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ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT AND PARKS COMMITTEE

AGENDA

Date of Meeting: Time: Location: September 18, 2000 9:30 a.m. Committee Room 1 City Hall 100 Queen Street West **Enquiry:**

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DECLARATIONS OF INTEREST PURSUANT TO THE MUNICIPAL CONFLICT OF INTEREST ACT

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COMMUNICATIONS/REPORTS

1. WORLD YOUTH DAY CONFERENCE AND PAPAL VISIT IN 2002 (All Wards)

(DEPUTATION ITEM)

Source: <u>Commissioner of Economic Development, Culture and Tourism</u> (September 5, 2000)

Reporting on the status of hosting the World Youth Day Conference and Papal Visit in 2002 and a number of measures to facilitate the successful execution of the event; and recommending that:

(1) Council approve an interest-free loan in the amount of \$1.0 million to the World Youth Day Council in connection with the hosting of the World Youth Day Conference in Toronto in July 2002, subject to the World Youth Day Council entering into an agreement satisfactory to the Chief Financial Officer and Treasurer, the City Solicitor and the Commissioner of Economic Development, Culture and Tourism; and Council declare the loan to be in the interest of the Municipality;

- (2) Council establish a City World Youth Day Reference Group comprised of up to five City Councillors to provide guidance and advice to the World Youth Day Secretariat and that this Reference Group be appointed in the new term of Council;
- (3) authority be granted to establish a City World Youth Day Secretariat reporting to the Commissioner of Economic Development, Culture and Tourism and comprised of a minimum of four seconded City staff and that the cost of their salaries and benefits be funded from Corporate Contingency during this period to allow the positions of seconded personnel to be temporarily backfilled;
- (4) authority be granted to establish a World Youth Day Public Safety Planning Group comprised of seconded staff from Police Services, Fire Department, Ambulance Services and Transportation Services and that the cost of the salaries and benefits be funded from Corporate Contingency during this period to allow the positions of seconded personnel to be temporarily backfilled;
- (5) the Commissioner of Corporate Services be requested to provide office space for the World Youth Day 2002 Secretariat and for the Public Safety Planning Group and funds for equipment, furnishings, materials and supplies be provided from Corporate Contingency;
- (6) Council give direction to all City departments, agencies, boards and commissions to provide full co-operation and in-kind support to World Youth Day, the details of which will be subject to a further report to be considered by Council in the new term;
- (7) this report be forwarded to the Policy and Finance Committee for consideration;
- (8) this report be forwarded to the heads of all City Departments, Agencies, Boards and Commissions; and
- (9) the appropriate City officials be authorized and directed to take the necessary action to give effect thereto.

2. EXPENDITURE OF FUNDS ALLOCATED FOR THE JOINT SCHOOL PLAYGROUND PROGRAM IN THE 2000 CAPITAL WORKS PROGRAM (High Park, Trinity Niagara, North Toronto, East Toronto, Scarborough Wexford)

(DEFERRED FROM JULY 12, 2000 MEETING – DEPUTATION ITEM)

Source: <u>Commissioner of Economic Development, Culture and Tourism</u> (June 13, 2000)

Providing the terms and conditions of the arrangements agreed to between the City, the Toronto District School Board (TDSB) and the Toronto Catholic District School Board (TCDSB) regarding the expenditure of capital funds allocated for the Joint School Playground Program in the 2000 Capital Works Program of the Economic Development, Culture and Tourism Department; and recommending that:

- (1) authority be granted for the City of Toronto to enter into Shared-Use Agreements with the Toronto District School Board and the Toronto Catholic District School Board substantially in accordance with the terms and conditions set out in this report;
- (2) these terms and conditions only apply to agreements related to the expenditure of funds available through the Joint School Playground Program;
- (3) this report be forwarded to the Policy and Finance Committee for its consideration; and
- (4) the appropriate City officials be authorized and directed to take the necessary action to give effect thereto.

2(a). SUPPLEMENTARY REPORT ON THE EXPENDITURE OF FUNDS ALLOCATED FOR THE JOINT SCHOOL PLAYGROUND PROGRAM IN THE 2000 CAPITAL WORKS PROGRAM

(High Park, Trinity Niagara, North Toronto, East Toronto, Scarborough Wexford)

Source: <u>Commissioner of Economic Development, Culture and Tourism</u> (August 29, 2000)

Providing supplementary information on the sites selected for the Joint School Playground Program in the 2000 Capital Works Program of the Economic Development, Culture and Tourism Department; providing further information on the status of the City's playground revitalization program; and recommending that this report be received for information.

Urging the Economic Development and Parks Committee to support Presteign Heights Public School to meet and comply with C.S.A. requirements in a safe and timely fashion, and to also meet the ongoing needs of children of the school and the community.

2(c). Source: <u>Councillor Sandra Bussin, East Toronto</u> (July 6, 2000)

Strongly urging the members of the Economic Development and Parks Committee to support the expenditure of funds allocated for joint school playground program as outlined in the staff report.

3. AMALGAMATION OF FILM PERMITTING SERVICES (All Wards)

(DEPUTATION ITEM)

Source: Commissioner of Economic Development, Culture and Tourism, Chief Financial Officer and Treasurer and <u>Commissioner of Works and Emergency Services</u> (August 31, 2000)

Forwarding the findings and recommendations of the operational review of the Toronto Film and Television Office (TFTO), Economic Development Division, to Council for adoption in order to harmonize the film permitting operation; and recommending that:

- (1) Council adopt the six core principles articulated as the foundation upon which future Council decisions regarding the film industry will be based:
 - (a) Consistent process, across all of the former municipalities and by departments in terms of information required from the film companies, costs charged and applications completed;
 - (b) Clarified Accountability, so that everyone understands who is responsible for approving permits and issuing them;
 - (c) Customer Service, as approved by Council, there must be "one stop shopping" for the film industry with the Toronto Film and Television Office being the point of contact for all film companies working in Toronto;

- (d) Competitive in the Marketplace, so that Toronto can continue to be a location of choice for those in the film industry; the environment should not be unattractive to the film community in terms of aspects that can be controlled by the City service timeliness and quality, consistency in what is asked for, costs of doing business relative to other jurisdictions;
- (e) Cost Effective, in terms of the costs of doing business both for the film industry and for the City of Toronto; there needs to be an appropriate balance in terms of the permit approval requirements and processes that are fair and efficient for all involved; and
- (f) Citizen Sensitive, to allow the interests of citizens and businesses to be understood and included as part of the film permitting and approval process; this sensitivity should include the current methods to inform residents and businesses of filming in their neighbourhoods, and a proactive way to obtain input and respond to concerns, as part of an ongoing review of film practices and policies;
- (2) all film permits be co-ordinated through and issued by the Toronto Film and Television Office; that all departments, agencies, boards and commissions (ABCs) assist the TFTO in achieving Council's objectives to promote and encourage the industry and that their policies and procedures be adjusted to reflect the decisions of Council;
- (3) the Economic Development Division's Toronto Film and Television Office has the lead responsibility, in consultation with City departments, agencies, boards and commissions, for determining the terms and conditions for serving the film industry;
- (4) a clear position on its support to the film industry be established and that it adopt Option 2 as recommended by the Consultant from among the three basic models presented:

Option 1: No charge (status quo – former City of Toronto)

Option 2: Cost replacement

Option 3: Cost plus

Option 2 – Cost Replacement allows departments to charge film companies for "out-of-pocket" expenses incurred as a direct result of filming for their staff time, equipment and lost revenue from rentals as well as the Toronto Parking Authority to charge for the use of meters.

(5) effective January 1, 2001 the film permitting function now being undertaken by other City departments be transferred, to the Economic Development Division, Economic Development, Culture and Tourism Department and that a centralized processing and de-centralized decision making system be implemented;

- (6) funding of \$55,000.00 for one staff position be transferred from the budget of the Transportation Services Division, Department of Works and Emergency Services to the base budget of the Economic Development Division, Economic Development, Culture and Tourism Department for 2001;
- (7) five (5) additional FTE's (1 transferred from Works and Emergency Services) be added this year to the staff complement of the Film and Television Office;
- (8) should Council endorse Option 2, the Toronto Film and Television collect charges for the use of on-street meters used during film shoots in co-operation with the Toronto Parking Authority; these new funds collected to be used to offset the costs of the office harmonization;
- (9) the 2001 gross operating budget of the Economic Development Division be adjusted by \$235,000.00 (funded by the transfer of \$55,000.00 from Works and Emergency Services and \$180,000.00 in new revenues from the Toronto Parking Authority resulting in a net zero budget impact);
- (10) \$65,000.00 in one-time funds be added to the year 2000 Operating Budget of the Economic Development Division to cover implementation and one-time start up costs (in subsequent years the costs of the harmonization of the Film and Television function outlined in this report will be revenue neutral with the capture of the new parking revenues and in fact will generate additional new net revenues to the City);
- (11) a generic price list identifying the cost associated with various services (based on Option 2) be jointly developed with relevant departments, agencies, boards and commissions; this "rate sheet" be published on an annual basis; and this rate sheet be completed by January 1, 2001;
- (12) Corporate IT be requested to facilitate the timely integration and enhancement of the key computer systems now being used by those involved with the film permitting function (RACS TFPS, RODARS, CLASS); and the Information and Technology Division, Corporate Services, report back on any cost implications of the recommendations contained in this report;
- (13) the Toronto Film and Television Office, Economic Development Division, move to a more proactive role with local stakeholders, including co-ordinating regular meetings of staff in departments and agencies involved with the film industry and by developing a community liaison program;
- (14) Council endorse continued dialogue between Toronto Police Services and the Toronto Film and Television Office to improve enforcement of film permits;
- (15) film and television projects or commercials in production or preproduction in October 2000 be exempt from the impact of any new fees arising from the decisions taken in this report;

- (16) this report be referred to the Policy and Finance Committee for review; and
- (17) the appropriate City Officials be authorized and directed to take the necessary action to give effect thereto.

4. GRANT RECOMMENDATION FOR THE ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT SECTOR INITIATIVE PROGRAM (EDSIP) (All Wards)

(DEPUTATION ITEM)

Source: <u>Commissioner of Economic Development, Culture and Tourism</u> (August 29, 2000)

Seeking approval for the allocation of the \$10,000.00 remaining in the Economic Development Sector Initiatives Program (EDSIP) budget; and recommending that:

- (1) \$10,000.00 from the EDSIP budget be provided to the Canadian Business Resource Centre in the form of a grant to support their FoodVentures: From Idea to Profit program;
- (2) the disbursement of the Economic Development Sector Initiatives Program allocation be conditional on satisfying the 2000 Economic Development Initiative Program goals and criteria; and
- (3) the appropriate City officials be authorized and directed to take the necessary action to give effect thereto.

5. JOHN STREET ROUNDHOUSE - 222 BREMNER BOULEVARD (Downtown)

(DEPUTATION ITEM)

Source: <u>Commissioner of Economic Development, Culture and Tourism</u> (September 5, 2000)

Advising of the results of the City's Request for Expressions of Interest (REI) for the restoration, development and operation of the John Street Roundhouse and that a 'Request for Proposals' (RFP) will be issued to a short list of proponents; providing information on issues raised by the CHP Heritage Centre at the meeting of the Administration Committee on June 15, 1999; and recommending that this report be received for information.

6. PARKLAND ENCROACHMENT POLICY AND PROCEDURES (All Wards)

(DEFERRED FROM JULY 12, 2000 MEETING)

Source: <u>Commissioner of Economic Development, Culture and Tourism</u> (June 26, 2000)

Presenting a City-wide parkland encroachment policy and associated procedures; and recommending that:

- (1) the parkland encroachment policy and procedures set out in Attachment Nos. 1 and 2 be adopted;
- (2) if the Encroachment Review Committee outlined in this report is approved, Parks and Recreation Division staff be authorized to charge a fee of \$300.00 to process applications to the Encroachment Review Committee;
- (3) the Uniform Parks By-law be revised to state that where the City directs that an encroachment be removed pursuant to the Uniform Parks By-law and the encroachment is not removed as directed, the City may remove the encroachment and install fencing and recover the expense thereof in like manner as municipal taxes, as authorized pursuant to Section 326 of the <u>Municipal Act</u>;
- (4) this report and Council's actions thereon be forwarded to the Toronto and Region Conservation Authority for information; and
- (5) the appropriate City officials be authorized and directed to take the necessary action to give effect thereto.
- **6(a).** Source: <u>City Clerk</u> (June 22, 2000)

Advising that the East York Community Council at its meeting held on June 20, 2000, recommended to the Economic Development and Parks Committee the adoption of the report (June 6, 2000) from the Commissioner of Economic Development, Culture and Tourism.

6(b). Source: <u>City Clerk</u> (June 26, 2000)

Advising that the Etobicoke Community Council at its meeting held on June 21, 2000, recommended to the Economic Development and Parks Committee that the costs for the processing of encroachment agreements be recovered.

- **6(c).** Source: <u>City Clerk</u> (June 26, 2000)
 - (1) Advising that the North York Community Council at its meeting held on June 21, 2000, recommended to the Economic Development and Parks Committee that:
 - (a) the report (June 6, 2000) from the Commissioner, Economic Development, Culture and Tourism, be adopted, subject to the deletion of the \$300.00 renewal fee for an encroachment following the first five years;
 - (b) encroachments not be allowed unless there are extraordinary circumstances; and
 - (c) the Commissioner, Economic Development, Culture and Tourism, be encouraged to provide funds in the budget for the fencing of City parkland; and
 - (2) requested the Commissioner, Economic Development, Culture and Tourism to submit a report to the Economic Development and Parks Committee, for its meeting scheduled for July 12, 2000 on the feasibility of applying the Encroachment Policy to the encroachments on other City properties including boulevards.
- **6(d).** Source: <u>City Clerk</u> (June 23, 2000)

Advising that the Scarborough Community Council at its meeting held on June 20. 2000, supported the recommendations embodied in the report (June 6, 2000) from the Commissioner of Economic Development, Culture and Tourism.

6(e). Source: <u>City Clerk</u> (June 28, 2000)

Advising that the Toronto Community Council at its meeting held on June 20, 2000, recommended that:

- (1) the parkland encroachment policy and procedures set out in Attachment Nos. 1 and 2 of the report (June 6, 2000) from the Commissioner of Economic Development, Culture and Tourism, be adopted;
- (2) the Encroachment Review Committee, outlined in the report (June 6, 2000) from the Commissioner of Economic Development, Culture and Tourism, be approved and that Parks and Recreation Division staff be authorized to charge a fee of \$300.00 to process applications to the Encroachment Review Committee;

- (3) the Uniform Parks By-law be revised to state that where the City directs that an encroachment be removed pursuant to the Uniform Parks By-law and the encroachment is not removed as directed, the City may remove the encroachment and install fencing and recover the expense thereof in like manner as municipal taxes, as authorized pursuant to Section 326 of the <u>Municipal Act</u>;
- (4) the report (June 6, 2000) from the Commissioner of Economic Development, Culture and Tourism, and Council's actions thereon, be forwarded to the Toronto and Region Conservation Authority for information; and
- (5) the appropriate City Officials be authorized and directed to take the necessary action to give effect thereto.
- **6(f).** Source: <u>City Clerk</u> (June 26, 2000)

Advising that the York Community Council at its meeting held on June 20, 2000, endorsed the Parkland Encroachment Policy and Procedures as set out in Attachment Nos. 1 and 2 in the report (June 6, 2000) from the Commissioner of Economic Development, Culture and Tourism.

7. LIFEGUARD SUPERVISION AT VARIOUS BEACHES AND THE OVERALL BEACH LIFEGUARD OPERATION (Lakeshore-Queensway, Scarborough Bluffs, High Park, Downtown, Don River, East Toronto)

(REFERRED BACK BY COUNCIL AT ITS MEETING OF AUGUST 1, 2 AND 3, 2000 FOR FURTHER CONSIDERATION)

Source: <u>Commissioner of Economic Development, Culture and Tourism</u> (May 29, 2000)

Reviewing and providing comment on the current status and future requirements for the provision of lifeguard services for the Toronto Beaches; and recommending that:

- (1) the Toronto Police Services Board through the Toronto Police Marine Unit directly administer and manage the provision of Beach Lifeguard Services in 2001;
- (2) the budget line for the beach lifeguard service be mapped appropriately to reflect the decision regarding which body directly administers the Beach Lifeguard Service;
- (3) the Toronto Police Services Board be requested to report on beach hours of operation and the feasibility of extending these hours on the busiest beaches during hot weather periods;

- (4) the Toronto Police Services Board be requested to develop and implement a system for the collection and analysis of statistical information on the use of the beaches in order to continue to provide a responsive and customer focussed service;
- (5) the Toronto Police Services Board be requested to launch a public education campaign; such campaign to include education of beach users about the potential dangers and precautions that should be taken to avert potentially catastrophic injury or death; a signage campaign directing the public to supervised areas of the beach would support this campaign; and
- (6) the Parks and Recreation Division work co-operatively with the Toronto Police Service Marine Unit to establish, where appropriate, operational standards consistent with the lifeguard service for indoor and outdoor pools.
- **7(a).** Source: <u>City Clerk</u> (August 11, 2000)

Advising that City Council on August 1, 2 3 and 4, 2000, struck out and referred back to the Economic Development and Parks Committee for further consideration, together with the following motion by Councillor Duguid, Clause No. 9 of Report No. 8 of The Economic Development and Park Committee, headed "Lifeguard Supervision at Various Beaches and the Overall Beach Lifeguard Operation (Lakeshore-Queensway, Scarborough Bluffs, High Park, Downtown, Don River, East Toronto)":

"It is recommended that the Commissioner of Economic Development, Culture and Tourism, in consultation with the General Manager, Toronto Ambulance Service and the Chairman, Toronto Police Services Board, be requested to consider the viability of utilizing Toronto Ambulance to provide defibrillation and first aid instruction for the lifeguard program and report back through the Economic Development and Parks Committee if there are any concerns about this proposal."

7(b). Source: Mr. Julian Fantino, Chief of Police, <u>Toronto Police Service</u> (August 16, 2000)

Forwarding a copy of a report (August 16, 2000) from the Chief of Police, which was adopted by the Police Services Board at its meeting of August 31, 2000, requesting City Council to transfer administrative and financial responsibility, along with appropriate funding in the Toronto Police Service base budget, for the Beach Lifeguard Program from the City of Toronto to the Toronto Police Service effective January 1, 2001.

7(c). Source: <u>Councillor Sandra Bussin, East Toronto</u> (July 12, 2000)

Requesting the Economic Development and Parks Committee to defer this item to facilitate a departmental dialogue on the provision of lifeguard services in the community.

8. RECREATION USER FEE AND WELCOME POLICIES (All Wards)

Source: <u>City Clerk</u> (August 28, 2000)

Advising that the Recreation User Fee Task Force, at its meeting held on August 28, 2000, recommended to the Economic Development and Parks Committee, and Council, that:

- (1) the City not carry out an Environics poll with respect to recreation user fees, but rather use the \$5,000.00 to develop a survey to be distributed to all schools, libraries and community centres;
- (2) the aforementioned survey be made available in 11 languages in addition to English and focus groups be used, if necessary;
- (3) if the City participates in an Environics poll with respect to recreation user fees, the following changes be made to the said poll:
 - (a) Question No. 3 be Question No. 1;
 - (b) Question No. 1 be Question No. 3; and
 - (c) Question No. 5 be only asked of low-income residents;
- (4) \$300,000.00 be reinstated to the "waiting list" fund in the 2000 Operating Budget of the Recreation Division to address the rapidly growing waiting list in the East District and other areas of the City;
- (5) all recreation centres owned and operated by the City in the East District open their facilities to accommodate the 13,779 participants on the waiting list to alleviate said waiting list, and further, that the Commissioner of Economic Development, Culture and Tourism be requested to report to the September 18, 2000 meeting of the Economic Development and Parks Committee on the implementation of same;
- (6) program participants partake in a survey and/or poll;
- (7) the word "taxes" be deleted from all polls and/or surveys respecting Recreation User Fees and the words "existing City funds" be inserted in lieu thereof;
- (8) the word "free" be deleted from all polls and/or surveys with respect to Recreation User Fees and the words "no cost" be inserted in lieu thereof; and
- (9) a Recreation User Fee Task Force be established in January 2001.

8(a). Source: <u>Commissioner of Economic Development, Culture and Tourism</u> (September 7, 2000)

Providing an overview of the work of the User Fee Task Force to date and to report out on specific recommendations of the User Fee Task Force meeting of August 28, 2000; and recommending that this report be received for information.

9. REQUEST FOR PROPOSALS FOR COLD DRINK VENDING AND POURING RIGHTS (All Wards)

Source: Commissioner of Economic Development, Culture and Tourism and Chief Financial Officer and Treasurer (August 29, 2000)

Advising of the Request for Proposal for Cold Drink Vending and Pouring Rights, in accordance with the requirements of the Economic Development, Culture and Tourism Department, Parks and Recreation Division, for the period of three to five years; requesting authority to negotiate a contract with the successful proponent; and recommending that:

- (1) the proposal received from The Pepsi Bottling Group for Cold Drink Vending and Pouring Rights for Parks and Recreation locations for the period of a minimum of three years and a maximum of five years, depending on final negotiations, be accepted, this being the overall highest scoring proposal received;
- (2) staff be authorized to negotiate and execute an agreement, in a form acceptable to the City Solicitor with The Pepsi Bottling Group; and
- (3) the appropriate City officials be authorized and directed to take the necessary action to give effect thereto.

10. REQUEST FOR PROPOSALS FOR HOT DRINK VENDING AND SNACKS (All Wards)

Source: Commissioner of Economic Development, Culture and Tourism and Chief Financial Officer and Treasurer (August 29, 2000)

Advising of the results of the Request for Proposal for the Hot Drink Vending and Snacks, in accordance with the requirements of the Economic Development, Culture and Tourism Department, Parks and Recreation Division, for the period of three to five years; requesting authority to negotiate a contract with the recommended proponent; and recommending that:

(1) the proposal received from Mr. Vending Inc. for Hot Drink Vending and Snacks for Parks and Recreation locations for the period of a minimum of three years and a maximum of five years, depending on final negotiations, be accepted, being the highest overall highest scoring proposal received;

- (2) staff be authorized to negotiate and execute an agreement, in a form acceptable to the City Solicitor with Mr. Vending Inc; and
- (3) the appropriate City officials be authorized and directed to take the necessary action to give effect thereto.

11. BAYVIEW VILLAGE WASHROOM SUB-PROJECT -CHANGE OF CAPITAL SCOPE

(Seneca Heights)

Source: <u>Commissioner of Economic Development, Culture and Tourism</u> (August 29, 2000)

Requesting permission to defer the washroom project to a future year and use the funding to complete a skateboard facility project in the same Ward; and recommending that:

- (1) the Bayview Village washroom project be deferred for consideration with future capital works programming, and the \$100,000.00 budget be re-allocated to the Cummer Skateboard Park project;
- (2) this report be forwarded to Policy and Finance Committee for its consideration; and
- (3) the appropriate City officials be authorized and directed to take the necessary action to give effect thereto.

12. TORONTO CENTRE FOR THE ARTS CAPITAL EXPENDITURES (North York Centre)

Source: <u>Commissioner of Economic Development, Culture and Tourism</u> (September 6, 2000)

Seeking City Council authority for capital expenditures at the Toronto Centre for the Arts required to implement the approved Business Plan; and recommending that:

- (1) the Toronto Centre for the Arts be authorized to make capital expenditures up to \$122,000.00 for signage and audio equipment, to be funded from the North York Performing Arts Centre Capital Maintenance Reserve Fund, in order to implement the Council approved Business Plan;
- (2) this report be referred to the Policy and Finance Committee for consideration; and
- (3) the appropriate City officials be authorized and directed to take the necessary action to give effect thereto.

13. RECYCLING AND/OR DIVERSION PROGRAMS FOR CITY PARKS (All Wards)

Source: <u>Commissioner of Economic Development, Culture and Tourism</u> (August 30, 2000)

Identifying initiatives to promote recycling in specific parks as a pilot project; and recommending that:

- (1) staff develop a program to promote recycling in parks outlining resource requirements and budget implications; and
- (2) the appropriate City officials be authorized and directed to take the necessary action to give effect thereto.

14. PROPOSED LICENSE AGREEMENT FOR PARKLAND WITHIN ONTARIO HYDRO CORRIDOR LANDS ON THE SOUTH SIDE OF GEARY AVENUE, EAST OF DOVERCOURT ROAD (Davenport)

Source: <u>Commissioner of Economic Development, Culture and Tourism</u> (August 29, 2000)

Seeking City Council's approval to enter into a license agreement for parkland with Hydro One Networks Inc. within its hydro corridor on the south side of Geary Avenue, east of Dovercourt Road; and recommending that:

- (1) approval be granted to enter into a license agreement with Hydro One Networks Inc. to permit the City to use a portion of the Ontario Hydro corridor on the south side of Geary Avenue east of Dovercourt Road for parkland, that is comprised of a site area of approximately .62 acres, for a term of ten years with an option to renew for a further ten year period at the nominal sum of \$1.00 per annum, plus realty taxes and in a form and content acceptable to the City Solicitor; and
- (2) the appropriate City officials be authorized and directed to take the necessary action to give effect thereto.

15. PROPOSED LICENSE AGREEMENT FOR PARKLAND WITHIN ONTARIO HYDRO CORRIDOR LANDS ABUTTING THE CANADIAN PACIFIC RAILWAY LINE BETWEEN OSSINGTON AVENUE AND SHAW STREET (Davenport)

Source: <u>Commissioner of Economic Development, Culture and Tourism</u> (August 29, 2000)

Seeking City Council's approval to enter into a license agreement for parkland purposes with Hydro One Networks Inc. within its hydro corridor lands abutting the Canadian Pacific Railway Line between Ossington Avenue and Shaw Street; and recommending that:

- (1) approval be granted to enter into a license agreement with Hydro One Networks Inc. to permit the City to use a portion of the Ontario Hydro corridor abutting the Canadian Pacific Railway line between Ossington Avenue and Shaw Street for parkland purposes, that is comprised of an area of approximately 0.49 hectares (1.22 acres), legally described as Part of Lots 51, 52 and 53, Registered Plan No. 197, for a term of ten years with an option to renew for a further ten year period at the nominal sum of \$1.00 per annum, plus realty taxes, and in a form and content acceptable to the City Solicitor; and
- (2) the appropriate City officials be authorized and directed to take the necessary action to give effect thereto.

16. LICENSE AGREEMENT FOR PARKLAND USE WITHIN ONTARIO HYDRO CORRIDOR LANDS ON THE SOUTH SIDE OF DAVENPORT ROAD BETWEEN ST. CLARENS AVENUE AND LANSDOWNE AVENUE (Davenport)

Source: <u>Commissioner of Economic Development, Culture and Tourism</u> (August 29, 2000)

Seeking City Council's approval to enter into a license agreement for parkland use with Hydro One Networks Inc. for vacant land within its hydro corridor on the south side of Davenport Road between St. Clarens Avenue and Lansdowne Avenue; and recommending that:

- (1) approval be granted to enter into a license agreement with Hydro One Networks Inc. to permit the City to use a portion of the Ontario Hydro corridor vacant land on the south side of Davenport Road for parkland purposes, that is legally described as Part of Block P, RP M208 comprised of an approximate area of 0.333 acres, City of Toronto, for a term of ten years at the nominal sum of \$1.00 per annum gross, and in a form and content acceptable to the City Solicitor; and
- (2) the appropriate City officials be authorized and directed to take the necessary action to give effect thereto.

17. LICENSE RENEWAL AGREEMENT FOR PARKLAND USE WITHIN ONTARIO HYDRO CORRIDOR LANDS ON THE WEST SIDE OF PRESCOTT AVENUE, SILVERTHORNE PARK (Davenport)

Source: <u>Commissioner of Economic Development, Culture and Tourism</u> (August 29, 2000)

Seeking City Council's approval to enter into a license renewal agreement for parkland purposes with Hydro One Networks Inc. within its hydro corridor on the west side of Prescott Avenue, Silverthorne Park; and recommending that:

- (1) approval be granted to enter into a license renewal agreement with Hydro One Networks Inc. to permit the City to continue to use a portion of the Ontario Hydro corridor lands on the west side of Prescott Avenue for parkland purposes, that is legally described as Part of Lots 39, 40, 41 and Part of Lane abutting Lot 39, Block "A", R. P. 886, City of Toronto, for a term of five years commencing April 1, 1999 at the nominal consideration of \$1.00 per annum gross, and in a form and content acceptable to the City Solicitor; and
- (2) the appropriate City officials be authorized and directed to take the necessary action to give effect thereto.

18. YEAR-ROUND RESIDENCE ON BOATS MOORED ON PARKS AND RECREATION PROPERTY (Various Wards)

Source: <u>Commissioner of Economic Development, Culture and Tourism</u> (August 29, 2000)

Seeking City Council's approval to establish a consistent and workable policy with regard to residence on a year-round basis on boats or other vessels moored at leased boating facilities on Parks and Recreation property; and recommending that:

- (1) a policy be adopted permitting year-round residence on boats and other vessels moored at marinas and boat club locations leased from the City of Toronto subject to appropriate infrastructure and emergency services being available;
- (2) Parks and Recreation staff consult with staff from Works and Emergency Services, Urban Development Services, the Toronto Police Service and the Toronto and Region Conservation Authority to determine minimum infrastructure and emergency service requirements;
- (3) the number of slips available for year-round use be determined solely at the discretion of the Commissioner of Economic Development, Culture and Tourism, or his designate, on a location by location basis, but in any case, the number will not exceed 10 percent of the total approved mooring spaces available at any location;

- (4) existing leases be amended as required to accommodate this policy and that the policy be reflected in any new or renewed leases; and
- the appropriate City officials be authorized and directed to take the necessary (5) action to give effect thereto.

19. **PROPOSED LICENSE OF VACANT LAND ON** ALGONQUIN ISLAND ALONG OMAHA AVENUE TO THE SUNFISH CUT BOAT CLUB

(Downtown)

Commissioner of Economic Development, Culture and Tourism Source: (August 29, 2000)

Seeking City Council's approval to enter into a license agreement with the Sunfish Cut Boat Club for vacant land on Algonquin Island along Omaha Avenue; and recommending that:

- (1)a license agreement with the Sunfish Cut Boat Club for vacant land on Algonquin Island along Omaha Avenue to the waters edge, being a linear strip which is comprised of an area of approximately 0.64 acres, be approved in accordance with the terms and conditions outlined in Attachment No. 1 and in a form and content acceptable to the City Solicitor; and
- (2)the appropriate City officials be authorized and directed to take the necessary action to give effect thereto.

20. PROPOSED LEASE RENEWAL OF VACANT LANDS AT THE REAR OF 99 COE HILL DRIVE WITH UPPER CANADA LEASEHOLDS INC. (High Park)

Source: Commissioner of Economic Development, Culture and Tourism (August 29, 2000)

Seeking City Council's approval to enter into a lease renewal with Upper Canada Leaseholds Inc. for vacant City-owned property designated as a part of Rennie Park at the rear of 99 Coe Hill Drive; and recommending that:

- a lease renewal agreement with Upper Canada Leaseholds Inc. for vacant land (1)designated as a portion of Rennie Park located at the rear of 99 Coe Hill Drive, City of Toronto, be approved in accordance with the terms and conditions set as follows:
 - renewal term for five years effective January 1, 2000, with a further option (a) to renew for an additional five year term at a rental rate to be negotiated at that time:
 - (b) the annual rental rate is \$2,200.00 per annum on a net basis with a total net income of \$11,000.00 for a five year term;

- (c) all the other terms and conditions within the existing agreement are to remain the same and in a form and content acceptable to the City Solicitor; and
- (2) the appropriate City officials be authorized and directed to take the necessary action to give effect thereto.

21. PROPOSED LAND LEASE IN TRACE MANES PARK WITH THE TORONTO LIBRARY BOARD FOR THE RECONSTRUCTION OF THE LEASIDE PUBLIC LIBRARY (East York)

Source: <u>Commissioner of Economic Development, Culture and Tourism</u> (August 29, 2000)

Seeking City Council's approval to enter into a new lease agreement with the Toronto Library Board for the reconstruction of the Leaside Public Library; and recommending that:

- (1) a lease agreement with the Toronto Library Board for land located within Trace Manes Park to be improved with the reconstructed Leaside Library, municipally known as 165 McRae Drive, be approved in accordance with the terms and conditions set out in the body of this report and in a form acceptable to the City Solicitor; and
- (2) the appropriate City officials be authorized and directed to take the necessary action to give effect thereto.

22. CANADA MALTING COMPLEX - METRONOME CANADA INCORPORATED - AGREEMENT TO LEASE TERMS (Downtown)

Source: <u>Commissioner of Corporate Services</u> (August 27, 2000)

Clarifying the terms of the Agreement to Lease relative to the financial obligation of Metronome Canada Incorporated as it relates to in-kind contribution; and recommending that:

(1) the Commissioner of Corporate Services be directed to enter into an appropriate agreement with Metronome Canada Incorporated (MCI), setting out the type of sources of funding and percentages thereof, as set out herein, that may be used to satisfy the requirements of the Master Agreement (as amended) between the City and MCI relative to providing evidence of having secured capital funding to February 2001;

- (2) authority be granted to extend the milestone dates contained in the Master Agreement (as amended) by a time equal to the extension granted for the submission of evidence of having acquired capital funding in the amount of \$10,000,000.00;
- (3) the City Solicitor be authorized and directed to prepare and execute the appropriate agreements in order to give effect to the above; and
- (4) the appropriate City officials be authorized and directed to take the necessary action to give effect thereto.

23. FEASIBILITY OF THE CITY OF TORONTO CO-SPONSORING A FESTIVAL CELEBRATING ELECTRONIC MUSIC (All Wards)

Source: <u>Commissioner of Economic Development, Culture and Tourism</u> (August 2, 2000)

Reporting to the Economic Development and Parks Committee on the feasibility of the City of Toronto co-sponsoring a festival celebrating electronic music, as requested by City Council on August 1, 2 and 3, 2000 meeting of Toronto City Council; and recommending that:

- (1) the Toronto Special Events Division, Economic Development, Culture and Tourism Department, continue to provide consultative services to external event producers wishing to mount an electronic music festival in the City of Toronto; and
- (2) the appropriate City officials be authorized and directed to take the necessary action to give effect thereto.

24. RENAMING OF THE KEELE-EGLINTON BUSINESS IMPROVEMENT AREA (BIA) TO THE EGLINTON HILL BIA (York Humber)

Source: <u>Commissioner of Economic Development, Culture and Tourism</u> (August 29, 2000)

Seeking City Council's authorization for the Keele-Eglinton Business Improvement Area to change its name to the Eglinton Hill Business Improvement Area; and recommending that:

- (1) the Keele-Eglinton Business Improvement Area, as defined by the boundaries described in Attachment No. 2, be renamed the Eglinton Hill Business Improvement Area; and
- (2) the authority be granted for the City Solicitor to introduce a bill substantially in the form of the draft bill described in Attachment No. 1.

25. INTENTION TO DESIGNATE, DOWTOWN YONGE STREET, PROPOSED BUSINESS IMPROVEMENT AREA (BIA) (Downtown)

Source: <u>Commissioner of Economic Development, Culture and Tourism</u> (August 31, 2000)

Advising of the intention to designate the Downtown Yonge Street business area as a Business Improvement Area (BIA); and recommending that:

- a Business Improvement Area (BIA) be designated under Section 220 of the <u>Municipal Act</u> and include the area as described by Attachment No. 1 (Maps 1 to 6), as a Business Improvement Area effective January 1, 2001;
- (2) the City Clerk's Department be authorized and directed to send out a notice of Council's intention to pass a by-law designating the area, as defined by Attachment No. 1 (Maps 1 to 6), as a Business Improvement Area, in accordance with Section 220 of the <u>Municipal Act</u>;
- (3) the Commissioner of Works and Emergency Services be requested to prepare a legal description of the area, as described by Attachment No. 1 (Maps 1 to 6), and to submit this description to the City Solicitor; and
- (4) subject to the City Clerk reporting favourably on the results of the poll, referred to in Recommendation No. (2), and upon receipt of the legal description prepared by the Commissioner of Works and Emergency Services, the City Solicitor be directed to prepare a by-law designating the area as described by Attachment No. 1 (Maps 1 to 6), in accordance with Section 220 of the <u>Municipal Act</u>; and
- (5) the appropriate City officials be authorized and directed to take the necessary action to give effect thereto.

26. REPEAL OF DESIGNATING AND ESTABLISHING BY-LAWS: ELM STREET BUSINESS IMPROVEMENT AREA AND YONGE/QUEEN-DUNDAS BUSINESS IMPROVEMENT AREA (Downtown)

Source: <u>Commissioner of Economic Development, Culture and Tourism</u> (September 5, 2000)

Seeking City Council approval to repeal the Designating and Establishing By-laws for the Elm Street Business Improvement Area (BIA) and the Yonge/Queen-Dundas Business Improvement Area (BIA); and recommending that:

 By-law No. 171-85, as amended, respecting the designation of the Elm Street BIA and By-law No. 628-85, as amended, respecting the establishment of a Board of Management for the Elm Street BIA be repealed effective December 31, 2000;

- (2) By-law No. 531-86, as amended, respecting the designation of the Yonge/Queen-Dundas BIA and By-law No. 801-86, as amended, respecting the establishment of a Board of Management for the Yonge/Queen-Dundas BIA be repealed effective December 31, 2000;
- (3) Toronto Municipal Code, Chapter 20, Business Improvement Areas be amended effective December 31, 2000, to delete all references to Elm Street BIA and Yonge/Queen Dundas BIA therefrom;
- (4) any unspent capital funds of the Elm Street BIA as of December 31, 2000, be carried into 2001, and the Commissioner of Economic Development, Culture and Tourism and the Chief Financial Officer and Treasurer be requested to report to Council on the final amounts and recommended capital budget project in 2001;
- (5) the Chief Financial Officer and Treasurer be requested to report to Council in 2001 on the amount of any operating funds remaining in the accounts of the Yonge/Queen-Dundas and Elm Street BIAs as at December 31, 2000, and that such funds be allocated to the Downtown Yonge Street BIA, should the designation of that area be approved; and
- (6) the appropriate City officials be authorized and directed to take the necessary action to give effect thereto including the introduction of any necessary bills in Council.

27. INTENTION TO DESIGNATE, LIBERTY VILLAGE, PROPOSED BUSINESS IMPROVEMENT AREA (BIA)

(Trinity-Niagara)

Source: <u>Commissioner of Economic Development, Culture and Tourism</u> (August 31, 2000)

Advising of the intention to designate the Liberty Village business district as a Business Improvement Area (BIA); and recommending that:

- (1) the area as described in Attachment No. 1 (Maps 1 to 6) be designated as a Business Improvement Area (BIA);
- the City Clerk be authorized and directed to send out notice of Council's intention to pass a by-law designating the area, as defined by Attachment No. 1 (Maps 1 to 6) as a Business Improvement Area;
- (3) the Commissioner of Works and Emergency Services be requested to prepare a legal description of the area, as described on Attachment No. 1 (Maps 1 to 6), and to submit this description to the City Solicitor;

- (4) subject to the City Clerk reporting favourably on the results of the poll, referred to in Recommendation No. (2), and upon receipt of the legal description prepared by the Commissioner of Works and Emergency Services, the City Solicitor be directed to prepare a by-law designating the area as described in Attachment No. 1 (Maps 1 to 6) as a Business Improvement Area; and
- (5) the appropriate City officials be authorized and directed to take the necessary action to give effect thereto.

TORONTO FINANCIAL SERVICES CLUSTER STUDY 28. (All Wards)

Source: Commissioner of Economic Development, Culture and Tourism (August 29, 2000)

Providing information on the intent and progress of the Economic Development Division's Study of the Financial Services Cluster; and recommending that the findings of the Study of the Financial Services Cluster and the corresponding actions be reported to the Economic Development and Parks Committee early in 2001.

29. 2000 COMMERCIAL RESEARCH PROGRAM -**GRANT RECOMMENDATIONS**

(All Wards)

Seeking approval for Commercial Research Program 2000 grant allocations; and recommending that:

- (1)the Commercial Research Grants totalling \$24,700.00 be approved for the eight projects as described in Attachment No. 1, conditional on their satisfying the Program Guidelines for the year 2000 Commercial Research Program goals as described in Attachment No. 2: and
- (2)the appropriate City officials be authorized and directed to take the necessary action to give effect thereto.

265-271 FRONT STREET EAST/FIRST PARLIAMENT SITE -30. **ARCHAEOLOGICAL ASSESSMENT**

(Downtown)

Source: Commissioner of Economic Development, Culture and Tourism (September 5, 2000)

Seeking City Council authority to undertake an archaeological assessment of 265-271 Front Street East, the Province's first Parliament site; and recommending that:

Commissioner of Economic Development, Culture and Tourism Source: (August 29, 2000)

- (1) the Commissioner of Economic Development, Culture and Tourism be authorized to expend up to \$30,000.00 from the appropriate City Heritage Fund for an archaeological assessment of the first Parliament site at 265-271 Front Street East;
- (2) any funds recovered from property owners of the first Parliament site at 265-271 Front Street East, for the purposes of this archaeological assessment, be deposited to the appropriate City Heritage Fund;
- (3) this report be referred to the Policy and Finance Committee for consideration; and
- (4) the appropriate City officials be authorized and directed to take the necessary action to give effect thereto.

31. DELEGATIONS OF AUTHORITY FOR CULTURE MATTERS (All Wards)

Source: <u>Commissioner of Economic Development, Culture and Tourism</u> (August 29, 2000)

Seeking delegation of approving authority and signing authority for certain matters relating to City museums and historic sites, art centres and galleries, and collections; and recommending that:

- (1) the Commissioner of Economic Development, Culture and Tourism or his designate be delegated the authority to approve certain license agreements and contracts and to sign certain license agreements and contracts for the matters described in Attachment No. 1, subject to the conditions set out in Attachment No. 1;
- (2) such authority be applicable to all sites, facilities, and objects managed by the Culture Division, examples of which are listed in Attachment No. 2;
- (3) such authority supersede and replace any authorities of the seven former municipalities that relate to these matters;
- (4) authority be granted for the introduction of any Bills necessary to give effect to the foregoing; and
- (5) the appropriate City officials be authorized and directed to take the necessary action to give effect thereto.

32. SHORT-TERM DELEGATION OF AUTHORITY TO DEAL WITH APPLICATIONS TO ALTER OR DEMOLISH HERITAGE BUILDINGS DURING COUNCIL ELECTION (All Wards)

Source: <u>Commissioner of Economic Development, Culture and Tourism</u> (September 7, 2000)

Requesting that City Council delegate authority to the Commissioner of Economic Development, Culture and Tourism to make decisions in relation to applications to alter or demolish designated buildings made pursuant to sections 33 and 34 of the <u>Ontario</u> <u>Heritage Act</u>, until the resumption of regular Council meetings; and recommending that:

- (1) the Commissioner of Economic Development, Culture and Tourism, or his designate (the "Commissioner"), in consultation with the Toronto Preservation Board and staff of Heritage Preservation Services, be delegated the authority to consider and either consent to or refuse applications to alter or demolish buildings which are designated under the <u>Ontario Heritage Act</u> during the Council Election, until regular Council meetings resume;
- (2) the Commissioner of Economic Development, Culture and Tourism be requested to report to Council at the next available meeting with a list of the applications received and the decisions made in relation thereto; and
- (3) the appropriate City officials be authorized and directed to take the necessary action to give effect thereto.

33. ARTS AND CULTURE GRANTS - MUSEUMS CAMPBELL HOUSE AND TORONTO'S FIRST POST OFFICE (Downtown)

Source: <u>Commissioner of Economic Development, Culture and Tourism</u> (August 29, 2000)

Providing allocation recommendations for Campbell House and Toronto's First Post Office; and recommending that:

- (1) Campbell House be awarded a grant of \$35,000.00 to be applied to their 2000 operating budget;
- (2) Toronto's First Post Office be awarded a grant of \$27,000.00 to be applied to their 2000 operating year; and
- (3) the appropriate City officials be authorized and directed to take the necessary action to give effect thereto.

34. INCREASING REVENUE IN THE ARTS AND CULTURE SECTOR (All Wards)

Commissioner of Economic Development, Culture and Tourism Source: (August 29, 2000)

Responding to the Economic Development and Parks Committee directive of March 20, 2000, requesting a report on ways of increasing revenues to the City's Arts and Culture sector without putting additional pressure on the property tax base; and recommending that the issue of increased revenue to the Arts and Culture sector be dealt with in the context of the City of Toronto's Culture Plan currently under development by the Culture Division of the Economic Development, Culture and Tourism Department, in consultation with community stakeholders (including the Toronto Arts Council).

TORONTO HERITAGE FUND GRANT 35. **51 WELLS HILL AVENUE**

(Midtown)

Source: Commissioner of Economic Development, Culture and Tourism (August 29, 2000)

Recommending that:

- the Toronto Heritage Fund Grant application for 51 Wells Hill Avenue, of up to (1)\$2,500.00, be approved in principle;
- (2)the grant be conditional on the owner entering into a Restoration Grant Agreement prepared by the City Solicitor in consultation with the Manager of Preservation Services: and
- the owner ensure the City of Toronto's support for this project is suitably (3) recognized.

TORONTO HERITAGE FUND GRANT 36. **427 BLOOR STREET WEST TRINITY-ST. PAUL'S UNITED CHURCH**

(Trinity-Niagara)

Source: Commissioner of Economic Development, Culture and Tourism (August 29, 2000)

Recommending that:

(1)the Toronto Heritage Fund Grant application for 427 Bloor Street West, Trinity-St. Paul's United Church, of up to \$7,500.00, be approved in principle;

- (2)the grant be conditional on the owner entering into a Restoration Grant Agreement prepared by the City Solicitor in consultation with the Manager of Preservation Services; and
- (3) the owner ensure the City of Toronto's support for this project is suitably recognized.

TORONTO HERITAGE FUND GRANT 37. **2 STRACHAN AVENUE. THE HORSE PALACE** (Trinity Niagara)

Commissioner of Economic Development, Culture and Tourism Source: (August 29, 2000)

Recommending that:

- (1)the Toronto Heritage Fund Grant application for 2 Strachan Avenue, The Horse Palace, of up to \$5,000.00, be approved in principle;
- (2) the grant be conditional on the owner entering into a Restoration Grant Agreement prepared by the City Solicitor in consultation with the Manager of Preservation Services: and
- the owner ensure the City of Toronto's support for this project is suitably (3) recognized.

38. **TORONTO HERITAGE FUND GRANT** 14 ELM STREET, THE ARTS AND LETTERS CLUB

(Downtown)

Source: Commissioner of Economic Development, Culture and Tourism (August 29, 2000)

Assisting the owner in completing necessary restoration; and recommending that:

- the Toronto Heritage Fund Grant application for 14 Elm Street, of up to (1)\$10,000.00, be approved in principle;
- (2)the grant be conditional on the owner entering into a Restoration Grant Agreement prepared by the City Solicitor in consultation with the Manager of Preservation Services: and
- (3) the owner ensure the City of Toronto's support for this project is suitably recognized.

39. CANADA - U.S. BORDERNET ALLIANCE (All Wards)

Source: <u>Commissioner of Economic Development, Culture and Tourism</u> (August 29, 2000)

Recommending that:

- (1) the City co-operate with the Canada-U.S. BorderNet Alliance in its first project, the development of a regional web site to attract regional investment;
- (2) the City assist BorderNet with other economic development and international trade initiatives as appropriate; and
- (3) the appropriate City officials be authorized and directed to take the necessary action to give effect thereto.

40. ENTERPRISE TORONTO VOLUNTEER WORKING COMMITTEES (All Wards)

Source: <u>Commissioner of Economic Development, Culture and Tourism</u> (August 29, 2000)

Summarizing the activities of four Enterprise Toronto pilot committees: Women In Business, New Business Immigrants Entrepreneurs, Small Office/Home Office and Young Entrepreneurs; and recommending that:

- (1) this report to be circulated to the City departments with programs and services that are currently involved with women and young entrepreneurship, Business Immigration and Small Office/Home Office strategies/issues; and
- (2) the appropriate City officials be authorized and directed to take the necessary action to give effect thereto.

41. TOURISM DIRECTIONAL SIGNAGE

(All Wards)

Source: <u>Commissioner of Economic Development, Culture and Tourism</u> (August 29, 2000)

Reporting on signage to advertise tourism attractions in the City of Toronto; and recommending that:

(1) the provision of tourism directional signage be incorporated in the Identification and Directional Road Signage policy that is currently being drafted by Works and Emergency Services;

- (2) Works and Emergency Services Department staff be requested to consult with Economic Development, Culture and Tourism staff, Tourism Toronto and the cultural agencies on signage for tourism, cultural and heritage attractions; and
- (3) the appropriate City officials be authorized and directed to take the necessary action to give effect thereto.

42. TOURISM INVESTMENT ATTRACTION STRATEGY (All Wards)

Source: <u>Commissioner of Economic Development, Culture and Tourism</u> (August 29, 2000)

Advising of the process and status of the Economic Development Division's plan to develop a tourism investment attraction strategy, and recommending that:

- (1) the findings of the tourism product and infrastructure needs assessment be forwarded to the Economic Development and Parks Committee in 2001;
- (2) the tourism investment attraction strategy be incorporated into the 2001 Economic Development Work Plan and budget;
- (3) the Economic Development Division report in 2001 on a comprehensive tourism development plan which incorporates the investment attraction component; and
- (4) the appropriate City officials be authorized and directed to take the necessary action to give effect thereto.

43. HERITAGE DISPLAY FOR THE POWER HOUSE BUILDING ON THE LAKESHORE GROUNDS

(Lakeshore-Queensway)

Source: <u>Commissioner of Economic Development, Culture and Tourism</u> (August 29, 2000)

Providing information on how to accomplish a heritage display for the Power House building on the Lakeshore Grounds, including the process and costs involved; and recommending that this report be received for information.

44. CITY OF TORONTO ARTS AND CULTURE GRANTS JANUARY TO JUNE, 2000

Source: Mr. Kim Tomczak, President <u>Toronto Arts Council</u> (August 2000)

Forwarding, for information, a report on the City of Toronto Arts and Culture Grants covering the first six months in 2000 (January 1 to June 30), describing the economic impact of the City's financial investment in the arts community and the impressive array of new work, creativity and community animation which resulted.

45. ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT STRATEGY - PRIORITY ACTIONS REGARDING TELECOMMUNICATIONS INFRASTRUCTURE (All Wards)

Source: <u>Commissioner of Economic Development, Culture and Tourism</u> (August 29, 2000)

Identifing the priority action regarding telecommunications infrastructure presented in the Economic Development Strategy; and recommending that this report be forwarded to the Telecommunications Committee for information.

46. EXECUTIVE MEMBERS OF THE ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT SECTOR INITIATIVE PROGRAM (EDSIP) AND THE ECONOMIC SECTOR INITIATIVES (ESI) GRANT RECIPIENTS (All Wards)

Source: <u>Commissioner of Economic Development, Culture and Tourism</u> (August 29, 2000)

Responding to Economic Development and Parks Committee request for the names of the executive members of the organizations receiving grants from the Economic Development Sector Initiative Program (EDSIP) and Economic Sector Initiatives (ESI); and recommending that this report be received for information.

IN CAMERA:

In accordance with the Municipal Act, a motion is required for the Committee to meet privately and the reason being the Litigation or Potential Litigation, including matters before Administrative Tribunals, affecting The Municipality or Local Board.

47. THE NORTH YORK PERFORMING ARTS CORPORATION'S CLAIMS AGAINST LIVENT INC. AND OTHERS (North York Centre)

Reporting on the status of litigation commenced by The North York Performing Arts Corporation (NYPACC) against Livent Inc.