

TORONTO PEDESTRIAN COMMITTEE AGENDA MEETING NO. 7

Date of Meeting: Wednesday, July 18, 2001

Time: 1:30 p.m.
Location: Committee Room 4

Committee Room 4 (416) 396-7088

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Enquiry: Betty Bushe

Committee Secretary

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

CONFIRMATION OF MINUTES – June 20, 2001.

PRESENTATION:

2:00 P.M. Mr. Daniel Egan, Manager, Pedestrian and Cycling Infrastructure, Transportation Services - Review of Pedestrian Refuge Island and Split Pedestrian Crossosver Study: Phase 2 Draft report. (Item No. 2)

COMMUNICATIONS/REPORTS:

1. APPOINTMENT TO THE TORONTO CYCLING COMMITTEE.

(Deferred from previous meeting)

Ms. Rhona Swarbrick, Chair

Request from Ms. Rhona Swarbrick regarding Appointment to the Toronto Cycling Committee.

2. TRANSPORTATION SERVICES STAFF UPDATE.

Mr. Dan Egan, Manager, Transportation Services (July 5, 2001)

Submitting for information, Transportation Services staff update with respect to:

- (1) City of Toronto Pedestrian Collision Study presentation given by staff at the June 20th, 2001 meeting on the preliminary findings of the Pedestrian Collision Study follow up regarding comments and questions about the collision data;
- (2) Pedestrian Safety Campaign meeting to discuss goals and objectives of the campaign, issues to be addressed and key message tentative dates Monday, July 23, 2001 or Wednesday, July 25, 2001;
- (3) Review of Pedestrian Refuge Island and Split Pedestrian Crossover Study: Phase 2 Draft Report Staff presentation July 18, 2001; and
- (4) Pedestrian Master Plan Results of Pedestrian Committee Brainstorming session results of the July 5, 2001 brainstorming session.

3. TRAFFIC FATALITY #9 / 2001 – MARCH 19, 2001 – TORONTO POLICE SERVICE – NEWS RELEASE VICTORIA PARK AVENUE NORTH OF PARMA COURT.

(Deferred from previous meeting)

Ms. Rhona Swarbrick and Ms. Janice Etter Research Sub-Committee, Toronto Pedestrian Committee (March 21, 2001)

Providing for discussion, draft memo from the Research Sub-Committee, Toronto Pedestrian Committee, regarding March 19, 2001, Toronto Police Service News Release regarding Traffic Fatality #9/01, Victoria Park Avenue North of Parma Court.

4. PEDESTRIAN RELATED PROGRAMS INITIATED OR PARTICIPATED IN BY CITY DEPARTMENTS.

(Deferred from previous meeting)

Research Sub-Committee, (Janice Etter) (May 9, 2001)

Recommending that in order to raise awareness of the full scope of pedestrian issues and the profile of the Toronto Pedestrian Committee within the various City departments that deal with issues related to pedestrian safety and amenity, it is proposed that:

(1) the Toronto Pedestrian Committee send a letter to the Commissioner, Works and Emergency Services, requesting that the Pedestrian Committee be routinely informed of all internal and external activities and/or programs with which it is

involved that have elements that pertain to pedestrian issues, and invite the committee's comments and/or participation; and

(2) the Toronto Pedestrian Committee send similar letters to the Commissioners of Urban Development Services and Economic Development, Culture, and Tourism; the Medical Officer of Health, Department of Public Health; and the Chairs of the Toronto Transit Commission and the Toronto and Region Conservation Authority.

5. TORONTO AT THE CROSSROADS: SHAPING OUR FUTURE.

Deferred from previous meeting.

Mr. William Brown (May 23, 2001)

Providing summary of Pedestrian Committee's recommendations with respect to Toronto at the Crossroads: Shaping Our Future.

6. IMMEDIATE SAFETY OF PEDESTRIANS.

Deferred from previous meeting.

Mr. Lewis Pearsall (June 4, 2001)

Providing correspondence from Lewis Pearsall with respect to:

- (a) immediate safety of pedestrians; and
- (b) clarification of the process regarding public attendees input to discussions of the Committee.

7. RESPONSE TO WORKS COMMITTEE, CITY STAFF REPORT OF MARCH 8, 2001 - TRAFFIC CALMING POLICY. (ALL WARDS)

Deferred from previous meeting.

Mr. Bruce Voogd, Chair,
<u>The Roncesvalles-Macdonell Residents' Association</u>
(June 11, 2001)

Providing copy of response to the Works Committee regarding Traffic Calming Policy (All Wards).

8. QUEEN STREET WEST RECONSTRUCTION. (PARKDALE)

Mr. Bruce Voogd, Chair,
<u>The Roncesvalles-Macdonell Residents' Association</u>
(June 12, 2001)

Providing for information copy of letters and responses with respect to Queen Street West Reconstruction. (Parkdale)

9. WALKING INITIATIVE MEETING – MINUTES FOR MAY 24, 2001 AND WALKING MAP.

Ms. Paula Waddell, Co-ordinator, Toronto Heart Health Partnership (July 3, 2001)

Providing for information, Minutes of May 24, 2001 for Walking Initiative Meeting and City of Toronto's Parks and Trails Map, which was developed as a resource for hikers and leisure walkers, and is intended to help you navigate through the many parks and trails throughout the City.

ADJOURNMENT.