
**TORONTO CYCLING COMMITTEE
A G E N D A
MEETING No. 7**

Date of Meeting: Monday, July 17, 2000
Time: 7:00 p.m.
Location: Committee Room 2
2nd Floor, City Hall
100 Queen Street West
Toronto, Ontario

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**DECLARATIONS OF INTEREST PURSUANT TO
THE MUNICIPAL CONFLICT OF INTEREST ACT.**

CONFIRMATION OF MINUTES.

PRESENTATIONS –

- 7:00 p.m.** Respecting Item No. 1 –
Road and Trail Safety Ambassadors
- Mr. Sean Wheldrake, Bicycle Promotions Coordinator
- 7:15 p.m.** Respecting Item No. 2 -
Toronto Cycling Master Plan Study
- Mr. Daniel Egan, Manager, Cycling and Pedestrian Infrastructure;
 - Ms. Barbara Wentworth, Bicycle Safety Planner; and
 - Mr. Sean Wheldrake, Bicycle Promotions Coordinator
- 8:15 p.m.** Respecting Item No. 3 -
Velo Mondial 2000 – World Bicycle Conference
- Mr. Ben Smith-Lea;
 - Ms. Nancy Smith-Lea;
 - Mr. David Tomlinson; and

- Mr. Daniel Egan, Manager, Cycling and Pedestrian Infrastructure

COMMUNICATIONS/REPORTS.

1. ROAD AND TRAIL SAFETY AMBASSADORS.

(PRESENTATION ITEM)

Mr. Sean Wheldrake
Bicycle Promotions Coordinator
(July 5, 2000)

Requesting the Toronto Cycling Committee to:

- (1) recognize the Road and Trail Safety Ambassadors for the work they do towards achieving the goals of the Committee;
- (2) request the Ambassadors to keep up the good work, and to wish them continued success in all future endeavors; and
- (3) request that Toronto City Council recognize the Road and Trail Safety Ambassadors.

2. TORONTO CYCLING MASTER PLAN STUDY.

(PRESENTATION ITEM)

Mr. Daniel, Manager
Cycling and Pedestrian Infrastructure
(July 4, 2000)

Advising the Toronto Cycling Committee that the Goals and Objectives Section, along with the Education, Promotion and Communications Sections of the Toronto Cycling Master Plan Study will be presented at the July 17, 2000 meeting of the Toronto Cycling Committee.

3. VELO MONDIAL 2000 – WORLD BICYCLE CONFERENCE.

(PRESENTATION ITEM)

Mr. Daniel, Manager
Cycling and Pedestrian Infrastructure
(July 5, 2000)

Presenting, for information, impressions of the transportation system in Amsterdam as compared to the City of Toronto; and providing suggestions for improvements to the City of Toronto transportation system.

4. BECEL RIDE FOR HEART.

Mr. Sean Wheldrake
Bicycle Promotions Coordinator
(July 5, 2000)

Providing, for information, a copy of a communication from Ms. Susan Chouinard, Senior Associate Manager, Becel Ride For Heart, The Heart and Stroke Foundation of Ontario thanking the Toronto Cycling Committee and Mr. Craig Barnes, Bicycle Promotions Special Events Coordinator for their partnership, and their role in promoting the Becel Ride For Heart as a Bike Week event.

5. BIKE THEFT STICKERS.

Mr. Sean Wheldrake
Bicycle Promotions Coordinator
(July 6, 2000)

Advising the Toronto Cycling Committee that:

- (1) the City of Toronto has received 1,600 stickers, with the slogan “bike theft = bad karma” written on them;
- (2) the stickers were produced by Grassroots Environmental Products, and will be distributed by the Road and Trail Safety Ambassadors; and
- (3) the slogan on the stickers will raise awareness about the issue of bike theft in the City of Toronto and attempt to discourage bike theft.

6. TRANSIT SHELTER POSTER – 1 METRE SPACE FOR MOTORISTS.

Ms. Barbara Wentworth
Bicycle Safety Planner
(July 7, 2000)

Advising the Toronto Cycling Committee that:

- (1) a small version of the transit shelter poster (1 Metre Space For Motorists) will be available for viewing at the July 17, 2000 meeting of the Toronto Cycling Committee; and
- (2) the poster will be displayed in Toronto transit shelters beginning July 31, 2000.

7. MOTORCYCLE PARKING SPACES.

City Clerk
(June 14, 2000)

Advising that the Works Committee at its meeting held on June 14, 2000, adopted the following motion:

- (1) recommended to Council the adoption of the report (May 26, 2000) from the Commissioner of Works and Emergency Services recommending that a pilot project delineating parking spaces for the exclusive use by motorcycles be implemented and that “Motorcycle Parking Spaces” be installed at the following locations; and
- (2) referred the report to the Toronto Cycling Committee for consideration of that portion relating to bicycle parking.

(CO-CHAIRS NOTE: SUGGESTED DISPOSITION – That Works and Emergency Services staff be requested to identify locations where there is insufficient sidewalk space to meet the bicycle parking demand; and that it is feasible to locate bicycle parking on the roadway.)

8. OUR TORONTO WATERFRONT PLAN: THE NEW CANADA GATEWAY.

Ms. Nina Koskenoja, Co-Chair and
Mr. Clay McFayden
Network Planning and Facilities Sub-Committee
(July 6, 2000)

Recommending that the Toronto Cycling Committee:

- (1) take an active role in the Toronto waterfront redevelopment plan:
- (2) obtain official recognition in the design process of the plan; and
- (3) strike a working group to monitor and respond to issues related to the Toronto waterfront redevelopment plan.

9. DOWNSVIEW PARK PLAN.

Ms. Nina Koskenoja, Co-Chair and
Mr. Clay McFayden
Network Planning and Facilities Sub-Committee
(July 6, 2000)

Recommending that the Toronto Cycling Committee approach Downsview Park Inc. requesting a representative role in the design and implementation process, on an ongoing basis, of the Downsview Park Plan.

- 9(a).** Communication addressed to Mr. Stephen Fisher, Co-Chair
Toronto Cycling Committee from
Mr. Tony Genco, Manager of Community Affairs and
Director of Special Events
Downsview Park Inc.
(July 4, 2000)

Thanking Mr. Stephen Fisher, Co-Chair, Toronto Cycling Committee for completing a Comment Form at the public meeting/open house on the redevelopment of Downsview Park; and requesting that the Toronto Cycling remain active and involved with the redevelopment of Downsview Park.

10. HUMBER TRAIL BRIDGE CONSTRUCTION.

Ms. Nina Koskenoja, Co-Chair and
Mr. Clay McFayden
Network Planning and Facilities Sub-Committee
(July 6, 2000)

Recommending that the Toronto Cycling Committee request Economic Development, Culture and Tourism staff to report on the completion date for the construction of the bridge and the connecting pathway in the Humber Trail (Finch Hydro Corridor section).

11. HUMBER TRAIL MISSING LINK – ST. PHILIPS BRIDGE ROAD AT WESTON ROAD.

Ms. Nina Koskenoja, Co-Chair and
Mr. Clay McFayden
Network Planning and Facilities Sub-Committee
(July 6, 2000)

Recommending that the Toronto Cycling Committee request Economic Development, Culture and Tourism staff to report on the completion date for the Humber Trail missing link, St. Philips Road Bridge Road at Weston Road, including:

- (1) status of area Trail planning; and
- (2) responsibility for the work.

12. BICYCLE PARKING IN YORKVILLE.

Mr. Charles D. Chaudron, Resident
City of Toronto
(June 29, 2000)

Advising the Toronto Cycling Committee of an unfortunate incident with an employee of a restaurant in Yorkville discouraging bicycle parking in the immediate area of the restaurant; and requesting the Toronto Cycling Committee to install post and rings bicycle parking in the area of Yorkville.

13. SUB-COMMITTEE MINUTES.

- (i) Education and Safety Sub-Committee – July 4, 2000; and
- (ii) Network Planning and Facilities Sub-Committee – June 28, 2000

ANY OTHER MATTERS.