matter be expeditiously and thoroughly investigated; and
- (v) extract from the minutes of the meeting of the Committee of Adjustment held on July 15, 1999.

A copy of the aforementioned communications and minute extract is on file in the office of the City Clerk.

Motion:

Councillor Miller moved that the motion be amended by adding thereto the following new Operative Paragraph:

“AND BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED THAT the Chief Administrative Officer be also requested to report to the North York Community Council and the Administration Committee on similar issues with other developments in the vicinity of Symphony Square Limited.”

Votes:

The motion by Councillor Miller carried.

Motion J(13), as amended, carried.

8.94 Councillor Johnston moved that subsections 26(4), 27(1) and 28(1) of the Council Procedural By-law be waived to permit consideration of the following Notice of Motion

Yes - 7 Councillors: Bossons, Chow, Kelly, Layton, Miller, Nunziata, Prue
No - 35 Mayor: Lastman Councillors: Adams, Altobello, Ashton, Berardinetti, Berger, Bussin, Cho, Chong, Davis, Disero, Duguid, Feldman, Flint, Fotinos, Giansante, Holyday, Jones, Kinahan, King, Korwin-Kuczynski, Lepreti, Lindsay Luby, Mahood, Mammoliti, Mihelcic, O'Brien, Ootes, Pantalone, Raine, Saundercook, Sgro, Shaw, Silva, Sinclair

Lost by a majority of 28.

Motion J(15) was adopted, without amendment.

- 8.96 Councillor Jakobek moved that subsections 26(4) 27(1) and 28(1) of the Council Procedural By-law be waived to permit consideration of the following Notice of Motion J(16), which carried, more than two-thirds of Members present having voted in the affirmative:

Moved by: Councillor Jakobek

Seconded by: Councillor Shaw

“BE IT RESOLVED THAT Councillor Shaw be permitted to assume the seat in the Council Chamber formerly occupied by the late Councillor Faubert;

AND BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED THAT Councillors Johnston and Korwin-Kuczynski be permitted to exchange their seats in the Council Chamber.”

Vote:

Motion J(16) was adopted, without amendment.

- 8.97 Councillor Layton moved that subsections 26(4) 27(1) and 28(1) of the Council Procedural By-law be waived to permit consideration of the following Notice of Motion:

Moved by: Councillor Layton

Seconded by: Councillor Pantalone

“WHEREAS the citizens of the City of Toronto recognize the moral responsibility of communities to take positive steps to end human rights abuses and support legitimately elected governments; and

Carried by a majority of 42.

- 8.99 On July 28, 1999, at 7:29 p.m., Councillor Kelly, seconded by Councillor Gardner, moved that leave be granted to introduce the following Bill, and that this Bill, prepared for this meeting of Council, be passed and hereby declared as a By-law:

Bill No. 546	By-law No. 444-1999	To confirm the proceedings of the Council at its meeting held on the 27th and 28th days of July, 1999,
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the vote upon which was as follows:

Yes - 48 Councillors: Adams, Ashton, Augimeri, Berardinetti, Berger, Brossons, Brown, Bussin, Cho, Chong, Chow, Disero, Duguid, Filion, Flint, Fotinos, Gardner, Giansante, Holyday, Jakobek, Johnston, Kelly, Kinahan, King, Korwin-Kuczynski, Layton, Li Preti, Lindsay Luby, Mihevc, Miller, Minnan-Wong, Moeser, Moscoe, Nunziata, O'Brien, Ootes, Pantalone, Pitfield, Prue, Rae, Saundercook, Sgro, Shaw, Shiner, Silva, Sinclair, Tzekas, Walker
No - 0

Carried, without dissent.

- 8.100 On July 29, 1999, at 12:30 p.m., Councillor Chow, seconded by Councillor Shaw, moved that leave be granted to introduce the following Bill, and that this Bill, prepared for this meeting of Council, be passed and hereby declared as a By-law:

Bill No. 547	By-law No. 445-1999	To confirm the proceedings of the Council at its meeting held on the 27th, 28th and 29th days of July, 1999,
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the vote upon which was as follows:

Yes - 34 Councillors: Adams, Augimeri, Berardinetti, Berger, Bussin, Chong, Chow, Disero, Fotinos, Gardner, Giansante, Johnston, Jones, Kelly, Kinahan, King, Korwin-Kuczynski, Layton, Li Preti, Lindsay Luby, Miller, Minnan-Wong, Moscoe, Nunziata, O'Brien, Ootes, Pantalone, Pitfield, Prue, Rae, Saundercook, Shaw, Silva, Sinclair
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Bill No. 448	By-law No. 450-1999	A by-law pursuant to the provisions of section 50(7.5) of the Planning Act, R.S.O. 1990, c. P.13, to repeal By-law No. 481-1998.
Bill No. 449	By-law No. 451-1999	To amend Section 15 of By-law No. 438-86 of the former City of Toronto respecting the Index of Exceptions.
Bill No. 450	By-law No. 452-1999	To amend City of North York Official Plan in respect of lands municipally known as 5172 Yonge Street (Gibson House).
Bill No. 451	By-law No. 453-1999	To amend City of North York By-law 7625 in respect of lands municipally known as 5200 and 5182 Yonge Street.
Bill No. 452	By-law No. 454-1999	To amend Chapter 134 of the Etobicoke Municipal Code, a by-law providing for the construction and maintenance of fire routes in the geographic area of Etobicoke, a by-law of the former City of Etobicoke.
Bill No. 453	By-law No. 455-1999	To amend By-law No. 47-1998 providing for the formulation and implementation of a plan for the provision of emergency services during emergencies affecting the City of Toronto.
Bill No. 454	By-law No. 456-1999	To amend further former City of Toronto By-law No. 1996-0135, being a By-law to designate certain lands in the Downtown Yonge Street Area as a Community Improvement Plan for the Downtown Yonge Street Community Improvement Project Area.

Bill No. 455	By-law No. 457-1999	To amend the former City of Toronto Municipal Code Ch. 276, Ravines with respect to 16 Avondale Road.
Bill No. 456	By-law No. 458-1999	To authorize the acquisition of non-government records and collections of documents of historical value or interest for the City of Toronto Archives.
Bill No. 457	By-law No. 459-1999	To amend further By-law No. 23505 of the former City of Scarborough, respecting the speed limits on Toronto Roads.
Bill No. 458	By-law No. 460-1999	To amend further By-law No. 23503 of the former City of Scarborough, respecting the regulation of traffic on Toronto Roads.
Bill No. 459	By-law No. 461-1999	To adopt an amendment to Section 9.46 of the Official Plan for the former City of Toronto respecting the Bathurst/Strachan Area.
Bill No. 460	By-law No. 462-1999	To amend By-law Nos. 1995-0466, 1996-0243, 1996-0244, 1996-0245, 1996-0246 and 1996-0247 respecting the re-naming of Bremner Boulevard to Fort York Boulevard and the extension of Fort York Boulevard to Lake Shore Boulevard West.
Bill No. 461	By-law No. 463-1999	To adopt Amendment No. 20 to the Official Plan for the Former Borough of East York Affecting the Lands Located on the North-West Corner of Thorncliffe Park Drive and Overlea Boulevard.
Bill No. 462	By-law No. 464-1999	To amend Zoning By-law No. 1916, as amended, of the former Town of Leaside.

Bill No. 463	By-law No. 465-1999	To amend further By-law No. 34-93, a by-law "To provide for disabled person parking permit holders, being a by-law of the former Borough of East York".
Bill No. 464	By-law No. 466-1999	To amend the Municipal Code of the former City of Etobicoke with respect to Traffic - Chapter 240, Article I.
Bill No. 465	By-law No. 467-1999	To amend the Municipal Code of the former City of Etobicoke with respect to Traffic - Chapter 240, Article I.
Bill No. 466	By-law No. 468-1999	To amend the Municipal Code of the former City of Etobicoke with respect to Traffic - Chapter 240, Article I.
Bill No. 467	By-law No. 469-1999	To amend the Municipal Code of the former City of Etobicoke with respect to Traffic - Chapter 240, Article I V, Section 31, Schedule 'A'.
Bill No. 468	By-law No. 470-1999	To amend the Municipal Code of the former City of Etobicoke with respect to Traffic - Chapter 240, Article I.
Bill No. 469	By-law No. 471-1999	To exempt from municipal taxation certain lands of the Toronto and Region Conservation Authority used as City Parks.
Bill No. 470	By-law No. 472-1999	To stop up and close a portion of the public highway Mill Road, west of 339 Markland Drive, and to authorize the sale thereof.
Bill No. 471	By-law No. 473-1999	To stop up and close the public lane between Lots 73 and 74 on Plan 1665, York, west of 2620 St. Clair Avenue West, and to authorize the sale thereof.

Bill No. 493	By-law No. 493-1999	To amend further Metropolitan By-law No. 32-92, respecting the regulation of traffic on former Metropolitan Roads.
Bill No. 494	By-law No. 494-1999	To amend further Metropolitan By-law No. 32-92, respecting the regulation of traffic on former Metropolitan Roads.
Bill No. 495	By-law No. 495-1999	To amend the former City of Toronto Municipal Code Ch. 400, Traffic and Parking, respecting Atlantic Avenue.
Bill No. 496	By-law No. 496-1999	To amend the former City of Toronto Municipal Code Ch. 400, Traffic and Parking, respecting Cowan Avenue, Dufferin Street, Fleet Street, Fort Rouille Street, Gladstone Avenue, Jameson Avenue, Melbourne Avenue, Peel Avenue, Spencer Avenue, Springhurst Avenue, Strachan Avenue, Tyndall Avenue.
Bill No. 497	By-law No. 497-1999	To amend the former City of Toronto Municipal Code Ch. 400, Traffic and Parking, respecting Cowan Avenue, Cumberland Street, Langley Avenue, Margueretta Street, Markham Street, Milverton Boulevard, Perth Avenue, Polson Street, Randolph Avenue.
Bill No. 498	By-law No. 498-1999	To amend the former Municipality of Metropolitan Toronto By-law No. 118 respecting temporary signage on construction hoarding at the Yonge/Dundas intersection.
Bill No. 499	By-law No. 499-1999	To designate certain lands known municipally as 150 Bartley Drive (former City of North York) not subject to Part Lot Control.
Bill No. 500	By-law No. 500-1999	A By-law to Repeal Article II of Chapter 292 of the Former City of Toronto Municipal Code Respecting Sewer Impost Charges.

Bill No. 501	By-law No. 501-1999	To amend By-Law No. 30742, being "A By-law Respecting Parking Meters on the City of North York Roads", of the former City of North York, to install parking meters on Hillcrest Avenue, between Yonge Street and Doris Avenue.
Bill No. 503	By-law No. 502-1999	To amend By-law No. 31001 of the former City of North York, as amended.
Bill No. 504	By-law No. 503-1999	To amend the former City of Toronto Municipal Code Ch. 400, Traffic and Parking, respecting Hillside Avenue East.
Bill No. 505	By-law No. 504-1999	To adopt Amendment No. 1029 of the Official Plan for the former City of Scarborough.
Bill No. 506	By-law No. 505-1999	To amend Scarborough Zoning By-law, the Employment Districts Zoning By-law No. 24982 with respect to the Milliken Employment District.
Bill No. 507	By-law No. 506-1999	To adopt Amendment No. 1025 of the Official Plan for the former City of Scarborough.
Bill No. 508	By-law No. 507-1999	To amend By-law No. 9364, the Cliffside Community Zoning By-law.
Bill No. 509	By-law No. 508-1999	To amend Scarborough By-law No. 24982, the Employment Districts Zoning By-law with respect to the Tapscott Employment District.
Bill No. 510	By-law No. 509-1999	To extend the effect of By-law No. 524-1998, being a By-law to designate Blocks 3, 4, 9, 12-15 inclusive within Registered Plan

66M-2317 not subject to Part L of Control in the Cliffcrest Community.

Bill No. 511	By-law No. 510-1999	To amend the Employment Districts Zoning By-law No. 24982 (Marshalling Yard Employment District).
Bill No. 512	By-law No. 511-1999	To adopt Amendment No. 1026 of the Official Plan for the former City of Scarborough.
Bill No. 513	By-law No. 512-1999	To amend the Woburn Community Zoning By-law Number 9510, as amended.
Bill No. 514	By-law No. 513-1999	To amend Scarborough Zoning By-law No. 9510, as amended with respect to the Woburn Community.
Bill No. 515	By-law No. 514-1999	To adopt Amendment No. 1027 of the Official Plan for the former City of Scarborough.
Bill No. 516	By-law No. 515-1999	To amend Scarborough Zoning By-law Number 10010, as amended, with respect to the Scarborough Village Community.
Bill No. 517	By-law No. 516-1999	A by-law to provide for the declared vacancy in Scarborough Highland Creek to be filled by way of By-election to be held on September 23, 1999.
Bill No. 518	By-law No. 517-1999	A by-law to provide for advance votes to be held prior to voting day in respect of the By-election to be held in Scarborough Highland Creek on September 23, 1999.
Bill No. 519	By-law No. 518-1999	A by-law to provide for the payment of rebates to persons who make contributions to candidates for the Scarborough Highland Creek By-election to be held on September 23, 1999.

		east side of McIntosh Avenue, north of The Queensway.
Bill No. 537	By-law No. 535-1999	To amend former City of Toronto Municipal Code Chapter 400, Traffic and Parking, to change New Street from a rear-based permit parking to street-based permit parking.
Bill No. 538	By-law No. 536-1999	To amend further Metropolitan By-law No. 32-92, respecting the regulation of traffic on former Metropolitan Roads.
Bill No. 539	By-law No. 537-1999	To amend the former City of Toronto Municipal Code Ch. 400, Traffic and Parking, respecting Roselawn Avenue.
Bill No. 540	By-law No. 538-1999	To amend By-law No. 31001 of the former City of North York, as amended.
Bill No. 541	By-law No. 539-1999	To amend the former City of Toronto Municipal Code Ch. 400, Traffic and Parking, respecting First Lane North of Queen Street West.
Bill No. 542	By-law No. 540-1999	To amend the former City of Toronto Municipal Code Ch. 400, Traffic and Parking, respecting Northcote Avenue.
Bill No. 543	By-law No. 541-1999	To amend the former City of Toronto Municipal Code Ch. 400, Traffic and Parking, respecting Waverley Road.
Bill No. 544	By-law No. 542-1999	To establish voluntary payments with respect to offences under City of Toronto by-laws respecting the use of parking meters and parking machines.
Bill No. 502	By-law No. 543-1999	To provide severance remuneration for members of Council,

WHEREAS Hetty was active in the Black community of Toronto for many years, serving in such organizations as the Canada-Cuba Friendship Association, the Black Action Defense Committee, Caribana and the Toronto Association for Peace; and

WHEREAS Hetty was renowned for her hospitality at home, especially for her culinary specialty - pelau, a Caribbean dish of chicken, rice and peas;

NOW THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED THAT this Council express its condolences and sympathy to the Roach family, as family and the community grieve their loss;

AND BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED THAT the City Clerk be directed to convey on behalf of Members of City Council, our sincere sympathy to her husband Charles and daughters Kike, Sunset and Dawn.”

Leave to introduce the Motion was granted and the Motion was adopted unanimously.

Council rose and observed a moment of silence in memory of the late Mrs. Roach.

8.107 **Presentations/Introductions/Announcements:**

July 27, 1999:

Mayor Lastman, during the morning session of the meeting, invited Councillor Gardner, Chairman, Toronto Police Services Board, and Chief David Boothby, Toronto Police Service, to the podium; introduced Mr. Fraser Hambly, Mr. Mohammed Nematic-Zaroor, Mr. Stephen Cooper and Mr. Jeffrey King, present at this meeting; advised the Council that Messrs. Hambly, Zaroor, Cooper and King had come to the assistance of Constable Patrick Ferdinand after the officer was shot on July 14, 1999; expressed, on behalf of Council, the appreciation of Council to these four individuals for their heroic assistance at the scene; and presented each individual with a scroll to mark the occasion.

Mayor Lastman, during the morning session of the meeting, introduced the students and teachers of the Metro Toronto School for the Deaf, present at this meeting.

Councillor Johnston, during the afternoon session of the meeting, introduced Mr. Naish McHugh, present at this meeting and advised the Council that Mr. McHugh had established the City of Toronto Film Liaison Office.

The Chief Administrative Officer, during the afternoon session of the meeting presented his mid-term report and status report on amalgamation, entitled "Building the New City of Toronto", to the Council; advised the Council on the progress the City of Toronto has made in implementing amalgamation; proposed priorities for the consideration of Council during the balance of this term of Council; and expressed his appreciation to the Mayor and Council for their assistance during the first half of the term of this Council.

Council received the mid-term report of the Chief Administrative Officer, a copy of which is on file in the Office of the City Clerk.

July 28, 1999:

Councillor Ashton, during the morning session of the meeting, on behalf of the Mayor of Indianapolis, presented to Mayor Lastman and City Council, in honour of the Indianapolis-Scarborough Peace Games, a painting entitled "Indianapolis".

Mayor Lastman, during the morning session of the meeting, invited Councillor Silva to the podium; Councillor Silva introduced the Mayor of Povoacao, Mr. Carlos Avila, and the Reeve of Ribeira Quente, Mr. Antonio Rita Amaral, present at this meeting; and Messrs. Avila and Amaral presented a key to their City to Mayor Lastman and Council, in appreciation for the assistance provided by the City of Toronto with the reconstruction of their towns damaged by a recent earthquake.

Mayor Lastman, during the afternoon session of the meeting, introduced a delegation from Trinidad and Tobago visiting Toronto for the Caribana Festival, present at this meeting; advised the Council that the Tobago Folk Heritage Performers had performed their traditional dance in the rotunda during the lunch break; and invited Councillor Mammoliti to address the Council, who then expressed, on behalf of Council, the appreciation of Council to the delegation for their vocal performance in the rotunda of City Hall.

Councillor Cho, Chair, Board of Directors of the Toronto Zoo, during the afternoon session of the meeting, advised the Council that at Sunday, August 1, 1999, marked the 25th Anniversary of the Zoo; further advised the Council that the Zoo had recently adopted an orphaned grizzly bear; and extended an invitation to all Members of Council to attend the anniversary celebrations to be held at the Toronto Zoo on August 1, 1999.

Mayor Lastman, during the afternoon session of the meeting, introduced students from Akron, Ohio, present at this meeting.

July 29, 1999:

Councillor Chow, during the morning session of the meeting, invited all Members of Council to participate in the unveiling ceremony for the "Children's Clock" taking place in the Members' Lounge at 11:00 a.m. today.

Councillor Johnston, during the afternoon session of the meeting introduced students of the Canadian Forces College, and their instructor, Brigadier-General Ed Gosden, present at this meeting.

8.108 MOTIONS TO VARY PROCEDURE

Vary the order of proceedings of Council:

July 27, 1999:

Deputy Mayor Ootes, during the morning session of the meeting proposed that Council vary the order of its proceedings to consider the following matters on the Order Paper for this meeting at the following times:

- (1) all outstanding confidential matters be considered in-camera at 6:00 p.m. on July 27, 1999;
- (2) Clause No. 1 of Report No. 3 of The Planning and Transportation Committee, headed “Draft Official Plan Amendments and Zoning By-law Amendments to Permit Second Suites As-of-Right”, at 9:30 a.m. on July 28, 1999; and
- (3) Notices of Motion at 2:00 p.m. on July 28, 1999.

Council concurred in the proposal by Deputy Mayor Ootes.

Councillor Berardinetti, during the morning session of the meeting moved that Council vary the order of its proceedings to consider Clause No. 1 of Report No. 2 of The Administration Committee, headed “Review of Corporate Fleet and Garage Operations”, on July 28, 1999, immediately following consideration of the Notices of Motions at 2:00 p.m., which carried.

Councillor Korwin-Kuczynski, during the morning session of the meeting, moved that Council vary the order of its proceedings to consider Clause No. 3 of Report No. 4 of The Policy and Finance Committee, headed “City of Toronto Welcome Policy for Community and Recreation Centres”, July 28, 1999, immediately following consideration of Clause No. 1 of Report No. 2 of The Administration Committee, headed “Review of Corporate Fleet and Garage Operations”, which carried.

Councillor Jakobek, during the morning session of the meeting, moved that Council vary the order of its proceedings to consider the presentation of the mid-term report of the Chief Administrative Officer after Council has concluded consideration of Clause No. 4 of Report No. 4 of The Policy and Finance Committee, headed “Staffing Requirements - Toronto Fire Services”, which carried.

July 29, 1999

