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TORONTO PEDESTRIAN COMMITTEE AGENDA MEETING NO. 1

| Date of Meeting: | Wednesday, January 23, 2002 |
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| Time: | 1:30 p.m. |
| Location: | Committee Room 4 |
| | 2 nd Floor, City Hall |

Enquiry: Betty Bushe Committee Secretary (416) 396-7088 bushe@city.toronto.on.ca

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

CONFIRMATION OF MINUTES – November 28, 2001.

PRESENTATION:

1:45 P.M.Mr. Daniel Egan, Manager of the Cycling and Pedestrian Infrastructure Unit
– Transportation Services - 2002 Budget Overview (Item No. 2 & 3)

DEPUTATIONS:

COMMUNICATIONS/REPORTS:

1. **RESIGNATION AS MEMBER OF TORONTO PEDESTIRAN COMMITTEE.**

Mr. Joel Courchesne (November 28, 2001)

Advising that with regrets, he has to resign his position as member of the Toronto Pedestrian Committee as he and his family are moving to Montreal.

** Welcome Igor Batuk to replace Joel.

2. TRANSPORTATION SERVICES STAFF UPDATE.

Mr. Dan Egan, Manager, Transportation Services (January 9, 2001) Submitting for information, Transportation Services staff update regarding:

- (1) Pedestrian Safety Initiatives Pilot Project; and
- (2) 2002 Budget Review Process.

3. PRESENTATION - 2002 BUDGET DISCUSSIONS.

(Deferred from September 26, 2001 and October 31, 2001)

Ms. Rhona Swarbrick (December 7, 2001)

Requesting staff to make a presentation regarding:

- (a) the City budget process in general; and
- (b) funding being requested for pedestrian issues in Transportation's 2002 preliminary budget estimates, including how much is being requested, and where it is included in the budget.

4. SHARING OF MULTI-USE PATHS IN PARKS BY PEDESTRIANS, CYCLISTS AND IN-LINE SKATERS.

Mr. J. Richard Nelson, TPC representative on the TCC (December 16, 2001)

Submitting, for information, notes from December 11, 2001 meeting of Working Group on Sharing Multi-use Paths for information.

5. 2001 TORONTO FATAL COLLISION STATISTICS.

<u>Transportation Services, Transportation Systems, Traffic Data Centre & Safety Bureau</u> (December 31, 2001)

Submitting for information, the revised 2001 Toronto Fatal Collision Statistics leaflet presenting an analysis of fatal collisions to December 31, 2001 showing relevant facts and trends.

6. PEDESTRIAN TRAFFIC FATALITY # 26: KEELE STREET AT DOVEHOUSE AVENUE.

(Deferred from November 28, 2001)

Ms. Rhona Swarbrick (November 22, 2001)

Submitting for consideration, report from Rhona Swarbrick, Research Sub-Committee with respect to Pedestrian Traffic Fatality #26: Keele Street at Dovehouse Avenue.

7. SUMMARY WITH RESPECT TO ASSESSMENT OF THE PEDESTRIAN ENVIRONMENT THROUGH STREETSCAPING (GEOMETRIC DESIGN GUIDELINES FOR CANADIAN ROADS, TRANSPORTATION ASSOCIATION OF CANADA, SEPTEMBER 1999, CHAPTER 3.3, STREETSCAPING).

Mr. Paul Collier (January 15, 2002)

Providing a summary of Toronto Pedestrian Committee members assessment of the pedestrian environment and assessment of identified priorities for improving the pedestrian environment through streetscaping. (Copies will be provided at the meeting).

8. TORONTO PEDESTRIAN CHARTER.

Ms. Rhona Swarbrick and Ms. Janice Etter, Research Sub-Committee (January 7, 2002)

Submitting for discussion, copy of draft #1 revised (January 7, 2002), of the Toronto Pedestrian Charter and recommending that Committee members bring comments to the meeting in writing, so it's easier to make changes and circulate the new draft as soon as possible before the February Toronto Pedestrian Committee meeting in case further changes are necessary before being presented to the Planning and Transportation Committee for its April 29, 2002 meeting.

9. ADVERTISING STANDARDS CANADA.

Mr. Wayne Scott (January 23, 2002)

Submitting verbal update with respect to information contained in letter received from Advertising Standards Canada.

10. PILOT PROGRAM – PUBLICATION BOX ENCLOSURES.

City Clerk (December 13, 2001)

Submitting for information, Clause No. 1 contained in Report No. 17 of The Works Committee, headed "Pilot Program – Publication Box Enclosures", which was adopted, as amended, by the Council of the City of Toronto at its meeting held on December 4, 5 and 6, 2001.

11. PROPOSED AMENDMENT TO THE HIGHWAY TRAFFIC ACT.

City Clerk (Council) (December 10, 2001)

Submitting for information, Clause No. 4 contained in Report No. 17 of The Works Committee, headed "Proposed Amendment to the Highway Traffic Act", which was adopted, without amendment, by the Council of the City of Toronto at its meeting held on December 4, 5 and 6, 2001.

11(a). <u>City Clerk (Works Committee)</u> (November 14, 2001)

Advising for information, that the Works Committee recommended to Council the adoption of the aforementioned report; and referred the recommendations of the Toronto Pedestrian Committee to the Commissioner of Works and Emergency Services for a report thereon to the next meeting of the Works Committee, scheduled to be held on January 15, 2002.

12. OUT OF POCKET EXPENSES.

<u>City Clerk (Works Committee)</u> (December 13, 2001)

Advising for information, that the Works Committee referred the communication from the Toronto Pedestrian Committee to the City Clerk for a report through the budget process on the reimbursement of out-of-pocket expenses for the Chair of the Toronto Pedestrian Committee.

13. CAR FREE DAY EVENT FOR 2002.

City Clerk (December 13, 2001)

Submitting for information, Clause No. 3 contained in Report No. 17 of The Works Committee, headed "Car Free Day 2002", which was adopted, as amended, by the Council of the City of Toronto at its meeting held on December 4, 5 and 6, 2001.

ADJOURNMENT.