

# WORKS COMMITTEE AND ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT AND PARKS COMMITTEE

## **AGENDA**

Date of Meeting: April 19, 2000 Enquiry: Trudy Perrin

Time: 2:00 p.m. Committee Administrator

Location: Council Chamber 392-8027

City Hall

100 Queen Street West

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

### **COMMUNICATIONS/REPORTS:**

#### 1. CITY OF TORONTO NEW SEWER USE BY-LAW.

Commissioner of Works and Emergency Services (April 10, 2000)

## Recommending that:

- (1) the new Sewer Use By-law be enacted by City Council, providing a two-year phase-in period for industries to meet the proposed new limits in Section 2 and Section 4 of the new By-law;
- (2) all the former six area municipalities' By-laws and the former Metro Toronto By-law No. 153-89 be repealed, with the exception of the limits in Section 2 and Section 3, which will remain in effect for the two-year phase-in period of the new Sewer Use By-law;
- (3) the Commissioner of Works and Emergency Services report back at the end of two-year phase-in period on any modifications to the new limits contained in Section 2 and Section 4 of the new By-law;

- (4) the Commissioner of Works and Emergency Services be authorized to reclassify two of the existing Enforcement Officers to Pollution Prevention Officers;
- (5) all existing Industrial Waste Surcharge Agreements, Sanitary Discharge Agreements and Compliance Programs with Monetary Concessions remain in force under the new By-law, and be amended to accommodate the changes necessitated by the new By-law;
- (6) the Commissioner of Works and Emergency Services be authorized to execute new Industrial Waste Surcharge Agreements, Sanitary Discharge Agreements or Compliance Programs with Monetary Concessions under routine situations, but continue to refer non-routine, complicated cases to Council for approval; and
- (7) the appropriate City officials be authorized and directed to take the necessary action to give effect thereto.

# 1(a). <u>City Clerk</u> (March 9, 2000)

Forwarding, for information and any attention deemed necessary, Clause No. 3 contained in Report No. 4 of The Works Committee, headed "City of Toronto Draft Sewer Use By-law – Status Report", which was adopted, as amended, by City Council on February 29, March 1 and 2, 2000.

## 1(b). Secretary,

Board of Health (April 3, 2000)

Advising that the Board of Health, at its meeting on April 3, 2000, had before it a report (March 23, 2000) from the Medical Officer of Health respecting the proposed Sewer Use By-law for Toronto; and that the Board of Health:

- (1) endorses the commitment to reduce the discharge of persistent toxics into the Toronto sewage system and the pollution prevention planning requirements that are contained in the proposed Sewer Use By-law; and
- encourages the Works Committee and the Economic Development and Parks Committee to support the proposed Sewer Use By-law.

1(c). Ms. Christine Iamonaco, Senior Public Consultation Co-ordinator (Acting) Works and Emergency Services (November 2, 1999)

Advising that the Implementation, Compliance and Monitoring Committee (ICMC) for the Ashbridges Bay Treatment Plant Mediation Agreement at its meeting on October 27, 1999, passed the motion that the ICMC support the City's new Sewer Use By-law which is consistent with Resolution No. 2 of the Mediator's report as approved by Council in June 1999, appended thereto.

1(d). Ms. Christine Iamonaco, Public Consultation Co-ordinator <u>Technical Services</u> (April 3, 2000)

Advising that the Ashbridges Bay Treatment Plant Neighbourhood Liaison Committee at its meeting on March 21, 2000, passed the motion that the Committee support the Sewer Use By-law, and, in principle, the staff report coming forward to the Works Committee at the April 19, 2000 meeting.

1(e). Ms. Anne Dubas,
President, Local 79

<u>Canadian Union of Public Employees</u>
(April 7, 2000)

Forwarding suggestions with respect to the proposed Sewer Use By-law in the areas of composting, permitting system, economic incentives, metals, pesticides, environmental emergency plans, and training, to strengthen the draft by-law and help ensure that the City will be able to enforce and protect the quality of water and ensure public health.

- **1(f).** Communications from the following commenting on the proposed Sewer Use By-law:
  - (i) (June 10, 1999) from Mr. Don Lounsbury, Vice-President and General Manager, K-G Packaging, a Division of CCL Industries Inc.;
  - (ii) (June 11, 1999) from Ms. Marina Kovrig, Vice President, Public and Government Affairs, Recochem Inc.;
  - (iii) (June 14, 1999) from Mr. Grant D. Allen, Plant Manager, Reckitt & Colman Canada;
  - (iv) (June 21, 1999) from Mr. Gunter Berk, Vice President and General Manager, CCL Custom Manufacturing;

- (v) (June 23, 1999) from Mr. N.R.C. Huebel, Regional Director, Ontario, Canadian Chemical Producers' Association:
- (vi) (July 5, 1999) from Mr. Roger Hayward, Vice President Operations, Rohm and Haas Canada Inc.;
- (vii) (July 5, 1999) from Mr. Mike Russill, Vice President, Retail, Sunoco Inc.;
- (viii) (July 7, 1999) from Mr. Bob Clapp, Vice President, Ontario Division, Canadian Petroleum Products Institute;
- (ix) (July 15, 1999) from Mr. Mike Klein, President, Dominion Colour Corporation;
- (x) (July 19, 1999) from Mr. Andrew Macdonald, Vice President, Torcad Limited;
- (xi) (July 22, 1999) from Mr. Peter Newton, President, Champion Photochemistry Limited;
- (xii) (July 23, 1999) from Mimi N. Singh, Director, Environment, Health and Safety, Canadian Plastics Industry Association;
- (xiii) (August 4, 1999) from Mr. Jim Stanton, Owner, M. Stanton Electroplating Ltd.;
- (xiv) (August 9, 1999) from Mr. Ian Howcroft, Vice President (Acting), Ontario Division, Alliance of Manufacturers & Exporters Canada;
- (xv) (September 7, 1999) from Mr. G. S. Buchanan, President, S&C Electric Canada Ltd., forwarded by Councillor Elizabeth Brown, Rexdale-Thistletown; and
- (xvi) (September 17, 1999) from Mr. David Halton, President, Canadian Manufacturers of Chemical Specialities Association.

## 1(g). Ms. Stella Hawke,

Arcadia Housing Cooperative, Toronto (April 12, 2000)

Extending support for the adoption of a stronger Sewer Use By-law in the City of Toronto; and stating that new limits for nine chemicals in the final draft of the By-law allow an unacceptable level of dangerous substances to be discharged into the City's drinking water.

#### ANY OTHER MATTERS.