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**TORONTO PEDESTRIAN COMMITTEE  
AGENDA  
MEETING NO. 2**

Date of Meeting:	Wednesday, February 21, 2001	Enquiry: Betty Bushe
Time:	1:30 p.m.	Committee Secretary
Location:	Committee Room 4 2 <sup>nd</sup> Floor, City Hall	(416) 396-7088 <a href="mailto:bushe@city.toronto.on.ca">bushe@city.toronto.on.ca</a>

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

**CONFIRMATION OF MINUTES – January 24, 2001.**

**COMMUNICATIONS/REPORTS:**

**1. TORONTO AT THE CROSSROADS: SHAPING OUR FUTURE**

W. Brown, D. Fletcher, L. James, P. Lush and M. McDowell  
(January 24, 2001)

Providing for information, a report prepared by the Ad hoc Committee responding to the comments and concerns with respect to the new Official Plan for the City of Toronto.

**2. ACTIVITY AND FINDINGS OF AD HOC WORKING GROUP ON  
MISSING SIDEWALKS.**

J. Richard Nelson  
(January 24, 2001)

Providing for information, a report on the activity and findings of Ad Hoc working group on missing sidewalks.

**3. NEW STANDARDS FOR SIDEWALK INSTALLATIONS.**

Margot Bevan  
(January 24, 2001)

Providing for discussion, comments regarding the development of a new standard for sidewalk installation.

**4. VACANT POSITION: CO-CHAIR**

**4(a).** Ms. Rhona Swarbrick, Co-Chair  
(October 30, 2000)

Providing for discussion the role of the chair(s).

**4(b).** Ms. Rhona Swarbrick, Co-Chair

Providing for discussion – “Role of Chair”, material based on: “Committees Handbook, University of Technology, Sydney, Australia, February 2, 2000”.

**5. AUDIBLE PEDESTRIAN SIGNALS PROGRAM.**

Daniel Egan, Pedestrian and Cycling Infrastructure Unit  
(January 18, 2001)

Providing for information an update of the Audible Pedestrian Signals Program.

**6. PEDESTRIAN USE OF WELLINGTON STREET RAMP.**

Verbal update from Mr. Daniel Egan, Manager, Transportation Services.

**7. REVIEW OF SUB-COMMITTEES, ADVISORY COMMITTEES, SPECIAL COMMITTEES AND TASK FORCES ESTABLISHED BY CITY COUNCIL SINCE JANUARY 1998.**

City Clerk  
(February 1, 2001)

Providing for information, copy of extract of City Council, at its regular meeting held on January 30, 31 and February 1, 2001, embodied in Clause 1, Report No. 1 of the Works Committee, with respect to (A)(3) Toronto Pedestrian Committee.

**8. OTHER ITEMS CONSIDERED BY THE WORKS COMMITTEE.**

City Clerk

(February 3, 2001)

Providing for information, copy of extract of City Council, at its regular meeting held on January 30, 31 and February 1, 2001, embodied in Clause 15, Report No. 1 of the Works Committee, with respect to:

- (i) Pedestrian Refuge Island – 2301 Brimley Road, South of Huntingwood Drive; and
- (k) Missing Sidewalks on Public Transit Routes.

**9. CITIZEN APPOINTMENTS TO THE TORONTO PEDESTRIAN COMMITTEE.**

Report to follow.

**10. TORONTO PEDESTRIAN COMMITTEE CHAIR'S REPORT FOR THE MONTH OF JANUARY 2001.**

Ms. Rhona Swarbrick, Chair

(February 7, 2001)

Submitting, for information, a report on the activities of the Chair of the Toronto Pedestrian Committee.

**11. POLICE SAFETY PLAN – FIRST DRAFT REPORT**

Research Sub-Committee, Toronto Pedestrian Committee

(February 7, 2001)

Submitting, for information, draft report from the Toronto Pedestrian Committee, Research Sub-Committee, in preparation for an assessment of the police traffic safety plan as it relates to pedestrians, and a proposed follow-up meeting with staff from Police Services.

**12. REPRESENTATION OF FEET OF THE STREET**

Ms. Helen Riley, Feet on the Street  
(February 6, 2001)

Recommending that Ms. Peg Lush continue to be Feet on the Street's representative on the Toronto Pedestrian Committee.

**13. TORONTO PEDESTRIAN COMMITTEE WEB PAGE**

Ms. Lisa Ing, Pedestrian and Cycling Infrastructure Unit  
(February 6, 2001)

Advising that Ms. Rhona Swarbrick and Ms. Lisa Ing met with Keith McDonald of Corporate Communications to discuss the possibility of incorporating a Toronto Pedestrian Committee web page in the City of Toronto web site to promote walking and pedestrian safety; and that a brief verbal update of the meeting will be provided.

**14. NEWSPAPER ARTICLES.**

Providing for information the following newspaper articles:

- (i) Pedestrians get ready to jump as Quebec allows rights-on-reds. (National Post November 22, 2000)
- (ii) Police plan to ticket errant walkers. (The Toronto Star December 6, 2000)
- (iii) Downtrodden walkers rebel. (The Toronto Star, December 11, 2000)

**15. 2000 TORONTO FATAL COLLISION STATISTICS.**

Transportation Services, Transportation Systems, Traffic Data Centre & Safety Bureau  
(February 1, 2001)

Submitting for information the 2001 Toronto Fatal Collision Statistics.

**ADJOURNMENT**