
TORONTO CITY COUNCIL DECISION DOCUMENT MEETINGS ON OCTOBER 26, 27, 28 and 31, 2005

City Council's actions on each Clause in the following Reports and Notices of Motions considered at the meeting are contained in this Decision Document. Declarations of Interest, if any, are included and all additional material noted in this document is on file in the City Clerk's Office, Toronto City Hall. Please refer to the Council Minutes for the official record of Council's proceedings.

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Deferred Reports:**Policy and Finance Committee Report 7****45b Building Condition Assessment and Analysis of Required Capital Reserve Funds in the Toronto Community Housing Corporation's Downloaded Social Housing Portfolio**

City Council on October 26, 27, 28 and 31, 2005, amended this Clause by adding the following:

“That:

- (1) Council adopt the following Motion:

‘WHEREAS the City now has the report which outlines the poor condition of the social housing downloaded during amalgamation by the provincial government of the day; and

WHEREAS the continued state of poor repair is demeaning and frustrating to tenants, adds to alienation, and contributes to vandalism and further erosion of the housing stock;

NOW THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED THAT the City of Toronto strongly request urgent financial support from the provincial government for major capital repairs to the provincially-downloaded social housing stock.’;

- (2) the General Manager, Shelter, Support and Housing Administration, after consultation with the Toronto Community Housing Corporation (TCHC), be requested to report to Council, through the appropriate Standing Committee, on the scope of the state of disrepair of former MTHA and Ontario Housing complexes that were downloaded by the Province without appropriate funding for maintenance and repair, and the cost of bringing these buildings to a state of good repair;
- (3) the Board of Directors of the Toronto Community Housing Corporation (TCHC) be requested to proceed with thorough building audits in all of its properties, to ascertain the precise scope of the capital maintenance backlog;

- (4) the Board of Directors of the TCHC be requested to provide quarterly written updates on the status and timelines of the TCHC developments included in TCHC's Building Renewal Program (BRP) to the appropriate Ward Councillors;
- (5) Council's request to upload social housing funding responsibilities to the Province be referred to the Mayor to include as part of his ongoing City-Provincial 'New Deal' and *City of Toronto Act* negotiations; and
- (6) the Acting Executive Director, Municipal Licensing and Standards be requested to report to Council, through the appropriate Standing Committee, on:
 - (a) the number of all outstanding Orders to Comply and Notices of Violation in all Toronto Community Housing Corporation buildings throughout the City, the number that have been complied with over the past two years, and in consultation with TCHC, a total estimated cost of the outstanding mandatory repairs outlined in these Orders and Notices; and
 - (b) the outstanding Orders to Comply and Notices of Violation for the pilot project in Ward 17, and a plan for enforcement."

This Clause, as amended, was adopted by City Council.

Council also considered the following:

- Communication (October 26, 2005) from Councillor Cesar Palacio, Ward 17 - Davenport [Communication 22(a)].

Administration Committee Report 6

3b Council Resolution on Support for Undocumented Workers

City Council on October 26, 27, 28 and 31, 2005, amended this Clause by adding the following:

"That Council:

- (1) re-affirm its support towards undocumented workers, and again request the Federal Minister of Citizenship and Immigration to recognize undocumented workers to be essential to the Toronto and Canadian economy and, therefore, to consider normalizing their legal status with 'working permits' before the next federal election; and
- (2) again request the federal opposition parties to urge the Minister of Citizenship and Immigration to urgently bring forward a long-term resolution to this long standing issue."

This Clause, as amended, was adopted by City Council.

28b Court Service Agreement with GO Transit for Provincial Offences Fines

City Council on October 26, 27, 28 and 31, 2005, postponed consideration of this Clause to its special meeting on November 24, 2005.

Council also adopted the following procedural motion:

"That all motions moved on this Clause be forwarded to the special meeting of Council on November 24, 2005, and these motions be deemed to be moved."

Council also considered the following:

- Report (October 14, 2005) from the Director, Court Services [Communication 2(a)].

Audit Committee Report 3

12b Toronto Emergency Medical Services (EMS) Operational Support Review - Response to Auditor General Recommendations

City Council on October 26, 27, 28 and 31, 2005, postponed consideration of this Clause to its next regular meeting on December 5, 2005.

Etobicoke York Community Council Report 6

8b Request for Approval of Variances from Chapter 215, Signs, of the Former City of Etobicoke Municipal Code for a First Party Ground Pylon Sign at 1025 The Queensway (Ward 5 - Etobicoke-Lakeshore)

City Council on October 26, 27, 28 and 31, 2005, postponed consideration of this Clause to its special meeting on November 24, 2005.

Council also considered the following:

Communications:

- (September 27, 2005) from Greg Piccini [Communication 1(a)(1)];
- (September 27, 2005) from Juliet Palmer [Communication 1(a)(2)];
- (September 27, 2005) from Steve Mercer [Communication 1(a)(3)];
- (September 27, 2005) from Andrew Woodrow [Communication 1(a)(4)];
- (September 27, 2005) from Daniel Luciani [Communication 1(a)(5)];
- (September 27, 2005) from Albert Kwan [Communication 1(a)(6)];
- (September 27, 2005) from Scott Alic [Communication 1(a)(7)];
- Works Committee Report 6, Clause 6, headed “Human Factors Evaluation of Video Advertising Signs”, adopted, as amended, by City Council on July 22, 23 and 24, 2003, circulated at the request of Councillor Joe Mihevc, Ward 21, St. Paul’s [Communication 1(a)(8)];
- (September 28, 2005) from Gabriel Heti [Communication 1(a)(9)];
- (September 28, 2005) from Raj Bharati [Communication 1(a)(10)];
- (September 28, 2005) from Caroline Chan [Communication 1(a)(11)]; and
- (September 29, 2005) from Marilyn Hagerman [Communication 1(a)(12)].

North Community Council Report 6

8b Community Safety Zone - Grandravine Drive (Ward 8 - York West and Ward 9 - York Centre)

City Council on October 26, 27, 28 and 31, 2005, postponed consideration of this Clause to its special meeting on November 24, 2005.

Council also adopted the following procedural motion:

“That all motions moved on this Clause be forwarded to the special meeting of Council on November 24, 2005, and these motions be deemed to be moved.”

23b Encroachment Agreement - 21 De Vere Gardens (Ward 16 - Eglinton-Lawrence)

City Council on October 26, 27, 28 and 31, 2005, postponed consideration of this Clause to its special meeting on November 24, 2005.

Policy and Finance Committee Report 8**12a Toronto District School Board Application Requesting Debentures**

City Council on October 26, 27, 28 and 31, 2005, postponed consideration of this Clause to its special meeting on November 24, 2005.

47a Parking Tag Revenue

City Council on October 26, 27, 28 and 31, 2005, postponed consideration of this Clause to its special meeting on November 24, 2005.

Community Services Committee Report 7**6a Determining the Number and Service Needs of Homeless Persons Living on Toronto's Streets and in its Public Spaces**

City Council on October 26, 27, 28 and 31, 2005, amended this Clause to provide that:

- (1) the study have, as its central organizing goals, the determination of the number of homeless people in the City of Toronto as well as the Street Needs Assessment; and
- (2) the General Manager, Shelter, Support and Housing Administration be requested to submit to City Council, through the Community Services Committee, the completed Street Needs Assessment by June 30, 2006.

This Clause, as amended, was adopted by City Council.

Economic Development and Parks Committee Report 8**18a Other Items Considered by the Committee**

City Council on October 26, 27, 28 and 31, 2005, postponed consideration of Item (j), entitled "Toronto City Hall Hockey Team", contained in this Clause, to its special meeting on November 24, 2005.

Planning and Transportation Committee Report 7

10a Other Items Considered by the Committee

City Council on October 26, 27, 28 and 31, 2005, received Item (a), entitled “Use of Remote Control Cameras to Reduce Illegal Dumping”, contained in this Clause, for information.

Works Committee Report 8

6a Streetcar Right-of-Way on Fleet Street - Modification to Environmental Assessment

City Council on October 26, 27, 28 and 31, 2005, amended this Clause by deleting from the last Operative Paragraph of the motion contained in Recommendation (B) of the Works Committee, the distance “4.0 metres”, and inserting instead the distance “4.5 metres”, so that the last Operative Paragraph now reads as follows:

“**AND FURTHER BE IT RESOLVED THAT** the westbound lane from Bastion Street to Iannuzzi Street, which is currently proposed as being 5.0 metres in width be revised to 4.5 metres in width.”

This Clause, as amended, was adopted by City Council.

8a Joint Municipal Water Bottling Project

City Council on October 26, 27, 28 and 31, 2005, received this Clause.

14a Other Items Considered by the Committee

City Council on October 26, 27, 28 and 31, 2005, received Item (j), entitled “Toronto Bike Plan - Three Year Implementation Strategy (All Wards)”, contained in this Clause, for information.

Etobicoke York Community Council Report 7

37a (1) Curfew for Teens 16 years of age and under; (2) 24-hour on-site security at Toronto Community Housing Communities and Acceleration of Building Investments for selected communities; and (3) Information from all School Boards in Toronto

City Council on October 26, 27, 28 and 31, 2005, received this Clause.

Council also considered the following:

Communications:

- Press Release (October 26, 2005) from the Toronto Youth Cabinet, submitted by Councillor Janet Davis, Ward 31, Beaches - East York [Communication 24(a)];
- (undated) entitled “Notes, Curfews”, submitted by Councillor Giorgio Mammoliti, Ward 7, York West [Communication 24(b)];
- (October 24, 2005) from Emily Chan, on behalf of the Youth Action Committee at Justice for Children and Youth [Communication 24(c)]; and
- (undated) Excerpt from the *Child and Family Services Act, R.S.O. 1990*, submitted by Councillor Pam McConnell, Ward 28, Toronto Centre-Rosedale [Communication 24(d)].

North York Community Council Report 7**38a Final Report - Draft Official Plan Amendment No. 567 - 05 117545 NPS TM - North York Centre Secondary Plan - Proposed Amendments to Density Incentives for Bicycle Storage (Wards 23 and 24 - Willowdale)**

City Council on October 26, 27, 28 and 31, 2005, amended this Clause by:

- (1) deleting Recommendation (1) of the North York Community Council;
- (2) adding the following:

“That Council:

- (a) adopt the following staff recommendations contained in the Recommendations Section of the supplementary report (October 26, 2005) from the Chief Planner and Executive Director, City Planning:

‘It is recommended that City Council:

- (1) adopt amendments to the current North York Centre Secondary Plan, substantially in accordance with the Official Plan Amendment 567 in Attachment No. 1;
- (2) adopt amendments to the North York Centre Parking Policy, substantially in accordance with Attachment No. 2;

- (3) authorize the City Solicitor to bring forward to the Ontario Municipal Board a companion modification to the North York Centre Secondary Plan of the new Official Plan, substantially in accordance with the modifications in Attachment No. 3; and
 - (4) authorize the City Solicitor to make such stylistic and technical changes to the Official Plan Amendment and/or Parking Policy as may be required.'; and
- (b) receive the supplementary report (September 28, 2005) from the Chief Planner and Executive Director, City Planning, as contained in the Clause.”

This Clause, as amended, was adopted by City Council.

Council also considered the following:

- Report (October 26, 2005) from the Chief Planner and Executive Director, City Planning [Communication 27(a)].

Toronto and East York Community Council Report 7

4a Final Report - Application to Amend the Official Plan and Zoning By-law - 77 Charles Street West (Toronto Centre-Rosedale, Ward 27)

City Council on October 26, 27, 28 and 31, 2005, amended this Clause in accordance with the following staff recommendations contained in the Recommendations Section of the supplementary report (October 25, 2005) from the Chief Planner and Executive Director, City Planning:

“It is recommended that:

- (1) Map 2 of the proposed Zoning By-law Amendment, which provides the building envelope and building heights, incorporate the built form revisions presented to the Toronto and East York Community Council at its meeting on September 19, 2005, and formerly submitted to the City Planning Division on September 28, 2005;
- (2) Recommendation (5)(d)(v) in City Planning’s Final Report dated August 31, 2005, be deleted;

- (3) the appropriate City officials be authorized and directed to take the necessary action to give effect thereto; and
- (4) there be no further Notice of Public Meeting under the *Planning Act* for the draft Zoning By-law Amendment, as amended.”

This Clause, as amended, was adopted by City Council.

Council also considered the following:

- Report (October 25, 2005) from the Chief Planner and Executive Director, City Planning [Communication 18(b)].
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- Communication (October 24, 2005) from Stanley Makuch, Cassels Brock, Lawyers [Communication 18(a)].

New Reports:

Policy and Finance Committee Report 9

1 Potential Impacts of Existing Sewers and Proposed Trunk Sewers in York Region on Waterbodies in the City of Toronto

City Council on October 26, 27, 28 and 31, 2005, adopted this Clause without amendment.

Council also considered the following:

- Communication (October 24, 2005) from Karyn Bagley, on behalf of Councillor Elio Di Iorio, Town of Richmond Hill, forwarding communications from Members of the York Region Council and the City of Vaughan. [Communication 11(a)].

2 “Green Building Code”: Energy Efficiency Provisions in the Ontario Building Code

City Council on October 26, 27, 28 and 31, 2005, adopted this Clause without amendment.

3 Increase of On-Street Meter Rates from \$1.00 per hour to \$1.50 per hour on Queen Street East between Woodbine Avenue and Nursewood Road

City Council on October 26, 27, 28 and 31, 2005, adopted this Clause without amendment.

4 Health Canada Funding for Peer Nutrition Program Evaluation

City Council on October 26, 27, 28 and 31, 2005, adopted this Clause without amendment.

5 Results of Canvass - Avondale Composting and borrow Pit Site Located East of Keele Street, between Kirby Road and Teston Road (City of Vaughan)

City Council on October 26, 27, 28 and 31, 2005, adopted this Clause without amendment.

6 Toronto Strong Neighbourhoods Strategy

City Council on October 26, 27, 28 and 31, 2005, amended this Clause by:

(1) further amending the staff recommendations contained in the Recommendations Section of the report (October 5, 2005) from Deputy City Manager, Sue Corke, as amended by the Policy and Finance Committee, by:

(a) adding the following new Recommendation (1)(d):

“(1)(d) the Deputy City Manager be requested to investigate and report to the Policy and Finance Committee on how the City can take advantage of opportunities by entering into innovative partnerships or agreements with community organizations to access much needed recreational/cultural/community space in high needs neighbourhoods; and that this review include the option of the waiving of building permit application fees similar to that which is being proposed for new office, hotel and industrial developments in the ‘Enhancing Toronto’s Business Climate - It’s Everybody’s Business’ report;” and

(b) amending Recommendation (4) by inserting the words “and the private sector, as appropriate”, after the words “inter-sectoral partners”, so that Recommendation (4) now reads as follows:

- “(4) the City begin working with inter-sectoral partners and the private sector, as appropriate, to determine the composition and mandate of the Neighbourhoods Investment Board and request the Deputy City Manager to submit a report to the Community Services Committee meeting scheduled to be held on January 12, 2006 on a proposed Terms of Reference for that Board;”; and
- (2) adding the following:
- “That:
- (a) the Deputy City Manager and Chief Financial Officer be requested to report further to the Policy and Finance Committee, through the Community Services Committee, on:
- (i) how these projects are to be financed;
- (ii) how much funding is projected to be spent annually over 5 and 10 year periods; and
- (iii) how these projects will take priority over other infrastructure projects; and
- (b) a copy of this Clause be forwarded to the Budget Advisory Committee with the request that the recommendations of the Toronto Strong Neighbourhoods Strategy be given priority consideration in the 2006 budget process.”

This Clause, as amended, was adopted by City Council.

7 Community Partnership and Investment Program (CPIP) - Policy Update

City Council on October 26, 27, 28 and 31, 2005, adopted this Clause without amendment.

8 Toronto Symphony Orchestra (TSO) Line of Credit Guarantee Increase and Extension

City Council on October 26, 27, 28 and 31, 2005, adopted this Clause without amendment.

9 2005 Sinking Fund Surplus

City Council on October 26, 27, 28 and 31, 2005, postponed consideration of this Clause to its special meeting on November 24, 2005.

10 2006 Election Contribution Rebate Program

City Council on October 26, 27, 28 and 31, 2005, amended this Clause to provide that for the 2006 Election Contribution Rebate Program:

- (1) Corporations and Trade Unions be deemed ineligible to receive contribution rebates for donations to candidates;
- (2) in-kind contributions are ineligible to receive contribution rebates; and
- (3) as provided for by subsection (82)(5) of the *Municipal Elections Act, 1996*, the campaign surpluses of candidates participating in the program become the property of the City of Toronto as a condition of their participation in the Rebate Program.

This Clause, as amended, was adopted by City Council.

11 Former CN Leaside Spur Line Lands Acquired by the City - Lands Located on the East Side of Leslie Street, Between Eglinton Avenue East and York Mills Road - Applying New Market Rental Rate to the Licence Agreement Between the City and Sun Canadian Pipe Line Company Limited (“Sun Canadian”) (Ward 25 - Don Valley West)

City Council on October 26, 27, 28 and 31, 2005, amended this Clause by amending Recommendation (2) of the Policy and Finance Committee to now read as follows:

- “(2) the General Manager of Parks, Forestry and Recreation be requested to report to the Economic Development and Parks Committee on the status of the integration of the subject lands into the City’s bicycle path network.”

This Clause, as amended, was adopted by City Council.

12 Former CN Leaside Spur Line Lands Acquired by the City – Lands Located on the East Side of Leslie Street, Between Eglinton Avenue East and York Mills Road - Applying New Market Rental Rate to the Licence Agreement Between the City and Trans-Northern Pipelines Inc. (“Trans-Northern”) (Ward 25 - Don Valley West)

City Council on October 26, 27, 28 and 31, 2005, adopted this Clause without amendment.

13 Former CN Leaside Spur Line Lands Acquired by the City – Lands Located on the East Side of Leslie Street, Between Eglinton Avenue East and York Mills Road - Applying New Market Rental Rates for Two Licence Agreements Between the City and Imperial Oil Enterprises Limited (“Imperial”) (Ward 25 - Don Valley West)

City Council on October 26, 27, 28 and 31, 2005, adopted this Clause without amendment.

14 11 Bay Street - Ground Lease Amendment (Ward 28 - Toronto Centre-Rosedale)

City Council on October 26, 27, 28 and 31, 2005, adopted this Clause without amendment.

15 Leasing of Office Space for Toronto Social Services - Located at 220 Attwell Drive (Ward 2 - Etobicoke North)

City Council on October 26, 27, 28 and 31, 2005, amended this Clause by deleting from staff Recommendation (1) contained in the report (September 21, 2005) from the Chief Corporate Officer, the words “set out in the body of this report”, and inserting instead the words “set out in Appendix A to the communication (October 24, 2005) from the Manager, Leasing and Site Management, Facilities and Real Estate”, so that Recommendation (1) now reads as follows:

“(1) a lease agreement with 220 Attwell Drive Inc. and Harold Holdings Inc. be approved in accordance with the terms and conditions set out in Appendix A to the communication (October 24, 2005) from the Manager, Leasing and Site Management, Facilities and Real Estate, and in a form acceptable to the City Solicitor;”.

This Clause, as amended, was adopted by City Council.

Council also considered the following:

- Communication (October 24, 2005) from the Manager, Leasing and Site Management, Facilities and Real Estate [Communication 12(a)].

16 Leasing of Office Space for Toronto Social Services - Located at 5639 Finch Avenue East (Ward 42 - Scarborough Rouge River)

City Council on October 26, 27, 28 and 31, 2005, amended this Clause by deleting from staff Recommendation (1) contained in the report (September 21, 2005) from the Chief Corporate Officer, the words “set out in the body of this report”, and inserting instead the words “set out in Appendix A to the communication (October 24, 2005) from the Manager, Leasing and Site Management, Facilities and Real Estate”, so that Recommendation (1) now reads as follows:

- “(1) a lease agreement with 651565 Ontario Limited be approved in accordance with the terms and conditions set out in Appendix A to the communication (October 24, 2005) from the Manager, Leasing and Site Management, Facilities and Real Estate, and in a form acceptable to the City Solicitor;”.

This Clause, as amended, was adopted by City Council.

Council also considered the following:

- Communication (October 24, 2005) from the Manager, Leasing and Site Management, Facilities and Real Estate [Communication 13(a)].

17 Grant of Long-term Lease to Kraft Canada Inc., for a Portion of the Schick Court Road Allowance, Located at the North East Corner of Progress Avenue and Schick Court, Scarborough (Ward 37 - Scarborough Centre)

City Council on October 26, 27, 28 and 31, 2005, amended this Clause by deleting from staff Recommendation (1) contained in the report (September 7, 2005) from the Chief Corporate Officer, the words “outlined in the body of this report”, and inserting instead the words “outlined in Appendix A to the communication (October 24, 2005) from the Manager, Leasing and Site Management, Facilities and Real Estate”, so that Recommendation (1) now reads as follows:

- “(1) the City enter into a long-term lease agreement with Kraft for a portion of the Schick Court road allowance, shown as Part 2 on Sketch No. PS-2003-108a (the ‘Lease Lands’), on the terms and conditions outlined in Appendix A to the communication (October 24, 2005) from the Manager, Leasing and Site Management, Facilities and Real Estate;”.

This Clause, as amended, was adopted by City Council.

Council also considered the following:

- Communication (October 24, 2005) from the Manager, Leasing and Site Management, Facilities and Real Estate [Communication 14(a)].

18 Union Station - Amending Agreement to the Reciprocal Rights Agreement with GO Transit (Ward 28 - Toronto Centre-Rosedale)

City Council on October 26, 27, 28 and 31, 2005, adopted this Clause without amendment.

19 Union Station - Interim Building Management (Ward 28 - Toronto Centre-Rosedale)

City Council on October 26, 27, 28 and 31, 2005, adopted this Clause without amendment.

20 Disclosure of Insurance Claims Information

City Council on October 26, 27, 28 and 31, 2005, received this Clause.

[Note: Please note Council's action on Administration Committee Report 8, Clause 3, which is a duplicate of this Clause (See Page 28).]

21 Approval of the Best Start Service and Transition Plan as Amendments to the 2005-2009 Toronto Child Care Service Plan

City Council on October 26, 27, 28 and 31, 2005, amended this Clause by adding the following:

“That:

- (1) Council adopt the following staff recommendations contained in the Recommendations Section of the supplementary report (October 19, 2005) from the General Manager, Children's Services Division, subject to amending Appendix 1, entitled 'The Best Start Transition Infrastructure Plan', by:
 - (a) including St. Jude's Catholic School in Appendix 'D', entitled 'Best Start Phase 1 Proposed Capital Projects - Approved'; and
 - (b) including St. Conrad's School in Appendix 'E', entitled 'Best Start Phase 2 Proposed Capital Projects', subject to the Toronto District Catholic School Board requesting it:

‘It is recommended that:

- (1) the proposed Best Start Transition Infrastructure Plan attached as Appendix 1 [as amended] be approved as a companion document to the Best Start Service and Transition Plan and forwarded to the Ministry of Children and Youth Services;
- (2) subject to provincial approval of the Best Start Transition Infrastructure Plan, the General Manager, Children’s Services Division be delegated authority to execute agreements on behalf of the City with the Toronto District School Board, the Toronto Catholic District School Board, the Conseil Scolaire de District Du Centre-Sud-Ouest and the Conseil Scolaire de District Catholique Centre Sud to fund the construction and or renovation costs associated with Phase 1 child care expansion sites named in Appendix 1, in an amount determined in accordance with provincial infrastructure guidelines which amount shall not exceed an average cost of \$10,000.00 per child care space and provided that the total Best Start Funds payable under all four agreements shall not exceed \$89.08 million, such agreements to be on terms and conditions satisfactory to the General Manager and in a form satisfactory to the City Solicitor;
- (3) the agreements noted in Recommendation 2 provide funding for Phase 2 child care sites listed in Appendix 1 of up to \$10,000.00 per site to support feasibility and design costs;
- (4) the agreements with the Toronto District School Board and Toronto Catholic District School Board include funds previously approved by Council for capital project development funding;
- (5) the General Manager, Children’s Services Division provide status reports twice annually detailing the status of construction and/or renovation of new licensed child care spaces;

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- (6) \$18.5125 million from the 2005 Children's Services Capital Budget be transferred to the 2005 Children's Services Operating budget;
 - (7) in order to maximize the value of capital funding under Best Start, the City advocate with the Province to extend the deadlines for spending Best Start capital beyond March 31, 2006;
 - (8) the General Manager, Children's Services Division report on strategies to address the occupancy costs for child care centres in schools;
 - (9) the appropriate City officials be authorized and directed to take the necessary action to give effect thereto.';
- (2) the proposed Best Start Transition Infrastructure Plan be further shaped by the learnings of the Toronto First Duty project to ensure that early learning and care environments are well integrated and seamless, take full advantage of opportunities to share space and resources, and enhance program quality and parent participation through the development of an integrated education program and curriculum that would be planned and delivered by an early childhood teaching team, which would include teachers, Early Childhood Educators (ECE), and parenting workers;
 - (3) the Toronto Best Start Network contain representation from the Toronto First Duty research and development team;
 - (4) top priority be given to integrating new Best Start spaces with existing school spaces to facilitate early childhood program integration and maximize capital resources;
 - (5) the General Manager, Children's Services be requested to report to the Community Services Committee, in February 2006, on:
 - (i) how the Best Start initiative can best incorporate First Duty program directions; and
 - (ii) the form by which the City will remain involved with the First Duty prototype at Bruce School, which is funded until 2008 through the Atkinson Charitable Foundation; and

- (6) the General Manager, Children's Services Division be requested to meet with Rabbi Joseph Saltzman of the Canadian Jewish Russian Community, as soon as possible, to determine if the City can assist that community in benefiting from the Best Start program."

This Clause, as amended, was adopted by City Council.

Council also considered the following:

- Report (October 19, 2005) from the General Manager, Children's Services Division [Communication 7(a)].

22 Five-Year Sole Source Contract Request for Ferno Canada

City Council on October 26, 27, 28 and 31, 2005, adopted this Clause without amendment.

23 Green Doors Open Proposal from the Clean Air Partnership

City Council on October 26, 27, 28 and 31, 2005, adopted this Clause without amendment.

24 Request to Province Regarding Changes to the Building Code to Allow Use of Non-potable Water for Non-drinking Water Uses

City Council on October 26, 27, 28 and 31, 2005, adopted this Clause without amendment.

25 Action on Renewable Energy at the City of Toronto

City Council on October 26, 27, 28 and 31, 2005, adopted this Clause without amendment.

26 Participation by the City of Toronto in the Affordable Housing Program

City Council on October 26, 27, 28 and 31, 2005, amended this Clause by adding the following:

"That:

- (1) Council request staff of the City's Affordable Housing Office to continue to meet with Mr. Harry Klaczowki, the owner of 2 Gladstone Avenue, and Mr. Michael O'Gorman, the owner of 423/427 Dundas Street West, to review future opportunities to secure affordable housing funding for these sites and other sites they own; and

- (2) Council support the efforts of the aboriginal community and of Nishawbe Homes to develop affordable housing for vulnerable aboriginal people in Toronto, and request Canada Mortgage and Housing Corporation to give priority to providing project development seed funding for future aboriginal housing proposals.”

This Clause, as amended, was adopted by City Council.

Council also considered the following:

- Report (October 26, 2005) from Deputy City Manager Sue Corke [Communication 19(a)].

27 Affordable Housing Program, Wychwood Green/Arts Barns Project (Ward 21 - St. Paul's)

City Council on October 26, 27, 28 and 31, 2005, amended this Clause by deleting from Recommendation (6) of the Affordable Housing Committee, the word “considered” and inserting instead the word “taken”, so that Recommendation (6) now reads as follows:

- “(6) Council reaffirm the existing policy that applicants for this particular project be taken in priority sequence from the Social Housing Connection waiting list.”

This Clause, as amended, was adopted by City Council.

Council also considered the following:

- Communication (October 26, 2005) from Carolyn Bennett M.D., Member of Parliament, St. Paul's [Communication 30(a)].

28 Priorities for Toronto's Share of the Unallocated Additional \$1.6 Billion Federal Funding for Affordable Housing

City Council on October 26, 27, 28 and 31, 2005, amended this Clause by referring the following Recommendation (3)(d), contained in the report (September 29, 2005) from Deputy City Manager Sue Corke, back to the Affordable Housing Committee for consultation, in particular with the Toronto Community Housing Corporation:

“(3) Council affirm the priorities for the expenditure of additional federal funding for housing to be:

- (d) support for the repair of existing federally sponsored social housing;”.

This Clause, as amended, was adopted by City Council.

Council also considered the following:

- Communication (undated) from Beverley Halls, addressed to the Prime Minister of Canada [Communication 17(a)].

29 Funding for and Purchase of 110 Edward Street for Affordable and Supportive Housing Purposes (Ward 27)

City Council on October 26, 27, 28 and 31, 2005, amended this Clause by amending Recommendation (6) contained in the report (October 5, 2005) from the General Manager, Shelter, Support and Housing Administration, to now read as follows:

- “(6) due to the enhanced funding model recently approved by the Federal Government and the Province of Ontario, Recommendations (1) to (5) above, be adopted in place of the funding recommendations regarding 110 Edward Street contained in Policy and Finance Committee Report 7, Clause 44, headed ‘Municipal, Provincial and Federal Funding for Six Affordable Rental Housing Projects under the Affordable Housing Program - Community Rental Housing Funding Pilot Project Component (Wards 7, 27, 28, 31 and 32)’, which was adopted by City Council on July 19, 20, 21 and 26, 2005, in order to enable the enhanced funding to be allocated;”.

This Clause, as amended, was adopted by City Council.

Council also considered the following:

- Briefing Note (October 26, 2005) from the Deputy City Manager and Chief Financial Officer [Communication 29(a)]; and
- Communication (May 5, 2005) from Peter D. Clark, Real Estate Appraiser and Consultant [Communication 29(b)].

30 Administrative Amendments to Reserve Fund Accounts

City Council on October 26, 27, 28 and 31, 2005, adopted this Clause without amendment.

31 Toronto Transit Commission - Streetcar Fleet Plan

City Council on October 26, 27, 28 and 31, 2005, postponed consideration of this Clause to its special meeting on November 24, 2005.

32 Meeting the Needs of School Aged Children through a Child Care and Recreation Service Mode

City Council on October 26, 27, 28 and 31, 2005, postponed consideration of this Clause to its special meeting on November 24, 2005.

33 Response to Toronto City Council Request for Information Regarding the Community Policing Partnership Program (“CPP”) Grant Agreement - Funding Mechanism to Determine How the Full Salary Requirement of Officers Would be Achieved if the CPP Program is Terminated

City Council on October 26, 27, 28 and 31, 2005, adopted this Clause without amendment.

34 Update on Status of Discussions with Toronto Port Authority Concerning Payments in Lieu of Taxes

City Council on October 26, 27, 28 and 31, 2005, postponed consideration of this Clause to its special meeting on November 24, 2005.

Council also considered the following:

- Confidential report (October 17, 2005) from the Treasurer and the City Solicitor [Confidential Communication C11.(a)]. This report remains confidential in its entirety, in accordance with the provisions of the *Municipal Act, 2001*, as it contains information pertaining to litigation or potential litigation; and
 - Confidential communication (October 26, 2005) from the President and Chief Executive Officer, Toronto Port Authority [Confidential Communication C11.(b)]. This communication remains confidential in its entirety, in accordance with the provisions of the *Municipal Act, 2001*, as it contains information pertaining to litigation or potential litigation.
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Councillor Walker declared an interest in this Clause, in that his daughter is an employee of the Toronto Port Authority.

35 Settlement of MFP Litigation and Comments on Pursuing Other Claims Arising from the MFP Lease Transactions

City Council on October 26, 27, 28 and 31, 2005, adopted this Clause without amendment.

Council also considered the following:

- Confidential report (October 19, 2005) from the City Solicitor [Confidential Communication C12.(a)]. This report remains confidential in its entirety, in accordance with the provisions of the *Municipal Act, 2001*, as it contains information pertaining to litigation or potential litigation.

36 Soccer Stadium at Exhibition Place

City Council on October 26, 27, 28 and 31, 2005, amended this Clause:

- (1) by adding to Recommendation (2) of the Policy and Finance Committee, after the words “in consultation with the Mayor’s Community Safety Youth Development Through Sport Working Group”, the words “and ensuring that the overall plan includes a protocol which would allow for affordable usage of the new stadium facilities by local community groups”, so that Recommendation (2) now reads as follows:
 - “(2) the General Manager, Parks, Forestry and Recreation, in consultation with the General Manager, Exhibition Place, be requested to develop an overall plan for the utilization of community access hours for the new soccer stadium, ensuring that the plan is consistent with the Strong Neighbourhoods Strategy and is developed in consultation with the Mayor’s Community Safety’s Youth Development Through Sport Working Group, and ensuring that the overall plan includes a protocol which would allow for affordable usage of the new stadium facilities by local community groups, and submit a report thereon to the Economic Development and Parks Committee for its meeting scheduled to be held on January 16, 2006.”;
- (2) by amending the recommendations contained in the report (October 19, 2005) from the Board of Governors of Exhibition Place, by:

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- (i) adding to Recommendation (2)(a), the words “and further, that all contributions agreed upon in the contribution agreement, including those by MLSEL, must be committed prior to the City making its contribution”, so that Recommendation (2)(a) now reads as follows:
- “(a) that a contribution agreement is entered into between the City and the Provincial and Federal governments which provides for the contribution of federal and provincial funding in the amount of \$27.0M and \$8.0M respectively on terms and conditions acceptable to the Deputy City Manager and Chief Financial Officer and the City Solicitor, including the specific requirement that contribution payments are made on a timely basis to ensure that construction expenditures do not exceed the \$62.8M construction budget, and further, that all contributions agreed upon in the contribution agreement, including those by MLSEL, must be committed prior to the City making its contribution;”; and
- (ii) deleting Recommendation (4) and inserting instead the following:
- “(4) the City Solicitor be requested to report on the legality and appropriateness of declaring the proposed soccer stadium to be a municipal capital facility for the purposes of the municipality and public use, pursuant to Section 110 of the *Municipal Act, 2001*;”;
- (3) in accordance with the following staff recommendation contained in the Recommendation Section of the supplementary report (October 27, 2005) from the Deputy City Manager and Chief Financial Officer:
- “If the recommendations in the report currently before Council from the Board of Governors of Exhibition Place are accepted, it is recommended that Council approve entering into a project agreement, management agreement and facility usage agreements substantially on the terms and preconditions outlined in the Letter of Intent (‘LOI’) attached to the [report of the] General Manager and CEO of Exhibition Place, as amended by the terms set out in Appendix ‘A’ to this report, and such other terms and conditions as required by the Deputy City Manager and Chief Financial Officer, the General Manager and CEO of Exhibition Place and the City Solicitor.”; and
- (4) to provide that construction of the proposed soccer stadium shall not require the demolition of the Food Building at Exhibition Place; and

(5) by adding the following:

“That:

- (i) the Chief Building Official and General Manager, Building, in consultation with the General Manager, Transportation Services, be directed to ensure that the scoreboard and marquee sign is erected beyond the 45-metre setback from the F.G. Gardiner Expressway, and that consideration be given to restricting the video imaging aspect of the sign; and
- (ii) in the event that this proposal between the Board of Governors of Exhibition Place, the City of Toronto and MLSEL and the CSA does not proceed, a similar offer be pursued with Parc Downsview Park Inc..”

This Clause, as amended, was adopted by City Council.

Council also considered the following:

- Report (October 27, 2005) from the Deputy City Manager and Chief Financial Officer [Communication 25(b)].
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- Communication (October 26, 2005) from Alan Kasperski, FieldSports [Communication 25(a)].
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- Confidential Appendix D (October 2005) attached to the report (October 19, 2005) from the Board of Governors of Exhibition Place. [Confidential Communication C.13(a)]. This Appendix was made public in its entirety at the Council meeting.

37 Donation of Funds from SAS Canada to the City for the Rejuvenation of David Crombie Park (Ward 28 - Toronto Centre-Rosedale)

City Council on October 26, 27, 28 and 31, 2005, adopted this Clause without amendment.

38 Lorraine Kimsa Theatre for Young People Line of Credit Guarantee Renewal (All Wards)

City Council on October 26, 27, 28 and 31, 2005, adopted this Clause without amendment.

39 Exchange of Services Agreement Between the City of Toronto and Toronto Catholic District School Board (All Wards)

City Council on October 26, 27, 28 and 31, 2005, adopted this Clause without amendment.

40 Indemnification Policy for Members of Council and Management and Excluded Staff

City Council on October 26, 27, 28 and 31, 2005, postponed consideration of this Clause to its special meeting on November 24, 2005.

Council also considered the following:

- Report (October 25, 2005) from the City Solicitor [Communication 23(a)].

41 City of Toronto and Toronto Civic Employees' Union, Local 416, C.U.P.E. - Grievances re Paramedic Level 1 Wage Rate (Symptom Relief) - Interest Issue

City Council on October 26, 27, 28 and 31, 2005, adopted this Clause without amendment.

Council also considered the following:

- Confidential report (October 11, 2005) from the City Manager [Confidential Communication C.14(a)]. The following staff recommendations contained in the Recommendations Section of the report are now public and the balance of the report remains confidential, in accordance with the provisions of the *Municipal Act, 2001*, as it contains information pertaining to labour relations or employee negotiations:

“It is recommended that:

- (1) City Council approve a one-time contribution of \$1,141,672.37 from the Employee Benefit Reserve Fund (XR1002) to fund the costs associated with the interest payments on the principal amount owing from January 1997 to October 2004;
- (2) the 2005 EMS Operating Budget be adjusted to reflect a one time \$1,141,672.37 gross expenditure, fully offset by an equal contribution of \$1,141,672.37 from the Employee Benefits Reserve, for a \$0 net impact for 2005; and
- (3) the appropriate City officials be authorized and directed to take the necessary action to give effect thereto.”

42 Toronto Waterfront Revitalization Initiative Lower Don River West Remedial Flood Protection Project Maintenance of Kingston Bridge Extension, Kingston Pedestrian Subway and Bala Pedestrian Underpass

City Council on October 26, 27, 28 and 31, 2005, adopted this Clause without amendment.

43 Application Submission: Safer Communities - 1,000 Officers Partnership Program

City Council on October 26, 27, 28 and 31, 2005, postponed consideration of this Clause to its special meeting on November 24, 2005.

44 Ground Lease (the “Lease”) Between TEDCO and Toronto Film Studios/Rose Corporation, Mega Film Studio, Port Lands (Committee of Adjustment Issues)

City Council on October 26, 27, 28 and 31, 2005, adopted this Clause without amendment.

Council also considered the following:

- Confidential report (October 18, 2005) from the President and Chief Executive Officer, City of Toronto Economic Development Corporation [Confidential Communication C.15(a)]. This report was made public in its entirety at the Council meeting and contains the following recommendations:

“It is recommended that:

- (1) City Council authorize the City Solicitor to request that the City be added as a party at OMB hearings under OMB File Nos. C050239 and V050341;
- (2) City staff prepare the necessary materials to support the decisions of the Committee of Adjustment at such OMB hearings, including attending to provide evidence in support of the lease transaction even if the City is not added as a party to the hearings; and
- (3) the appropriate City officials be authorized and directed to take the necessary actions to give effect thereto.”

45 St. Clair Avenue West Transit Improvement Project

City Council on October 26, 27, 28 and 31, 2005, postponed consideration of this Clause to its special meeting on November 24, 2005.

Council also considered the following:

- Confidential report (October 19, 2005) from the City Solicitor [Confidential Communication C.16(a)]. This report remains confidential in its entirety, in accordance with the provisions of the *Municipal Act, 2001*, as it contains information that is subject to solicitor-client privilege.

46 Other Items Considered by the Committee

City Council on October 26, 27, 28 and 31, 2005, postponed consideration of Item (f), entitled “City of Toronto Hiring Practices and Employment Policies”, contained in this Clause, to its special meeting on November 24, 2005.

The balance of this Clause was received for information.

Administration Committee Report 8

1 Union Station - Status Report on Station Lease With The Union Pearson Group (Ward 28 - Toronto Centre-Rosedale)

City Council on October 26, 27, 28 and 31, 2005, postponed consideration of this Clause to its special meeting on November 24, 2005.

Council also considered the following:

Communications:

- (October 24, 2005) from Janice Etter, Chair, Union Station Revitalization Public Advisory Group [Communication 15(a)];
- (October 24, 2005) from Rod Taylor, Project Director, Union Pearson Group Inc. [Communication 15(b)]; and
- (August 23, 2005) from Patricia H. Simpson, Project Co-ordinator, Union Station RFP, addressed to the Union Pearson Group, submitted by Councillor Sylvia Watson, Ward 14, Parkdale - High Park [Communication 15(c)].

Council also considered the following:

- Confidential report (September 30, 2005) from the City Solicitor and the Deputy City Manager and Chief Financial Officer [Confidential Communication C.1(a)]. This report remains confidential in its entirety, in accordance with the provisions of the *Municipal Act, 2001*, as it contains information pertaining to the security of the property of the municipality or local board and litigation or potential litigation.

2 Terms of Reference - Union Station Revitalization Public Advisory Group (Ward 28 - Toronto Centre-Rosedale)

City Council on October 26, 27, 28 and 31, 2005, adopted this Clause without amendment.

3 Disclosure of Insurance Claims Information

City Council on October 26, 27, 28 and 31, 2005, amended this Clause by adding the following:

“That, in addition to the format for disclosing insurance claims information suggested in staff Recommendation (1), the Deputy City Manager and Chief Financial Officer be requested to submit, on an annual basis, a confidential report to the Administration Committee, for transmittal to City Council, summarizing all active insurance claims in litigation by the type or nature of the claims and with the financial expenditures and reserves.”

This Clause, as amended, was adopted by City Council.

4 Declaration as Surplus - Parcel of Vacant Land on the Southwest Corner of Finch Avenue West and Goldfinch Court and the Adjoining One Foot Reserve Strip (Ward 10 - York Centre)

City Council on October 26, 27, 28 and 31, 2005, adopted this Clause without amendment.

5 Declaration as Surplus - 47 Terrace Avenue (Ward 23 - Willowdale)

City Council on October 26, 27, 28 and 31, 2005, postponed consideration of this Clause to its special meeting on November 24, 2005.

Council also adopted the following procedural motion:

“That all motions moved on this Clause be forwarded to the special meeting of Council on November 24, 2005, and these motions be deemed to be moved.”

6 Declaration as Surplus - 514 Hounslow Avenue (Ward 23 - Willowdale)

City Council on October 26, 27, 28 and 31, 2005, adopted this Clause without amendment.

7 Declaration as Surplus - Parcel of Vacant Land and Reserve Strip - South of Eglinton Avenue East, East of Bellamy Road South - Adjacent to 140 Adanac Drive (Ward 36 - Scarborough Southwest)

City Council on October 26, 27, 28 and 31, 2005, adopted this Clause without amendment.

Councillor Altobello declared an interest in this Clause, in that he owns property in the immediate vicinity.

8 2006 Municipal Election By-laws and 2006 Municipal Election Voter Outreach and Participation Initiatives

City Council on October 26, 27, 28 and 31, 2005, adopted this Clause without amendment.

9 Indefinite Closure of the First Attendance Program in Toronto Provincial Offences Courts

City Council on October 26, 27, 28 and 31, 2005, postponed consideration of this Clause to its special meeting on November 24, 2005.

Council also considered the following:

- Communication (October 12, 2005) from the Attorney General [Communication 3(a)].

10 Purchase of 749 Ossington Avenue for Municipal Parking Purposes (Ward 19 - Trinity-Spadina)

City Council on October 26, 27, 28 and 31, 2005, adopted this Clause without amendment.

Council also considered the following:

- Confidential report (September 29, 2005) from the President, Toronto Parking Authority [Confidential Communication C.2(a)]. The following staff recommendations contained in the Recommendations Section of the report and the Location Map attached to the report are now public and the balance of the report remains confidential, in accordance with the provisions of the *Municipal Act, 2001*, as it contains information pertaining to the acquisition of land for municipal purposes:

“It is recommended that:

- (1) City Council approve the acquisition of 749 Ossington Avenue from Yingling Pan and Zhen Deng for \$400,000.00. This expenditure consists of \$375,000.00 to acquire the property and up to \$25,000.00 for the associated costs, such as land transfer tax, survey, environmental studies and legal;
- (2) upon acquisition, the purchased lands be designated for municipal parking purposes, to be managed by the Toronto Parking Authority; and
- (3) the appropriate City officials be authorized to take the actions necessary to give effect thereto.”

11 Other Items Considered by the Committee

City Council on October 26, 27, 28 and 31, 2005, received this Clause, for information.

Board of Health Report 7

1 Governance Recommendations in “The SARS Commission Second Interim Report” and their Implications for Toronto Public Health (Ward 28 - Toronto Centre-Rosedale)

City Council on October 26, 27, 28 and 31, 2005, adopted this Clause without amendment.

Community Services Committee Report 8**1 Over-expenditure of Blanket Contract No. 47005723 - Sunnybrook and Women's College Hospital Sciences Centre for EMS Pharmaceutical Supplies**

City Council on October 26, 27, 28 and 31, 2005, adopted this Clause without amendment.

2 Training of Advanced Care Paramedics for Outside Municipal Agencies

City Council on October 26, 27, 28 and 31, 2005, adopted this Clause without amendment.

3 Donation of Ambulance Vehicles to Third World Countries

City Council on October 26, 27, 28 and 31, 2005, adopted this Clause without amendment.

4 Setting a Benchmark for Improving Children's Outcomes

City Council on October 26, 27, 28 and 31, 2005, adopted this Clause without amendment.

5 Increasing Public Information About Child Care Funding in the City of Toronto

City Council on October 26, 27, 28 and 31, 2005, adopted this Clause without amendment.

6 Toronto Challenge

City Council on October 26, 27, 28 and 31, 2005, adopted this Clause without amendment.

7 Request for Proposal (RFP) No. 0602-05-0180 for the Supply and Delivery of Groceries, Frozen Foods, Meat, Meat Products and Seafood for the Homes for the Aged

City Council on October 26, 27, 28 and 31, 2005, adopted this Clause without amendment.

8 Update and Funding Recommendations Regarding the Federal Supporting Communities Partnership Initiative (SCPI), 2003-2007

City Council on October 26, 27, 28 and 31, 2005, amended this Clause by deleting the recommendation of the Community Services Committee and adopting the following instead:

“That:

- (1) City Council adopt the staff recommendations contained in the Recommendations Section of the report (September 28, 2005) from the General Manager, Shelter, Support and Housing Administration; and
- (2) the General Manager, Shelter, Support and Housing Administration be requested to:
 - (a) report to the November 8, 2005 meeting of the Community Services Committee providing additional detail on the initiatives set out in the report; and
 - (b) report to the Community Services Committee early in 2006 on the specific initiatives funded.”

This Clause, as amended, was adopted by City Council.

9 One-Time Allocations of 2005 City of Toronto Homeless Initiatives Fund and Off the Streets into Shelter Funds

City Council on October 26, 27, 28 and 31, 2005, amended this Clause by deleting the recommendation of the Community Services Committee and adopting the following instead:

“That:

- (1) City Council adopt the staff recommendations contained in the Recommendations Section of the report (September 27, 2005) from the General Manager, Shelter, Support and Housing Administration; and
- (2) the General Manager, Shelter, Support and Housing Administration be requested to:
 - (a) report to the November 8, 2005 meeting of the Community Services Committee providing additional detail on the initiatives set out in the report; and
 - (b) report to the Community Services Committee early in 2006 on the specific initiatives funded.”

This Clause, as amended, was adopted by City Council.

Councillor Mihevc declared an interest in this Clause, in that his spouse works with the East York Family Resource Centre.

10 Request for Authority to Enter into a Grant Agreement with the Ontario Women's Directorate

City Council on October 26, 27, 28 and 31, 2005, adopted this Clause without amendment.

11 Administration of the Youth Employment Toronto (YET) Program

City Council on October 26, 27, 28 and 31, 2005, adopted this Clause without amendment.

12 Other Items Considered by the Committee

City Council on October 26, 27, 28 and 31, 2005, received this Clause, for information.

Economic Development and Parks Committee Report 9

1 Business Improvement Area (BIA) 2003-2006 Boards of Management Additions and Deletions and Nominees to a Newly Established BIA (All Wards)

City Council on October 26, 27, 28 and 31, 2005, adopted this Clause without amendment.

2 International Alliance Program (All Wards)

City Council on October 26, 27, 28 and 31, 2005, postponed consideration of this Clause to its special meeting on November 24, 2005.

3 The Winterlicious and Summerlicious Culinary Programs Produced by Toronto Special Events (All Wards)

City Council on October 26, 27, 28 and 31, 2005, adopted this Clause without amendment.

4 Toronto Arts Council 2004 Annual Allocations Report (All Wards)

City Council on October 26, 27, 28 and 31, 2005, postponed consideration of this Clause to its special meeting on November 24, 2005.

5 Seniors' Recreation Strategy

City Council on October 26, 27, 28 and 31, 2005, adopted this Clause without amendment.

6 Request for Proposal (RFP) 0613-05-0166 Operation of Snack and Hot Drink Vending (All Wards)

City Council on October 26, 27, 28 and 31, 2005, amended this Clause in accordance with the following staff recommendations contained in the Recommendations Section of the supplementary report (October 24, 2005) from the General Manager, Parks, Forestry and Recreation:

“It is recommended that:

- (1) the agreement to be entered into between the City and the successful proponent provide that the exclusive rights granted to the proponent shall be subject to the rights of seniors groups and local community groups to sell or provide hot beverages and snacks or baked goods as part of small scale local fund-raising efforts on an occasional basis; and
- (2) the appropriate City officials be authorized and directed to take the necessary action to give effect thereto.”

This Clause, as amended, was adopted by City Council.

Council also considered the following:

- Report (October 24, 2005) from the General Manager, Parks, Forestry and Recreation [Communication 20(a)].

7 Appointments to the Board of Management of the Toronto Zoo

City Council on October 26, 27, 28 and 31, 2005, referred this Clause to the Board of Management of the Toronto Zoo for consideration, with a request that the Board forward its comments on this matter to the Economic Development and Parks Committee.

8 Other Items Considered by the Committee

City Council on October 26, 27, 28 and 31, 2005, referred Item (g), entitled “Extending the Hours of Seasonal Pools”, contained in this Clause, back to the Economic Development and Parks Committee for further consideration.

The balance of this Clause was received for information.

Planning and Transportation Committee Report 9

1 Review of Business Licensing Fees

City Council on October 26, 27, 28 and 31, 2005, amended the Clause in accordance with staff Recommendations (1) and (2) contained in the Recommendations Section of the confidential report (October 24, 2005), from the City Solicitor. The following Recommendations (1) and (2) are now public and the balance of the report remains confidential, in accordance with the provisions of the *Municipal Act, 2001*, as it contains information that is subject to solicitor-client privilege:

“It is recommended that:

- (1) [that portion of] Recommendation (1) of the Planning and Transportation Committee, striking out the words ‘except holistic centre owners and holistic practitioners’, from staff’s recommendation to increase licensing fees, not be adopted; and
- (2) Recommendation (2) of the Planning and Transportation Committee, that the \$9.00 legal fee also be included for the holistics category, not be adopted.”

The recommendation of the Planning and Transportation Committee, as amended by Council, now reads as follows:

“The Planning and Transportation Committee recommends that City Council adopt the staff recommendations contained in the Recommendations Section of the report (September 22, 2005) from Deputy City Manager, Fareed Amin.”

This Clause, as amended, was adopted by City Council.

Council also considered the following:

- Confidential report (October 24, 2005) from the City Solicitor [Confidential Communication C.17(a)]. The above noted staff Recommendations (1) and (2) contained in the Recommendations Section of the report are now public and the balance of the report remains confidential, in accordance with the provisions of the *Municipal Act, 2001*, as it contains information that is subject to solicitor-client privilege.

2 Final Report - Phase 3 Warden Corridor Land Use Planning Study, Warden Woods Community Secondary Plan East Side of Warden Avenue, North and South of St. Clair Avenue - File No. 03 035238 ESC 35 TM (Ward 35 - Scarborough Southwest)

City Council on October 26, 27, 28 and 31, 2005, amended this Clause by further amending Draft Official Plan Amendment No. 1145, by deleting Section 2.4.5 of the draft Warden Woods Community Secondary Plan, and inserting instead the following:

“2.4.5 Lands for park and recreational purposes will be provided at an alternative parkland conveyance rate pursuant to Section 42(3) of the *Planning Act, R.S.O. 1990*, which may be taken as a cash payment in lieu of a land dedication. To achieve Council’s priority for parkland in the Warden Woods Community, a parkland dedication rate of 0.4 hectares per 300 dwelling units, or 5 percent of the land area, whichever is greater, will be applied.”

This Clause, as amended, was adopted by City Council.

Council also considered the following:

- Communications:
 - (October 21, 2005) from Jason Park, Goodman and Carr LLP, Barristers and Solicitors [Communication 8(a)];
 - (October 24, 2005) from Michael Kilpatrick, Chair, Scarborough Residents Association [Communication 8(b)]; and
 - (October 25, 2005) from Irving Geiberman, B.A., LL.B., Barrister and Solicitor [Communication 8(c)].

3 Proposed Taxicab Fare Increase

City Council on October 26, 27, 28 and 31, 2005, adopted this Clause without amendment.

4 Accessible Taxicabs within the City of Toronto

City Council on October 26, 27, 28 and 31, 2005, adopted this Clause without amendment.

5 Amendments to the Ontario Heritage Act (All Wards)

City Council on October 26, 27, 28 and 31, 2005, adopted this Clause without amendment.

Councillor Shiner declared an interest in this Clause, in that his family owns property which has a heritage designation.

6 Proposed Settlement of an Appeal to the New Official Plan 003011

City Council on October 26, 27, 28 and 31, 2005, adopted this Clause without amendment.

Council also considered the following:

- Confidential report (September 12, 2005) from the Chief Planner and Executive Director, City Planning and the City Solicitor [Confidential Communication C.3(a)]. The following staff recommendations contained in the Recommendations Section of the report and Appendix A attached to the report are now public and the balance of the report remains confidential, in accordance with the provisions of the *Municipal Act, 2001*, as it contains information pertaining to litigation or potential litigation:

“It is recommended that:

- (1) Council approve the proposed settlement of the appeal to the Official Plan by the Toronto Rehabilitation Institute in the form of the modification substantially as set out in Appendix ‘A’;
- (2) the City Solicitor be authorized to take the necessary actions at the ongoing Ontario Municipal Board hearing to give effect to the proposed settlement; and
- (3) the appropriate City officials be authorized to execute any necessary documentation, including Minutes of Settlement in relation thereto, in a form satisfactory to the City Solicitor.”

[Appendix A will be noted at the end of this Clause.]

7 Other Items Considered by the Committee

City Council on October 26, 27, 28 and 31, 2005, referred Item (a), entitled “Improving the Planning Process - All Wards”, contained in this Clause, back to the Planning and Transportation Committee for further consideration.

The balance of the Clause was received for information.

Works Committee Report 9

1 Bicycle Lane Guidelines and Royal York Road Pavement Marking Options (All Wards)

City Council on October 26, 27, 28 and 31, 2005, postponed consideration of this Clause to its special meeting on November 24, 2005.

Council also considered the following:

- Communication (October 24, 2005) from Stephen Targett, Advocacy for Respect for Cyclists forwarding a petition from approximately 2,181 individuals. [Communication 9(a)].
- Confidential report (September 27, 2005) from the City Solicitor [Confidential Communication C.4(a)]. This report remains confidential in its entirety, in accordance with the provisions of the *Municipal Act, 2001*, as it contains information which is subject to Solicitor-Client Privilege.

2 Parking for Motorized Scooters and Motorcycles - Motion J(2)

City Council on October 26, 27, 28 and 31, 2005, adopted this Clause without amendment.

3 Solid Waste Management Contractual Issues

City Council on October 26, 27, 28 and 31, 2005, postponed consideration of this Clause to its special meeting on November 24, 2005.

Council also considered the following:

- Confidential report (October 3, 2005) from Acting General Manager, Solid Waste Management Services and the City Solicitor [Confidential Communication C.5(a)]. This report remains confidential in its entirety, in accordance with the provisions of the *Municipal Act, 2001*, as it contains information pertaining to the security of the property of the municipality.

4 Biosolids Management Contractual Issues

City Council on October 26, 27, 28 and 31, 2005, postponed consideration of this Clause to its special meeting on November 24, 2005.

Council also considered the following:

- Confidential report (October 4, 2005) from the Acting General Manager, Toronto Water [Confidential Communication C.6(a)]. This report remains confidential in its entirety, in accordance with the provisions of the *Municipal Act, 2001*, as it contains information pertaining to the security of the property of the municipality.

5 Claims of Harbour Remediation & Transfer Inc., Costa Trucking and Contracting Ltd. and Related Third Party Claim Arising from Fred Dominelli Action - Toronto-Danforth

City Council on October 26, 27, 28 and 31, 2005, postponed consideration of this Clause to its special meeting on November 24, 2005.

Council also considered the following:

- Confidential report (October 7, 2005) from the City Solicitor [Confidential Communication C.7(a)]. This report remains confidential in its entirety, in accordance with the provisions of the *Municipal Act, 2001*, as it contains information pertaining to litigation or potential litigation.

6 Draft Terms of Reference for the Peer Review of the Biosolids and Residuals Master Plan Decision Making Model

City Council on October 26, 27, 28 and 31, 2005, postponed consideration of this Clause to its special meeting on November 24, 2005.

Council also considered the following:

- Communication (October 25, 2005) from the Board of Health [Communication 16(a)].
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- Confidential Appendix A to the report (September 28, 2005) from the Acting General Manager, Toronto Water and the Medical Officer of Health [Confidential Communication C.8(a)]. This Appendix remains confidential in its entirety, in accordance with the provisions of the *Municipal Act, 2001*, as it contains information pertaining to the security of the property of the municipality.

7 Amendments to the Toronto Municipal Code Chapter 681 - Sewers, Article I, Sewage and Land Drainage (Sewer Use By-law No. 457-2000) - Designation of Best Management Practices Documents and Revised Pollution Prevention Plan for Certain Industries (All Wards)

City Council on October 26, 27, 28 and 31, 2005, adopted this Clause without amendment.

8 Amendment to Blanket Contract 47007266, Tender Call 316-2002, 03D2-540WS - Installation of Water and Sewer Services at Various Locations - Wards 1 and 2, Etobicoke North, Wards 3 and 4, Etobicoke Centre, Wards 5 and 6, Etobicoke Lakeshore

City Council on October 26, 27, 28 and 31, 2005, adopted this Clause without amendment.

9 Increase in Blanket Contract Amounts for Toronto Water Contracts 04D1-510WS, 04D1-520WS, 04D1-530WS, 04D3-300WS, 04D3-301WS for the Installation of Water and Sewer Service Connections and Water and Sewer Infrastructure Emergency Repairs

City Council on October 26, 27, 28 and 31, 2005, adopted this Clause without amendment.

10 Negotiation of Agreements – Neighbouring Municipalities Along Steeles Avenue

City Council on October 26, 27, 28 and 31, 2005, adopted this Clause without amendment.

11 Contract 05SD-08RD - Tender Call 230-2005 Reconstruction of TTC Track Allowance, Pavement, Curb and Sidewalk on St. Clair Avenue West from Tweedsmuir Avenue to Avenue Road (Wards 21 and 22, St. Paul's)

City Council on October 26, 27, 28 and 31, 2005, postponed consideration of this Clause to its special meeting on November 24, 2005.

Council also considered the following:

Communications:

- (October 20, 2005) from Lois James, forwarding a communication (October 13, 2005) from Helen Riley and Joan Doiron, for Feet on the Street [Communication 26(a)]; and
 - (October 27, 2005) from Ida Vivacqua [Communication 26(b)].
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- Confidential report (October 25, 2005) from the City Solicitor, the Treasurer, the Executive Director, Technical Services, and the General Manager, Transportation Services [Confidential Communication C.18(a)]. This report remains confidential in its entirety, in accordance with the provisions of the *Municipal Act, 2001*, as it contains information pertaining to litigation or potential litigation.

12 Other Items Considered by the Committee

City Council on October 26, 27, 28 and 31, 2005, referred the following Items, contained in this Clause, back to the Works Committee for further consideration:

- (1) Item (b), entitled “Biodegradable Plastic Bags for Organic Material”; and
- (2) Item (g), entitled “The Use and Regulation of Segways”.

The balance of this Clause was received for information.

Joint Policy and Finance Committee and Economic Development and Parks Committee Report 2**1 Final Recommendations - Enhancing Toronto’s Business Climate - It’s Everybody’s Business (All Wards)**

City Council on October 26, 27, 28 and 31, 2005, amended this Clause by adding the following:

“That:

- (1) as part of the New Deal with the Province of Ontario, the provincial government be requested to commit to reducing the Education Levy on the industrial and commercial class in Toronto;

- (2) the Province of Ontario be advised that City Council has taken a strong position on reducing the business tax ratio over the long-term, as a strategy to retain and attract business, and strongly requests that the Province contribute to this sustainability strategy by immediately lowering the Education Tax Rate to the average of the surrounding Greater Toronto Area municipalities;
- (3) City Council request the Federal and Provincial Ministers of Finance to explore the opportunity to share growth-related incomes and revenues versus reliance on property taxes;
- (4) City Council request Mr. André Marin, the Provincial Ombudsman, to evaluate and consider options, other than Current Value Assessment (CVA), for assessing property tax values across the City, including the cost of service delivery, number of units/rooms and square footage of a property;
- (5) City Council also request Mr. André Marin, the Provincial Ombudsman, to consider the following recommendations as part of his investigation concerning the Municipal Property Assessment Corporation:
 - ‘(1) Successful appeals and roll back of assessments are not factored into as the new base rate, forcing homeowners to appeal yearly. Homeowners should not have to go through this year after year. Make the appealed assessment the base assessment.
 - (2) Mitigating factors affecting the assessment should be available to the public.
 - (3) The \$75.00 application fee for a reassessment should be refundable for successful appeals.
 - (4) Conduct spot reassessments to ensure fairness in a slow or stagnant market.
 - (5) Consider including longevity at an address as a factor of the CVA.
 - (6) Improve the Web site to make it easier for homeowners to navigate and allow lookups for all the homes in their immediate neighbourhood and vicinity rather than be limited to 12.’;

(6) the City Manager be requested to report to the Policy and Finance Committee before the end of the year on municipalities that levy income and retail sales taxes;

(7) Council adopt the following motion:

‘WHEREAS according to the *Tenant Protection Act*, landlords must pass on a rent reduction, should property taxes be reduced by 2.5 percent or more;

NOW THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED THAT, in the event that the provincial government does not amend the *Tenant Protection Act* to provide for automatic rent reductions in all cases where there is a tax decrease, the Deputy City Manager and Chief Financial Officer be requested to report back, before the 2006 property taxes are set, on phasing in strategies of assessment shifts to maximize the possible benefit for tenants.’;

(8) the Deputy City Manager and Chief Financial Officer be requested to report to the Policy and Finance Committee:

(a) on ways by which the City can assure the Province and the business community that City Council will be financially prudent in dealing with the requested provincial reduction to the business education tax to ensure economical competitiveness in the Greater Toronto Area region;

(b) on the impact of the City’s policy of intensification and infill development on former industrial and commercial lands and surrounding assessments; and

(c) for its meeting scheduled to be held in June 2006, on the status of the creation of a new Neighbourhood Retail property class and to make any recommendations as necessary to ensure that the property tax relief presented in this plan can be made to this new class commencing in the 2007 taxation year;

(9) City Council adopt the following staff recommendations contained in the Recommendations Section of the supplementary report (October 26, 2005) from the Deputy City Manager and Chief Financial Officer:

‘It is recommended that:

- (1) the eligibility criteria for the City of Toronto's Tax Assistance Program for Low Income Seniors and Low Income Disabled Persons be updated by amending the City of Toronto Municipal Code, Chapter 767, Taxation, to:
 - (a) increase the maximum household income for eligibility under the Tax Deferral Program for low-income seniors and low-income disabled persons to \$40,000.00, commencing in the 2006 taxation year;
 - (b) increase the maximum household income for eligibility under the Tax Cancellation Program for low-income seniors and low-income disabled persons to \$26,000.00, commencing in the 2006 taxation year; and
 - (c) increase the maximum assessed value for eligibility under the Tax Cancellation Program for low-income seniors and low-income disabled persons to \$454,000.00, commencing in the 2006 taxation year; and
- (2) the appropriate City officials be authorized and directed to take the necessary action to give effect thereto.' "

This Clause, as amended, was adopted by City Council.

Council also considered the following:

- Report (October 26, 2005) from the Deputy City Manager and Chief Financial Officer [Communication 28(a)].

Communications:

- (October 26, 2005) from James L. Robinson, Executive Director, Downtown Yonge Business Improvement Area [Communication 28(b)];

- (October 26, 2005) from William J. Phillips, forwarding a document entitled “Why Homeowners Are Opposed to Recommendation 1 of the Final Recommendations - Enhancing Toronto’s Business Climate To Shift More of the Municipal Property Tax Burden Onto the Residential Property Class, Submission to the Toronto City Council, October 26, 2005” [Communication 28(c)];
- Petition (undated) containing the signatures of approximately 171 individuals, in opposition to the shift of the tax burden from business to residential, submitted by Councillor Denzil Minnan-Wong, Ward 34, Don Valley East [Communication 28(d)];
- Petition (undated) containing the signatures of approximately 567 individuals, in opposition to the shift of the tax burden from business to residential, submitted by Councillor Bas Balkissoon, Ward 41, Scarborough-Rouge River [Communication 28(e)]; and
- (October 20, 2005) from Councillor Paula Fletcher, Ward 30, Toronto-Danforth, addressed to Mr. André Marin, Provincial Ombudsman [Communication 28(f)].

Councillor Shiner declared an interest in this Clause, as it relates to a Motion moved by Councillor Fletcher, in that a member of his family works on the MPAC Web site.

Etobicoke York Community Council Report 8

1 Final Report - Official Plan Amendment and Rezoning Application, Applicant: Antonio Priori, Brookstone Developments Limited, 450 Horner Avenue (Ward 6 - Etobicoke-Lakeshore)

City Council on October 26, 27, 28 and 31, 2005, adopted this Clause without amendment.

Deputy Mayor Feldman declared an interest in this Clause, in that his son-in-law is the applicant.

2 Application for an Exemption from the City of Toronto Municipal Code, Chapter 447, Fences - 17 Gaylord Avenue (Ward 5 - Etobicoke-Lakeshore)

City Council on October 26, 27, 28 and 31, 2005, adopted this Clause without amendment.

3 Request for Approval of Variances from Chapter 215, Signs, of the former City of Etobicoke Municipal Code for a Third Party Roof Sign at 860 The Queensway (Ward 5 - Etobicoke-Lakeshore)

City Council on October 26, 27, 28 and 31, 2005, adopted this Clause without amendment.

4 Free Time Café - Boulevard Café 3074 Dundas Street West (Ward 13 - (Parkdale-High Park))

City Council on October 26, 27, 28 and 31, 2005, adopted this Clause without amendment.

5 Request for an Exemption to the Former City of Toronto Municipal code to Permit Front Yard Parking on 161 Pacific Avenue (Ward 13 - Parkdale-High-Park)

City Council on October 26, 27, 28 and 31, 2005, adopted this Clause without amendment.

6 Natural Garden Exemption Request - 65 Riverdale Drive (Ward 1 - Etobicoke North)

City Council on October 26, 27, 28 and 31, 2005, adopted this Clause without amendment.

7 Proposed Installation of an All-Way Stop Control Stevenson Road and Silverstone Drive (Ward 1 - Etobicoke North)

City Council on October 26, 27, 28 and 31, 2005, adopted this Clause without amendment.

8 Proposed “No Parking Anytime” Prohibition on Claireport Crescent (Ward 1 - Etobicoke North)

City Council on October 26, 27, 28 and 31, 2005, adopted this Clause without amendment.

9 Proposed Stop Control - Deanecourt Road and Hallfield Road (Ward 3 - Etobicoke Centre)

City Council on October 26, 27, 28 and 31, 2005, adopted this Clause without amendment.

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- 10 Proposed “No Parking Anytime” Prohibition on Turbine Drive (Ward 7 - York West)**
- City Council on October 26, 27, 28 and 31, 2005, adopted this Clause without amendment.
- 11 Request for Traffic Calming Poll of Residents on Wyndale Drive (Ward 12 - York South-Weston)**
- City Council on October 26, 27, 28 and 31, 2005, adopted this Clause without amendment.
- 12 Installation/Removal of On-Street Parking Spaces for Persons with Disabilities (Ward 13 - Parkdale-High Park)**
- City Council on October 26, 27, 28 and 31, 2005, adopted this Clause without amendment.
- 13 Sign By-law Variance Application Applicant: The TDL Group c/o Mark Bodrug 2013D Lawrence Avenue West (Ward 11 - York South-Weston)**
- City Council on October 26, 27, 28 and 31, 2005, adopted this Clause without amendment.
- 14 Final Report and Supplementary Report- Official Plan Amendment and Rezoning Application Applicant: Reza Nasab, York Development Co., 1759 and 1761 Lawrence Avenue West (Ward 12 - York South-Weston)**
- City Council on October 26, 27, 28 and 31, 2005, referred this Clause back to the Etobicoke York Community Council for further consideration.
- 15 Installation of Sidewalk and Corresponding Narrowing of the Pavement - Riverside Drive, between Bloor Street West and Old Mill Drive (Ward 13 - Parkdale-High Park)**
- City Council on October 26, 27, 28 and 31, 2005, adopted this Clause without amendment.
- 16 1875 Martin Grove Road - Proposed Amendments to Amenities Agreement (Ward 1 - Etobicoke North)**
- City Council on October 26, 27, 28 and 31, 2005, amended this Clause by referring the following additional Recommendation (3), as recommended by the Etobicoke York Community Council, to the Policy and Finance Committee for consideration of a funding source, and the Deputy City Manager and Chief Financial Officer, in consultation with the General Manager, Parks, Forestry and Recreation, the Executive Director, Technical Services, and the Ward Councillor, was requested to report on the matter:

“(3) in the event there are any 2005 Budget surpluses for the Technical Services Division, then adequate funds from the surplus be combined with the \$20,000.00 contribution from the previous Owner of 1875 Martin Grove Road, to construct a children’s playground in Highfield Park, such design to be in consultation with the Ward Councillor.”

This Clause, as amended, was adopted by City Council.

17 103-111 Ingram Drive (Ward 12 - York South-Weston)

City Council on October 26, 27, 28 and 31, 2005, adopted this Clause without amendment.

Councillor Mammoliti declared an interest in this Clause, in that his spouse owns property in the area.

18 Appeal to the Ontario Municipal Board - 251 Harvie Avenue (Ward 17 - Davenport)

City Council on October 26, 27, 28 and 31, 2005, adopted this Clause without amendment.

19 Amendments to the existing regulations in the vicinity of Paulson Road, King Georges Drive and Trethewey Drive (Ward 12 - York South-Weston)

City Council on October 26, 27, 28 and 31, 2005, postponed consideration of this Clause to its next regular meeting on December 5, 2005.

20 Other Items Considered by the Community Council

City Council on October 26, 27, 28 and 31, 2005, received this Clause, for information.

North York Community Council Report 8

1 Boulevard Leasing Agreement - 1887 Avenue Road (Ward 16 - Eglinton-Lawrence)

City Council on October 26, 27, 28 and 31, 2005, adopted this Clause without amendment.

2 Request for Fence Exemption - 74 St. Leonard's Crescent (Ward 25 - Don Valley West)

City Council on October 26, 27, 28 and 31, 2005, adopted this Clause without amendment.

3 Removal of One Privately Owned Tree - 27 Lloydminster Crescent (Ward 24 - Willowdale)

City Council on October 26, 27, 28 and 31, 2005, adopted this Clause without amendment.

4 Request for Approval of a Variance from the former City of North York Sign By-law No. 30788, as amended, for the erection of a single faced, off premise ground sign on CP Rail property adjacent to 1100 Leslie Street (Ward 25 - Don Valley West)

City Council on October 26, 27, 28 and 31, 2005, adopted this Clause without amendment.

5 Request for Approval of Variances from the former Borough of East York Sign By-law No. 64-87, as amended, for the erection of a fascia sign at 65 Wicksteed Avenue (147 Laird Drive) (Ward 26 - Don Valley West)

City Council on October 26, 27, 28 and 31, 2005, adopted this Clause without amendment.

6 Request for Approval of a Variance from the former City of North York Sign By-law No. 30788, as amended, for the erection of two Land Development signs on a City-owned lot northeast corner of Don Mills and Eglinton Avenue East (Ward 26 - Don Valley West)

City Council on October 26, 27, 28 and 31, 2005, adopted the following staff recommendation contained in the Recommendation Section of the report (September 29, 2005) from the Director and Deputy Chief Building Official, North York District, as contained in the Clause:

“It is recommended that the request for the variance be refused for the reasons outlined in this report.”

This Clause, as amended, was adopted by City Council.

7 Request for a Variance to the 1.0 Metre Side Yard Setback - 51 Nash Drive (Ward 9 - York Centre)

City Council on October 26, 27, 28 and 31, 2005, adopted this Clause without amendment.

8 All Way Stop Control - Apache Trail and Yucatan Road (east leg) (Ward 33 - Don Valley East)

City Council on October 26, 27, 28 and 31, 2005, adopted this Clause without amendment.

9 Installation of Traffic Control Signals - Bentworth Avenue and Caledonia Road (Ward 15 - Eglinton-Lawrence)

City Council on October 26, 27, 28 and 31, 2005, adopted this Clause without amendment.

10 Parking Prohibitions - Gilgorm Road, north of Eglinton Avenue West (Ward 16 - Eglinton-Lawrence)

City Council on October 26, 27, 28 and 31, 2005, adopted this Clause without amendment.

11 Amendment to Southbound Right Turn Lane Designation and On-Street Parking - Doris Avenue, Doris Avenue, Greenfield Avenue to Sheppard Avenue East (Ward 23 - Willowdale)

City Council on October 26, 27, 28 and 31, 2005, adopted this Clause without amendment.

12 Parking Amendments - Cocksfield Avenue, Bathurst Street to Heaton Street (Ward 10 - York Centre)

City Council on October 26, 27, 28 and 31, 2005, adopted this Clause without amendment.

13 Assumption of Services - Subdivision owned by Pleasantville Gardens Inc. - Plan 66M-2381, Subdivision File UDSB-1249 - Doubletree Road (Ward 33 - Don Valley East)

City Council on October 26, 27, 28 and 31, 2005, adopted this Clause without amendment.

14 Sale of Surplus Land - Located between Nos. 194 and 202 Maplehurst Avenue (Ward 23 - Willowdale)

City Council on October 26, 27, 28 and 31, 2005, adopted this Clause without amendment.

15 Plan to Enhance Community Amenities in the Baycrest Area (Ward 15 - Eglinton-Lawrence)

City Council on October 26, 27, 28 and 31, 2005, adopted this Clause without amendment.

16 Request for Direction - Site Plan Control Application - 05 108131 NNY 16 SA - Ravine Permit Application - Sherman Brown Dryer Karol - 224 Lytton Boulevard - Lot 146 and Part of Lot 147, Registered Plan 1532 (Ward 16 - Eglinton-Lawrence)

City Council on October 26, 27, 28 and 31, 2005, adopted this Clause without amendment.

17 Status Report - York University Secondary Plan Review (Ward 8 - York West)

City Council on October 26, 27, 28 and 31, 2005, adopted this Clause without amendment.

Council also considered the following:

- Report (October 20, 2005) from the Chief Planner and Executive Director, City Planning, and the City Solicitor [Communication 21(a)].

18 Final Report - Official Plan and Rezoning Application - 05 122557 NNY 34 OZ - Don-Greenbelt Developments - Atkins Group Corporation Architects - 120 Dallimore Circle (Ward 34 - Don Valley East)

City Council on October 26, 27, 28 and 31, 2005, adopted this Clause without amendment.

19 Final Report - Rezoning Application - 05 114048 NNY 34 OZ - Plan of Subdivision - 05 114052 NNY 34 SB - Rob Anderson, Carson Woods Architects Limited, - 78 Tisdale Avenue (Ward 34 - Don Valley East)

City Council on October 26, 27, 28 and 31, 2005, adopted this Clause without amendment.

20 Two Way Centre Left Turn Lane/Right Turn Lane Designation - Thorncliffe Park Drive (Ward 26 - Don Valley West)

City Council on October 26, 27, 28 and 31, 2005, adopted this Clause without amendment.

21 Request for a Variance to the 1.0 metre Side Yard Setback - 3 Jennifer Court (Ward 9 - York Centre)

City Council on October 26, 27, 28 and 31, 2005, adopted this Clause without amendment.

22 Ontario Municipal Board Hearing - Committee of Adjustment Application - Amir Charmch - 123 Nipigon Avenue (Ward 24 - Willowdale)

City Council on October 26, 27, 28 and 31, 2005, adopted this Clause without amendment.

23 Information Report - Ontario Municipal Board Decision - Applications for Official Plan Amendment - Zoning By-law and Plan of Subdivision - Elderbrook Developments Ltd. - Northwest corner of Finch Avenue West and York Gate Boulevard (Ward 8 - York West)

City Council on October 26, 27, 28 and 31, 2005, received this Clause.

24 Narrowing of Pavement on Holland Park Avenue between Oakwood Avenue and Cedric Avenue (Ward 15 - Eglinton Lawrence - north side of Holland Park Avenue) (Ward 17 - Davenport – south side of Holland Park Avenue)

City Council on October 26, 27, 28 and 31, 2005, adopted this Clause without amendment.

Council also considered the following:

- Communication (October 21, 2005) from the Etobicoke York Community Council [Communication 4(a)].

25 City of Toronto Appeal - Committee of Adjustment Decision - 60-62 Woburn Avenue (Ward 16 - Eglinton-Lawrence)

City Council on October 26, 27, 28 and 31, 2005, adopted this Clause without amendment.

26 Ontario Municipal Board Hearing - Committee of Adjustment Application - 144 Kingsdale Avenue (Ward 23 - Willowdale)

City Council on October 26, 27, 28 and 31, 2005, adopted this Clause without amendment.

27 Ontario Municipal Board Hearing - Committee of Adjustment Application - 266 Greenfield Avenue (Ward 23 - Willowdale)

City Council on October 26, 27, 28 and 31, 2005, adopted this Clause without amendment.

28 Ontario Municipal Board Hearing - Committee of Adjustment Application - 240 and 240A Dunforest Avenue (Ward 23 - Willowdale)

City Council on October 26, 27, 28 and 31, 2005, adopted this Clause without amendment.

29 Committee of Adjustment Application A0693/05NY - Northeast corner of Sheppard Avenue East and Bayview Avenue (Ward 24 - Willowdale)

The recommendations of the North York Community Council were ruled out of order at City Council on October 26, 27, 28 and 31, 2005.

Council subsequently adopted the following Motion:

“WHEREAS there are concerns respecting the processing and hearing of certain applications to the Committee of Adjustment; and

WHEREAS the Auditor General has been contacted respecting concerns related to these matters; and

WHEREAS the concerns raised warrant a review of the processing and hearing of these applications and consideration of the results of that review by City Council; and

WHEREAS it would be appropriate for the review to be carried out by the Auditor General, with findings to be provided to the City Solicitor for recommendation, in consultation with the Integrity Commissioner, to Council on what steps, if any, should be taken by Council; and

WHEREAS the Auditor General has confirmed that if a request is made by Council, he will amend his workplan to incorporate the review;

NOW THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED THAT the Auditor General be requested to investigate concerns respecting the conduct of the processing and hearing of certain applications to the Committee of Adjustment;

AND BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED THAT the Auditor General provide his findings to the City Solicitor and that the City Solicitor report, in consultation with the Integrity Commissioner, directly to City Council as to whether there may be reasons to consider this matter further and, if so, the appropriate procedures under which that further consideration should be carried out;

AND BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED THAT the Auditor General provide his findings to Council for consideration with the report from the City Solicitor;

AND BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED THAT the Auditor General be requested to investigate the manner in which this matter was brought before the North York Community Council;

AND BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED THAT the Chief Planner and Executive Director, City Planning, be requested to prepare a discussion paper on what constitutes a minor adjustment for the guidance of potential Committee of Adjustment applicants and Committee of Adjustment Panels;

AND BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED THAT the Chief Planner and Executive Director, City Planning, and the City Solicitor be requested to report to the Planning and Transportation Committee, on the legality and appropriateness of Committee of Adjustment panels reserving decisions in public session.”

This Clause, as amended, was adopted by City Council.

Council also considered the following:

- Communication (October 27, 2005) from R. Jon Williams, Chair, North Panel Committee of Adjustment [Communication 31(a)].
- Confidential communication (October 19, 2005) from the North York Community Council [Confidential Communication C.9(a)]. This communication remains confidential in its entirety, in accordance with the provisions of the *Municipal Act, 2001*, as it contains personal information about identifiable individuals, including municipal or local board employees.

- Confidential communication (October 25, 2005) from R. Jon Williams, Chair, North Panel Committee of Adjustment [Confidential Communication C.9(b)]. This communication remains confidential in its entirety, in accordance with the provisions of the *Municipal Act, 2001*, as it contains personal information about identifiable individuals, including municipal or local board employees.

30 Request for Investigation of Breach of Procedure By-law and Council Code of Conduct

City Council on October 26, 27, 28 and 31, 2005, postponed consideration of this Clause to its special meeting on November 24, 2005.

31 Other Items Considered by the Community Council

City Council on October 26, 27, 28 and 31, 2005, received this Clause, for information.

Scarborough Community Council Report 8

1 Toronto Transit Commission Strategic Plan for the Future of the Scarborough Railway Transit Procurement Authorization Contract Amendment

The action of the Scarborough Community Council contained in this Clause was ruled to be for information only at City Council on October 26, 27, 28 and 31, 2005.

The Community Council's action has been revised to now read as follows:

"The Scarborough Community Council reports for the information of Council having:

- (1) advised the Toronto Transit Commission that Scarborough Community Council strongly supports extending the Bloor Subway to the Sheppard/Markham area as a necessary means to provide reliable and convenient transit service to the over 500,000 residents living in Scarborough;
- (2) requested the Toronto Transit Commission to consider:
 - (a) as part of the Scarborough R/T Strategic Planning Study, preliminary plans and routes for possible future subway expansion to the eastern and north eastern perimeter of the City to link up with Pickering and Markham transit systems;

- (b) a Federal/Provincial capital funding program of building one subway station per year; and
 - (c) a tunnelling program of 1 km per year; and
- (3) forwarded a copy of Toronto Transit Commission Report No. 11, dated September 21, 2006, headed 'Strategic Plan for the Future of the Scarborough RT – Procurement Authorization Contract Amendment' to Scarborough area MPs and MPPs for information.”

City Council received this Clause, for information.

2 Sale of a Parcel of Vacant Land 4667 Kingston Road Located on the South Side of Kingston Road (Ward 44 - Scarborough East)

City Council on October 26, 27, 28 and 31, 2005, adopted this Clause without amendment.

3 Sale of Surplus Land Portion of Centennial Road (Closed) Adjacent to 15 Holmcrest Trail (Ward 44 - Scarborough East)

City Council on October 26, 27, 28 and 31, 2005, adopted this Clause without amendment.

4 Sale of Surplus Land Portion of Centennial Road (Closed) and The One-Foot Reserve Adjacent to 17 Holmcrest Trail (Ward 44 - Scarborough East)

City Council on October 26, 27, 28 and 31, 2005, adopted this Clause without amendment.

5 Sale of Surplus Land Portion of Centennial Road (Closed) and The One-Foot Reserve Adjacent to 19 Holmcrest Trail (Ward 44 - Scarborough East)

City Council on October 26, 27, 28 and 31, 2005, adopted this Clause without amendment.

6 Proposed On-Street Disabled Parking In Front of 133 Presley Avenue (Ward 35 - Scarborough Southwest)

City Council on October 26, 27, 28 and 31, 2005, adopted this Clause without amendment.

7 Proposed On-Street Disabled Parking On the West Side of Queensbury Avenue Opposite 131 Queensbury Avenue (Ward 36 - Scarborough Southwest)

City Council on October 26, 27, 28 and 31, 2005, adopted this Clause without amendment.

8 Proposed Stop Sign on Conn Smythe Drive at Beachell Street (Ward 38 - Scarborough Centre)

City Council on October 26, 27, 28 and 31, 2005, adopted this Clause without amendment.

9 Proposed Minor Street Stop Signs at Two New Intersections in the Morningside Community (Ward 43 - Scarborough East)

City Council on October 26, 27, 28 and 31, 2005, adopted this Clause without amendment.

10 Proposed Minor Street Stop Signs at Fourteen Intersections in the Centennial Scarborough Community (Ward 44 - Scarborough East)

City Council on October 26, 27, 28 and 31, 2005, adopted this Clause without amendment.

11 Final Report Lift Part Lot Control Application 05 165458 ESC 42 PL Polarlights Way, Nightstar Road, Wharnsby Drive and Flycatcher Avenue Neilson-Finch Residential Developments Inc. (Ward 42 - Scarborough Rouge River)

City Council on October 26, 27, 28 and 31, 2005, adopted this Clause without amendment.

12 Final Report OPA & Rezoning Application 02 035478 ESC 37 OZ 1095999 Ontario Inc. (Heinz Mertins, Mertins Architect) 15 Crockford Boulevard Golden Mile Employment District (Ward 37 - Scarborough Centre)

City Council on October 26, 27, 28 and 31, 2005, adopted this Clause without amendment.

Councillor Thompson declared an interest in this Clause, in that he has a Board relationship with the applicant.

13 Final Report City-initiated Technical Amendments to Various Community Zoning By-laws Various Properties - File 05 167257 EPS 00 TM (Wards 40, 41, 42 and 44)

City Council on October 26, 27, 28 and 31, 2005, adopted this Clause without amendment.

14 Final Report Rezoning Application 05 111420 ESC 40 OZ Cornel Monaru - 2973 Sheppard Avenue East Sullivan Community (Ward 40 - Scarborough Agincourt)

City Council on October 26, 27, 28 and 31, 2005, adopted this Clause without amendment.

15 Assumption of Services Reixach Bros. Company Limited West Side of Dean Park Road, South of Sheppard Avenue (Ward 44 - Scarborough East)

City Council on October 26, 27, 28 and 31, 2005, adopted this Clause without amendment.

16 Assumption of Services Thornland Construction Co. Ltd. North Side of Huntingwood Drive between Victoria Park Avenue and Fairglen Avenue (Ward 40 - Scarborough Agincourt)

City Council on October 26, 27, 28 and 31, 2005, adopted this Clause without amendment.

17 Ontario Municipal Board Committee of Adjustment Application Request for City Legal and Planning Staff Representation 70 North Woodrow (Files B20/05SC, A041/05SC and A042/05SC) (Ward 35 - Scarborough Southwest)

City Council on October 26, 27, 28 and 31, 2005, adopted this Clause without amendment.

18 Compliance to City By-laws

City Council on October 26, 27, 28 and 31, 2005, adopted this Clause without amendment.

19 Other Items Considered by the Community Council

City Council on October 26, 27, 28 and 31, 2005, received this Clause, for information.

Toronto and East York Community Council Report 8

1 Requests for Endorsement of Events for Liquor Licensing Purposes (Ward 20 - Trinity-Spadina)

City Council on October 26, 27, 28 and 31, 2005, amended this Clause by amending the recommendation of the Toronto and East York Community Council by:

- (1) deleting the words “the north side of” and inserting instead the words “both sides of”; and
- (2) deleting the words “November 13, 2005 between 12:00 p.m. and 4:00 p.m., or”,

so that the recommendation of the Toronto and East York Community Council, as amended by Council, now reads as follows:

“The Toronto and East York Community Council recommends that City Council, for liquor licence purposes, declare the Argo Streetfest taking place on November 20, 2005, between 12:00 p.m. and 4:00 p.m., on both sides of Bremner Boulevard between Van de Water Crescent and Rees Street, to be an event of municipal significance and advise the Alcohol and Gaming Commission of Ontario that it has no objection to it taking place.”

This Clause, as amended, was adopted by City Council.

Council also considered the following:

- Communication (undated) from George Karamaritis, Director, Event Marketing, Toronto Argonauts Football Club [Communication 10(a)].

2 By-law to permanently close a portion of the Halton Street Road Allowance abutting 199 Ossington Avenue (Ward 19 - Trinity-Spadina)

City Council on October 26, 27, 28 and 31, 2005, adopted this Clause without amendment.

3 Final Report - Rezoning Application - 16 and 18 Kimberley Avenue and Approval of Alterations to a Heritage Building - Designation under Part IV of the Ontario Heritage Act and Authority to Enter into a Heritage Easement Agreement – 16-18 Kimberley Avenue (William Brown House) (Ward 32 - Beaches-East York)

City Council on October 26, 27, 28 and 31, 2005, adopted this Clause without amendment.

4 Refusal Report - Official Plan Amendment and Rezoning Application and Site Plan Approval - 70 - 200 Russell Hill Road (Ward 22 - St. Paul's)

City Council on October 26, 27, 28 and 31, 2005, adopted this Clause without amendment.

5 Final Report - Official Plan Amendment and Rezoning Application - 100 Spadina Road and 97 Walmer Road and Request for Authority to Enter into a Heritage Easement Agreement and Approval of Alterations to a Heritage Building - 100 Spadina Road (Ward 20 - Trinity-Spadina)

City Council on October 26, 27, 28 and 31, 2005, postponed consideration of this Clause to its special meeting on November 24, 2005.

Council also considered the following:

Communications:

- (October 21, 2005) from the City Clerk, Toronto and East York Community Council [Communication 5(a)]; and
- (October 27, 2005) from Cynthia A. MacDougall, McCarthy Tétrault LLP, Barristers and Solicitors [Communication 5(b)].

6 Inclusion on the City of Toronto Inventory of Heritage Properties - 54 Fraser Avenue (Arlington Company of Canada Factory) (Parkdale-High Park - Ward 14)

City Council on October 26, 27, 28 and 31, 2005, adopted this Clause without amendment.

7 Inclusion of the City of Toronto Inventory of Heritage Properties - 300 Bloor Street West (Bloor Street United Church) (Ward 20 - Trinity-Spadina)

City Council on October 26, 27, 28 and 31, 2005, adopted this Clause without amendment.

8 Intention to Designate under Part IV of the Ontario Heritage Act - 10 Toronto Street (Seventh Post Office) (Ward 28 - Toronto Centre-Rosedale)

City Council on October 26, 27, 28 and 31, 2005, adopted this Clause without amendment.

9 Designation under Part V of the Ontario Heritage Act - Cabbagetown South Conservation District

City Council on October 26, 27, 28 and 31, 2005, adopted this Clause without amendment.

10 Inclusion of Properties on the City of Toronto Inventory of Heritage Properties - College Street Study (Bathurst Street to Ossington Avenue) (Ward 19 – Trinity-Spadina)

City Council on October 26, 27, 28 and 31, 2005, adopted this Clause without amendment.

11 Variances from Chapter 297, Signs, of the former City of Toronto Municipal Code - 18 Davenport Road (Ward 27 - Toronto Centre-Rosedale)

City Council on October 26, 27, 28 and 31, 2005, adopted this Clause without amendment.

12 Variances from Chapter 297, Signs, of the former City of Toronto Municipal Code - 108 Isabella Street (Ward 27 - Toronto Centre-Rosedale)

City Council on October 26, 27, 28 and 31, 2005, adopted this Clause without amendment.

13 Variances from Chapter 297, Signs, of the former City of Toronto Municipal Code - 1 Richmond Street West (Ward 28 - Toronto - Centre-Rosedale)

City Council on October 26, 27, 28 and 31, 2005, adopted this Clause without amendment.

14 Request for an Exemption from Chapter 400 of the former City of Toronto Municipal Code to Permit Front Yard Parking - 177 Marion Street (Ward 14 - Parkdale-High Park)

City Council on October 26, 27, 28 and 31, 2005, adopted this Clause without amendment.

15 Request for an Exemption from Chapter 400 of the former City of Toronto Municipal Code to Permit Front Yard Parking - 103 Lyall Avenue (Ward 32 - Beaches-East York)

City Council on October 26, 27, 28 and 31, 2005, adopted this Clause without amendment.

16 Request for an Exemption from Chapter 248 of the former City of Toronto Municipal Code to Permit Driveway Widening for a Second Vehicle - 83 Hillsdale Avenue West (Ward 22 - St. Paul's)

City Council on October 26, 27, 28 and 31, 2005, adopted this Clause without amendment.

17 Request for an Exemption from Chapter 248 of the former City of Toronto Municipal Code to Permit Driveway Widening for a Second Vehicle - 710 Hillsdale Avenue East (Ward 22 - St. Paul's)

City Council on October 26, 27, 28 and 31, 2005, adopted this Clause without amendment.

18 Removal of One Privately Owned Tree - 219 Davisville Avenue (Ward 22 - St. Paul's)

City Council on October 26, 27, 28 and 31, 2005, adopted this Clause without amendment.

19 Preliminary Report - Official Plan Amendment and Rezoning Application - 77, 79 and 83 Woodbine Avenue and 3 Buller Avenue (Ward 32 - Beaches-East York)

City Council on October 26, 27, 28 and 31, 2005, referred this Clause back to the Toronto and East York Community Council for further consideration following the resolution of the Development Infrastructure Policy and Standards issue.

20 Preliminary Report - Rezoning Application - 19-29 Maughan Crescent (Ward 32 - Beaches-East York)

City Council on October 26, 27, 28 and 31, 2005, referred this Clause back to the Toronto and East York Community Council for further consideration following the resolution of the Development Infrastructure Policy and Standards issue.

21 Supplementary Report - South District Application - 2195 Yonge Street (Ward 22 - St. Paul's)

City Council on October 26, 27, 28 and 31, 2005, adopted this Clause without amendment.

Council also considered the following:

- Communication (October 17, 2005) from Cynthia A. McDougall, McCarthy Tétrault LLP, Barristers and Solicitors [Communication 6(a)].

22 Variances from Chapter 297, Signs, of the former City of Toronto Municipal Code - 2290 Dundas Street West (Ward 14 - Parkdale, High Park)

City Council on October 26, 27, 28 and 31, 2005, adopted this Clause without amendment.

23 Variances from Chapter 297, Signs, of the former City of Toronto Municipal Code - 20 St. Patrick Street (Ward 20 - Trinity-Spadina)

City Council on October 26, 27, 28 and 31, 2005, adopted this Clause without amendment.

24 Variances from Chapter 297, Signs, of the former City of Toronto Municipal Code - 277 Richmond Street West (Sign Location at 126 John Street) (Ward 20 - Trinity-Spadina)

City Council on October 26, 27, 28 and 31, 2005, adopted this Clause without amendment.

25 Variances from Chapter 297, Signs, of the former City of Toronto Municipal Code - 191 Eglinton Avenue East (Ward 22 - St. Paul's)

City Council on October 26, 27, 28 and 31, 2005, adopted this Clause without amendment.

26 Variances from Chapter 297, Signs, of the former City of Toronto Municipal Code - 354 and 400 Jarvis Street (Ward 27 - Toronto Centre-Rosedale)

City Council on October 26, 27, 28 and 31, 2005, adopted this Clause without amendment.

27 Variances from Chapter 297, Signs, of the former City of Toronto Municipal Code - 227 Bloor Street East (Ward 27 - Toronto Centre-Rosedale)

City Council on October 26, 27, 28 and 31, 2005, adopted this Clause without amendment.

28 Variances from Chapter 297, Signs, of the former City of Toronto Municipal Code - Wellington Street side of BCE Place (181 Bay Street) (Ward 28 - Toronto Centre-Rosedale)

City Council on October 26, 27, 28 and 31, 2005, adopted this Clause without amendment.

29 Variance from Chapter 297, Signs, of the former City of Toronto Municipal Code - 1609 Queen Street East (Ward 32 - Beaches-East York)

City Council on October 26, 27, 28 and 31, 2005, adopted this Clause without amendment.

30 Fort York Neighbourhood Plazacorp Block Public Art Plan and Public Art Plan for 620 Fleet Street (Ward 19 - Trinity-Spadina)

City Council on October 26, 27, 28 and 31, 2005, adopted this Clause without amendment.

31 Fort York Neighbourhood District Public Art Plan - Blocks West of Bathurst Street (Ward 19 - Trinity-Spadina)

City Council on October 26, 27, 28 and 31, 2005, adopted this Clause without amendment.

32 East of Bathurst District Public Art Plan (Ward 20 - Trinity-Spadina)

City Council on October 26, 27, 28 and 31, 2005, adopted this Clause without amendment.

33 The Met Public Art Program - 21 Carlton Street (Ward 27 - Toronto Centre-Rosedale)

City Council on October 26, 27, 28 and 31, 2005, adopted this Clause without amendment.

34 Murano Public Art Program - 825 Bay Street (Ward 27 - Toronto Centre-Rosedale)

City Council on October 26, 27, 28 and 31, 2005, adopted this Clause without amendment.

35 Part Lot Control Application - 75 Logan Avenue (Ward 30 - Toronto-Danforth)

City Council on October 26, 27, 28 and 31, 2005, adopted the staff recommendations contained in the Recommendations Section of the report (September 26, 2005) from the Director, Community Planning, Toronto and East York District, as contained in the Clause.

This Clause, as amended, was adopted by City Council.

36 Part Lot Control Application - 78 Logan Avenue (Ward 30 - Toronto-Danforth)

City Council on October 26, 27, 28 and 31, 2005, adopted the staff recommendations contained in the Recommendations Section of the report (September 26, 2005) from the Director, Community Planning, Toronto and East York District, as contained in the Clause.

This Clause, as amended, was adopted by City Council.

37 Speed Hump Poll Results - Humewood Drive, between Valewood Avenue and Vaughan Road (Ward 21 - St. Paul's)

City Council on October 26, 27, 28 and 31, 2005, adopted this Clause without amendment.

38 Proposed Installation of Speed Bumps in Public Lane Systems Bounded by Danforth Avenue, Trent Avenue, Luttrell Avenue and C.N.R. Tracks (Ward 32 - Beaches-East York)

City Council on October 26, 27, 28 and 31, 2005, adopted this Clause without amendment.

39 Prohibition of Large Vehicles - Laneway System bounded by Federal Street, Gladstone Avenue, and Stonehouse Crescent (Ward 18 - Davenport)

City Council on October 26, 27, 28 and 31, 2005, adopted this Clause without amendment.

40 Implementation of a Southbound Right-turn Prohibition at All Times - Yonge Street, at Belmont Street (Ward 27 - Toronto Centre-Rosedale)

City Council on October 26, 27, 28 and 31, 2005, adopted this Clause without amendment.

41 Temporary Road Occupation to Accommodate Construction Staging Area - 200 King Street East (Ward 28 - Toronto Centre-Rosedale)

City Council on October 26, 27, 28 and 31, 2005, adopted this Clause without amendment.

42 Amendment to Parking Controls - Bleecker Street, west side, north of Wellesley Street East (Ward 28 - Toronto Centre-Rosedale)

City Council on October 26, 27, 28 and 31, 2005, adopted this Clause without amendment.

43 Proposed Amendments to Parking Regulations – Bloor Street West, between Lansdowne Avenue and Dufferin Street (Ward 18 - Davenport)

City Council on October 26, 27, 28 and 31, 2005, adopted this Clause without amendment.

44 Introduction of Permit Parking on both sides of St. Lawrence Street, between King Street East and a point 218 metres further South (Ward 28 - Toronto Centre-Rosedale)

City Council on October 26, 27, 28 and 31, 2005, adopted this Clause without amendment.

45 Amendment to Parking Controls - Berkeley Street, from Front Street East to Richmond Street East (Ward 28 - Toronto Centre-Rosedale)

City Council on October 26, 27, 28 and 31, 2005, adopted this Clause without amendment.

46 Prohibition of Parking - Cosburn Avenue, north side, from a point 61.5 metres east of Logan Avenue to a point 23 metres further east (Ward 29 - Toronto-Danforth)

City Council on October 26, 27, 28 and 31, 2005, adopted this Clause without amendment.

47 Installation/Removal of On-Street Parking Spaces for Persons with Disabilities (Ward 29 - Toronto-Danforth and Ward 32 - Beaches-East York)

City Council on October 26, 27, 28 and 31, 2005, adopted this Clause without amendment.

48 Naming of Proposed Public Streets - 1100 King Street West (Ward 14 - Parkdale-High Park)

City Council on October 26, 27, 28 and 31, 2005, adopted this Clause without amendment.

49 Naming of Private Lane Located 124 Metres North of Carlton Street, Extending from Jarvis Street to Mutual Street (Ward 27 - Toronto Centre-Rosedale)

City Council on October 26, 27, 28 and 31, 2005, adopted this Clause without amendment.

50 Appointments - Scadding Court Community Centre (Ward 20 - Trinity-Spadina)

City Council on October 26, 27, 28 and 31, 2005, adopted this Clause without amendment.

51 Variances from Chapter 297, Signs, of the former City of Toronto Municipal Code - 95 Queens Quay East (Ward 28 - Toronto Centre-Rosedale)

City Council on October 26, 27, 28 and 31, 2005, adopted this Clause without amendment.

52 Variances from Chapter 297, Signs, of the former City of Toronto Municipal Code - 95A Bloor Street West (Ward 27 - Toronto Centre-Rosedale)

City Council on October 26, 27, 28 and 31, 2005, adopted this Clause without amendment.

53 Adjustment to the Parking Regulations in the “Student Pick-up and Drop-off Area” - Manning Avenue at Clinton Street Public School (Ward 19 - Trinity-Spadina)

City Council on October 26, 27, 28 and 31, 2005, adopted this Clause without amendment.

54 Ontario Municipal Board Appeal - Zoning Amendment and Variance Applications - 901-903 Coxwell Avenue (Ward 31 - Beaches-East York)

City Council on October 26, 27, 28 and 31, 2005, adopted this Clause without amendment.

Council also considered the following:

- Confidential report (October 14, 2005) from the City Solicitor [Confidential Communication C.10(a)]. The following staff recommendations contained in the Recommendations Section of the report are now public and the balance of the report remains confidential, in accordance with the provisions of the *Municipal Act, 2001*, as it contains information that is subject to solicitor-client privilege and pertains to litigation or potential litigation:

“It is recommended that:

- (1) Council approve, in principle, a settlement between the City and the appellant for the Ontario Municipal Board (OMB) appeal as outlined in this report, allowing the expansion of a legal non-conforming restaurant use to the rear portion of the building;
- (2) the City Solicitor and appellant enter into Minutes of Settlement implementing the recommendations outlined in this report as follows:
 - (a) that the appellant withdraws the appeal of Zoning Amendment Application 04 121318 STE 31 OZ;
 - (b) that the Ontario Municipal Board grant minor variance application A-0423/03TEY subject to the following conditions:
 - (1) the hours of operation of the restaurant shall be limited to between 7:00 a.m. and 10:00 p.m. Monday to Saturday;
 - (2) motorized vehicular delivery of food is prohibited between 7:00 a.m. and 3:00 p.m.;
 - (3) the Owner shall provide landscaping components, such as potted plants, to the satisfactory of the Director of Community Planning, Toronto and East York District, in order to delineate the boulevard parking spaces from other areas of the boulevard not meant for vehicular traffic.;
 - (4) the Owner shall provide for a waste disposal bin in front of the restaurant; and
 - (5) the Owner shall implement a recycling program at the restaurant; and
- (3) the appropriate City officials be authorized and directed to take the necessary action to give effect thereto.”

55 Ontario Municipal Board Hearing - 1-3 Millbank Avenue (Ward 21 - St. Paul's)

City Council on October 26, 27, 28 and 31, 2005, adopted this Clause without amendment.

56 Other Items Considered by the Community Council

City Council on October 26, 27, 28 and 31, 2005, received this Clause, for information.

Enquiry and Answer:

1(a) (September 26, 2005) Enquiry from Councillor Howard Moscoe regarding the Voluntary Lobbyist Registry.

1(b) (October 11, 2005) Answer from the City Clerk regarding the Voluntary Lobbyist Registry.

The Enquiry (September 26, 2005) from Councillor Howard Moscoe and the Answer to the Enquiry (October 11, 2005) from the City Clerk, were received.

Notices of Motions:

F(1) Removal of Thursday Parking Prohibition - St. Clarens Avenue, between College Street and Bloor Street West (Davenport, Ward 18)

Moved by Councillor Giambrone, seconded by Councillor Carroll

“**WHEREAS** City Council, at its meeting on June 14, 15 and 16, 2005, adopted, as amended, Toronto and East York Community Council Report 5, Clause 36, headed ‘Thursday Parking Prohibitions Enhance Mechanical Street Sweeping Operations - Area bounded by Bloor Street West to the north, CN Rail Corridor to the west, College Street to the south and Dufferin Street to the east (Davenport, Ward 18)’, and in so doing, approved the implementation of a trial program to institute a system of alternate side parking, to take place on each Thursday of each week, from April 1 to November 30, 2005, on a number of streets within the area bounded by Bloor Street West, CN rail corridor, College Street and Dufferin Street in Ward 18; and

WHEREAS the residents of St. Clarens Avenue, between College Street and Bloor Street West, are not supportive of this project and have requested that this program be suspended on their individual street;

NOW THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED THAT, in accordance with §27-49 of Chapter 27 of the City of Toronto Municipal Code, Toronto and East York Community Council Report 5, Clause 36, headed ‘Thursday Parking Prohibitions Enhance Mechanical Street Sweeping Operations - Area bounded by Bloor Street West to the north, CN Rail Corridor to the west, College Street to the south and Dufferin Street to the east (Davenport, Ward 18)’, be re-opened for further consideration, only as it pertains to St. Clarens Avenue, between College Street and Bloor Street West;

AND BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED THAT:

- (1) the alternative side parking prohibition in effect each Thursday, from April 1st to November 30th, 2005, on St. Clarens Avenue, between College Street and Bloor Street West, be rescinded;
- (2) the on-street disabled persons parking spaces on St. Clarens Avenue, between College Street and Bloor Street West, which operate on an alternate side basis on each Thursday, from April 1st to November 30th, 2005, be rescinded; and
- (3) the appropriate City officials be requested to take whatever action is necessary to give effect to the foregoing, including the introduction in Council of any Bills that are required.”

Disposition:

This Motion was withdrawn at City Council on October 26, 27, 28 and 31, 2005.

I(1) Licensing of Livery Vehicles

Moved by Councillor Stintz, seconded by Councillor Saundercook

“**WHEREAS** City Council at its meeting on May 17, 18 and 19, 2005, by its adoption, without amendment, of Planning and Transportation Report 4, Clause 1, headed ‘Licensing of Livery Vehicles in the City of Toronto’, amended the Toronto Municipal Code, Chapter 545, by adopting several new provisions relative to the licensing of livery vehicles in the City of Toronto; and

WHEREAS the new licensing provisions relative to the livery industry are intended, in part, to bring unlicensed limousine activity under the regulatory umbrella; and

WHEREAS the new sedan vehicle/stretch vehicle ratio provisions are designed as a method of ensuring that new companies coming under the regulatory umbrella are legitimate, full-service limousine companies; and

WHEREAS the new provisions are not intended to impact negatively on the business operations of existing limousine companies already operating legally within the current Municipal Code provisions;

NOW THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED THAT, in accordance with Section 27-49 of Chapter 27 of the City of Toronto Municipal Code, Planning and Transportation Report 4, Clause 1, headed ‘Licensing of Livery Vehicles in the City of Toronto’, be re-opened for further consideration, only as it pertains to the ratio of sedan vehicles to stretch vehicles required to obtain a limousine service company licence for existing limousine companies, who held three or more valid livery owner’s licences at the time of the passing of the by-law;

AND BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED THAT City Council consider amending Chapter 545, Licensing, so that existing limousine companies, who held three or more valid livery owner's licences at the time of the passing of the by-law, be exempt from the sedan vehicle/stretch vehicle ratio as it pertains to their existing fleet of vehicles, other than meeting the minimum licence requirement of at least one stretch vehicle, and the sedan vehicle/stretch vehicle ratio apply to these companies on a go-forward basis as they increase the size of their existing fleets;

AND BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED THAT the Planning and Transportation Committee hold a public meeting to consider this matter and that notice of the meeting be given, as required by the *Municipal Act, 2001*, and Chapter 162, Notice, Public."

Disposition:

City Council on October 26, 27, 28 and 31, 2005, re-opened Planning and Transportation Report 4, Clause 1, headed "Licensing of Livery Vehicles in the City of Toronto", for further consideration, only as it pertains to the ratio of sedan vehicles to stretch vehicles required to obtain a limousine service company licence for existing limousine companies, who held three or more valid livery owner's licences at the time of the passing of the by-law, and adopted the balance of this Motion, without amendment.

J(1) Election Campaign Finance Reform

Moved by Councillor Walker, seconded by Councillor Jenkins

“WHEREAS Premier Dalton McGuinty campaigned in 2003 on a promise of bringing in democratic renewal for Ontario and created a ministerial portfolio for this purpose; and

WHEREAS the influence of money in government may be corrosive and corruptive, as evidenced in so many recent scandals in all three levels of government; and

WHEREAS the public is becoming extremely cynical of government, in response to continuing scandals in government; and

WHEREAS confidence in public officials has been eroding steadily over the past decade; and

WHEREAS during its meeting of September 28 to October 1, 2004, City Council, adopted, as amended, Policy and Finance Committee Report 7, Clause 3, headed 'Toronto Election Finance Review Task Force Recommendations', and, in so doing, approved an Election Finance Reform package for City of Toronto elections which was then forwarded to the Provincial government to pass enabling amendments to the *Municipal Elections Act*; and

WHEREAS Mayor David Miller and Councillor Michael Walker met with the Honourable John Gerretsen, Minister of Municipal Affairs, on April 21, 2005, regarding the urgent approval of changes to the *Municipal Elections Act* to enable the City of Toronto to pass by-laws on Election Finance Reform for the 2006 municipal election; and

WHEREAS it was discussed at the meeting with Minister Gerretsen that any enabling provincial legislation would be permissive and allow any municipality in Ontario to pass similar by-laws regarding their own election process; and

WHEREAS doing business with government involves huge amounts of money and profits to the private sector (i.e. – planning approvals; leasing contracts (MFP); union contracts); and

WHEREAS the purpose of Election Finance Reform during election time is to remove the inordinate influence of corporate and union donations on incumbents and challengers alike; and

WHEREAS, if changes to the *Municipal Elections Act* are not made now, it is probable that the momentum for these reforms will be lost and no Election Finance Reform will be implemented for the foreseeable future;

NOW THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED THAT City Council reaffirm its position of September 28 to October 1, 2004, on the need for strict changes to the *Municipal Elections Act* regarding Election Finance Reform;

AND BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED THAT City Council urgently request the Provincial Government to pass legislation early in its fall term of the Legislature to enable the changes requested by Toronto City Council regarding Election Finance Reform;

AND BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED THAT City Council strongly identify the need for timely passage of this legislation because City by-laws have to be passed by the end of 2005 for Election Finance Reform to take effect for the 2006 municipal election;

AND BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED THAT the appropriate City officials be directed to take any action necessary to give effect to the foregoing, including the introduction in Council of any Bills that may be required.”

Disposition:

City Council on October 26, 27, 28 and 31, 2005, adopted this Motion, without amendment.

Council also considered the following:

- Fiscal Impact Statement (October 27, 2005) from the Deputy City Manager and Chief Financial Officer.

J(2) Issuance of Debentures

Moved by Mayor Miller, seconded by Councillor Soknacki

“**WHEREAS** at its meeting held on February 3, 2005, City Council adopted By-law No. 69-2005, being a by-law to authorize agreements respecting the issue and sale of debentures; and

WHEREAS pursuant to By-law No. 69-2005, the Mayor and the Deputy City Manager and Chief Financial Officer, acting in his capacity as treasurer appointed under the *Municipal Act, 2001* (the ‘Treasurer’), are authorized to enter into an agreement or agreements with a purchaser or purchasers during the year, for the sale and issue of debentures upon such terms and conditions, including price or prices as they deem expedient, to provide an amount not exceeding \$500,000,000.00 for the purposes of the City of Toronto, including the purposes of the former Municipality of Metropolitan Toronto; and

WHEREAS the Mayor and Treasurer have entered into an agreement dated October 17, 2005, for the issue and sale of debentures, and the Treasurer is required to report the terms of the agreement to Council not later than the second regular Council meeting following the entering into of such agreement; and

WHEREAS the *City of Toronto Act, 1997 (No. 2)*, subsection 102(6), requires Council to pass all necessary money by-laws in accordance with the said agreement and applicable legislation;

NOW THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED THAT Council consider the attached report (October 20, 2005) from the Deputy City Manager and Chief Financial Officer, regarding the issuance of debentures, and that the staff recommendations contained in the Recommendations Section of the report be adopted;

AND BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED THAT leave be granted for the introduction of the necessary Bills in Council to give effect to the issuance of debentures.”

Disposition:

City Council on October 26, 27, 28 and 31, 2005, adopted this Motion, without amendment.

In adopting Motion J(2), without amendment, Council adopted, without amendment, the following staff recommendations contained in the Recommendations Section of the report (October 20, 2005) from the Deputy City Manager and Chief Financial Officer:

“It is recommended that:

- (1) authority be granted for the introduction of the necessary Bills in Council on October 26, 2005, to give effect to the issuance of debentures as described in this report; and*
- (2) the appropriate officials be authorized to take the necessary actions to give effect thereto.”*

Council also considered the following:

- Report (October 20, 2005) from the Deputy City Manager and Chief Financial Officer.

J(3) Extension of Free Parking for Canadian Veterans

Moved by Councillor Walker, seconded by Councillor Palacio

“WHEREAS at the Toronto City Council meeting of July 19, 20, 21 and 26, 2005, Council adopted a motion to allow free parking for Canadian Veterans for the duration of 2005; and

WHEREAS nearly three months later, the change has generated positive feedback from residents not only in St. Paul’s and Davenport, but across the City of Toronto as well as the Province of Ontario; and

WHEREAS the year 2005 was declared ‘Year of the Veteran’ by the Honourable Albina Guarnieri, Minister of Veterans Affairs, in honour of those who served this country and in recognition of the 60th anniversary of the end of the Second World War; and

WHEREAS the City has graciously demonstrated its support of Canadian Veterans and should further honour those who served and who continue to serve their Country by extending this recognition indefinitely;

NOW THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED THAT, in accordance with §27-49 of Chapter 27 of the City of Toronto Municipal Code, Motion J(2), entitled ‘Free Parking for Canadian Veterans’, adopted, as amended, by City Council at its meeting on July 19, 20, 21 and 26, 2005, be re-opened for further consideration;

AND BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED THAT during permitted hours, all vehicles bearing a valid Ontario Veteran Licence Plate be exempted indefinitely from standard parking fees at all on street parking meters and parking machines, at parking machines and parking meters in municipally operated parking facilities, and in municipally operated parking facilities where attendants are stationed;

AND BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED THAT City Council request that the same indefinite exemption be adopted by the agencies, boards and commissions of the City which charge for parking by the public at their facilities.”

Disposition:

City Council on October 26, 27, 28 and 31, 2005, re-opened Motion J(2), entitled “Free Parking for Canadian Veterans”, adopted, as amended, by City Council at its meeting on July 19, 20, 21 and 26, 2005, for further consideration, and referred the balance of this Motion to the Toronto Parking Authority, the Budget Advisory Committee and the Policy and Finance Committee for consideration.

Council also considered the following:

- Fiscal Impact Statement (October 27, 2005) from the Deputy City Manager and Chief Financial Officer.

J(4) Reading and Display of Motions at Council for Viewers at Home

Moved by Councillor Walker, seconded by Councillor Jenkins

“WHEREAS each and every session of Toronto City Council is televised on Rogers Community Television for viewers at home; and

WHEREAS the vast majority of these viewers watch at home because they cannot attend the meeting in person at Toronto City Hall; and

WHEREAS these viewers have as much a right, as those who attend the meeting in person, to know what is being discussed, who is placing a motion, what the motion is, who is voting or not voting and whether they are voting in the affirmative or the negative; and

WHEREAS it used to be the customary practice that the Chair read all motions out loud, in order for all viewers to know what is being voted on; and

WHEREAS the public audience watching at home are not privy to hundreds of pages of printed agendas, Notices of Motions, as well as countless updates and distributed pages that Councillors are privileged to receive; and

WHEREAS the public audience, without this information, cannot possibly follow a three-day meeting where items are often held, discussed in camera, deferred, received, or sent back to Committee without any mention other than an agenda reference number;

NOW THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED THAT Council consider amending Chapter 27 of the City of Toronto Municipal Code (Council Procedures) to require the Chair or City Clerk to read aloud all motions being voted on for the viewing audience at home; that notice of a proposed amendment be given in accordance with Chapter 162, Notice, Public and Chapter 27, Council Procedures; and that this matter be considered by the Policy and Finance Committee;

AND BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED THAT all motions being voted on also be displayed on the television screen at the time they are being voted on.”

Disposition:

Notice of this Motion was given to permit consideration at the next regular meeting of City Council on December 5, 2005.

J(5) Installation of Speed Humps - Bain Avenue, between Broadview Avenue and Ingham Avenue (Toronto-Danforth, Ward 30)

Moved by Councillor Fletcher, seconded by Councillor Davis

“**WHEREAS** City Council, on September 28, 29 and 30, 2005, adopted Toronto and East York Community Council Report 7, Clause 52, headed ‘Installation of Speed Humps-Bain Avenue, between Broadview Avenue and Ingham Avenue (Toronto-Danforth, Ward 30)’, without amendment, and in so doing, authorized appropriate staff to conduct a poll of eligible householders on Pape Avenue, between Dundas Street East and Gerrard Street East, to determine resident support for the proposed speed hump plan; and

WHEREAS the incorrect recommendations were included in this Clause which were subsequently adopted by City Council; and

WHEREAS it is necessary that City Council adopt the correct recommendations, in order to provide direction to staff;

NOW THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED THAT, in accordance with Section 27-49 of Chapter 27 of the City of Toronto Municipal Code, Toronto and East York Community Council Report 7, Clause 52, headed ‘Installation of Speed Humps - Bain Avenue, between Broadview Avenue and Ingham Avenue (Toronto-Danforth, Ward 30)’, be re-opened for further consideration;

AND BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED THAT the recommendations of the Toronto and East York Community Council be deleted and that Council adopt instead the following new recommendations:

‘It is recommended that:

- (1) appropriate staff be authorized to conduct a poll of eligible householders on Bain Avenue, between Broadview Avenue and Ingham Avenue, to determine resident support for the proposed speed hump plan, in accordance with the City of Toronto traffic calming policy; and public notice be given pursuant to the *Municipal Class Environmental Assessment Act* including Notice of Study Commencement to the Ministry of Environment, Fire Service, Emergency Medical Service and Toronto Police Service;
- (2) subject to favourable results of the poll;
 - (a) by-laws be prepared for the alteration of sections of the roadways on Bain Avenue, between Broadview Avenue and Ingham Avenue, for traffic calming purposes generally as shown on the attached print of Drawing No. 421F-8022 dated August 2005, and circulated to residents through the polling process;
 - (b) pursuant to the requirements of the *Municipal Class Environmental Assessment Act*, Notice of Completion be issued; and
 - (c) the speed limit be reduced from forty kilometres per hour to thirty kilometres per hour on Bain Avenue, between Broadview Avenue and Ingham Avenue, coincident with the implementation of speed humps; and
- (3) the appropriate City officials be authorized and directed to take whatever action is necessary to implement the foregoing, including the introduction in Council of any Bills that are required.’ ”

Disposition:

City Council on October 26, 27, 28 and 31, 2005, re-opened Toronto and East York Community Council Report 7, Clause 52, headed “Installation of Speed Humps - Bain Avenue, between Broadview Avenue and Ingham Avenue (Toronto-Danforth, Ward 30)”, for further consideration, and adopted the balance of this Motion, without amendment.

J(6) Maintaining Services at the East York Civic Centre

Moved by Councillor Davis, seconded by Councillor Altobello

“WHEREAS Registry services are being removed from the East York Civic Centre as of November 1, 2005, and Access Toronto services will be removed early in the New Year; and

WHEREAS there has been no public consultation or decision-making process to determine support for these changes; and

WHEREAS Planning, Building Permits, and Parks and Recreation Services have already been removed from the East York Civic Centre; and

WHEREAS East York residents wish to protect the remaining counter services, restore lost services, and maintain the Civic Centre as an important municipal building for the community; and

WHEREAS Toronto City Council adopted ‘improving public services’ as a top priority for this term of Council; and

WHEREAS public information and assistance, provided by qualified Access Toronto staff at the East York Civic Centre, will be replaced by a wall telephone;

NOW THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED THAT the planned service changes at the East York Civic Centre be stopped immediately, including any staffing moves and renovations to accommodate these changes, pending the reports requested below being considered by Council;

AND BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED THAT:

- (1) the Chief Corporate Officer report to the November meeting of the Administration Committee on options for maintaining all the services currently being offered at the East York Civic Centre, including Access Toronto; and
- (2) the City Clerk report to the November meeting of the Administration Committee on options for maintaining all the services currently being offered at the East York Civic Centre by the City Clerk’s Office, including Registry services;

AND BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED THAT such reports also summarize plans for future changes to Access Toronto and Registry in-person customer service at the other civic centres in Toronto.”

Disposition:

City Council on October 26, 27, 28 and 31, 2005, adopted this Motion, without amendment.

Council also considered the following:

- Fiscal Impact Statement (October 27, 2005) from the Deputy City Manager and Chief Financial Officer.

J(7) Harmonized Permit Rates (All Wards)

Moved by Councillor Augimeri, seconded by Councillor Mammoliti

“**WHEREAS** the City of Toronto at its meeting of May 17, 18 and 19, 2005, adopted Economic Development and Parks Committee Report 5, Clause 2, headed ‘Harmonized Permit Rates (All Wards)’, which implemented harmonized rates for certain Recreation facilities across the City of Toronto; and

WHEREAS the Harmonization Policy is due to come into effect in January 2006; and

WHEREAS a number of community groups are not financially prepared to afford the new rates; and

WHEREAS the harmonization of permit fees is revenue neutral and, if the implementation were to be delayed, it would have no financial impact on the City of Toronto’s budget; and

WHEREAS there is currently no appeal process in place that provides due consideration for groups that cannot afford to pay; and

WHEREAS certain permits have already been assured for user groups for the 2006 year, with no fees attached;

NOW THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED THAT, in accordance with §27-49 of Chapter 27 of the City of Toronto Municipal Code, Economic Development and Parks Committee Report 5, Clause 2, headed ‘Harmonized Permit Rates’, be re-opened for further consideration, only as it pertains to the implementation of the harmonized permit rates for January 2006;

AND BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED THAT the implementation of the harmonized rates be delayed for six months and instead be implemented in May of 2006;

AND BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED THAT the General Manager of Parks, Forestry and Recreation be requested to report to the January 16, 2006 meeting of the Economic Development and Parks Committee on a fee reduction process to give consideration to groups that cannot afford the new harmonized rates, such report to outline policies and requirements to ensure fairness and transparency.”

Disposition:

City Council on October 26, 27, 28 and 31, 2005, re-opened Economic Development and Parks Committee Report 5, Clause 2, headed “Harmonized Permit Rates”, for further consideration, only as it pertains to the implementation of the harmonized permit rates for January 2006, and postponed consideration of the balance of this Motion to the special meeting of City Council on November 24, 2005.

Council also considered the following:

- Fiscal Impact Statement (October 27, 2005) from the Deputy City Manager and Chief Financial Officer.

J(8) Request to Toronto Police Services Board to Expand Strategic Traffic Enforcement Measures (STEM) Team

Moved by Councillor Del Grande, seconded by Councillor Thompson

“**WHEREAS**, in 2002, the Toronto Police Service identified traffic safety as a Service Priority and responded by implementing the Traffic Enforcement Safety Team (TEST) pilot project; and

WHEREAS on April 1, 2003, to build on the success of the TEST initiative, the STEM team was created and a dedicated traffic enforcement unit of 11 officers was assigned; and

WHEREAS statistics presented to the Toronto Police Services Board on May 27, 2004, show that, during the first year after activation of the STEM team, fatal accidents fell by 26 percent - leading the Toronto Police Service to conclude that, ‘...enforcement programs, including initiatives such as STEM, have had a positive impact with respect to reducing the number of collisions involving traffic deaths...’; and

WHEREAS a lack of respect for traffic regulations on our residential streets continues to be among the most frequently fielded constituent calls in Scarborough and many residents feel that the only effective means to bring compliance with these regulations is through consistent, yet irregular enforcement; and

WHEREAS 42 Division currently has – on average – a maximum of three (3) Traffic Enforcement Officers active during each shift to patrol an area larger (geographically) than the City of Ottawa, resulting in delayed responses to public and Councillor requests for enforcement and minimal enforcement when it can be provided; and

WHEREAS the STEM team has proven that dedicated Traffic Enforcement Officers can greatly enhance public safety, can be revenue-neutral (or better) and improve the public’s faith that City Hall responds to their concerns;

NOW THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED THAT City Council request that the Toronto Police Services Board consider expanding the STEM team to include eleven (11) additional officers to be assigned permanently to the East District and, should they agree to this expansion, Council request that the Board direct the Toronto Police Service to adjust their 2006 budget submission accordingly.”

Disposition:

City Council on October 26, 27, 28 and 31, 2005, referred this Motion to the Policy and Finance Committee.

Council also considered the following:

- Fiscal Impact Statement (October 27, 2005) from the Deputy City Manager and Chief Financial Officer.

J(9) Reinstatement of East-To-North Left Turn Prohibition – 1654 Queen Street East

Moved by Councillor Moscoe, seconded by Councillor Mihevc

“**WHEREAS** City Council, at its meeting on June 14, 15 and 16, 2005, adopted Toronto and East York Community Council Report 5, Clause 55, headed, ‘Rescission of Turn Prohibitions – Driveway to 1654 Queen Street East (Beaches – East York, Ward 32)’, and in doing so, approved allowing eastbound motorists to turn left from the streetcar tracks on Queen Street East into the driveway to the LCBO store at that address; and

WHEREAS this left turn prohibition had originally been included as a condition of approval of the re-development of this site, at the request of the Toronto Transit Commission (TTC), to avoid increased delays to the very frequent streetcar services on this section of Queen Street East; and

WHEREAS the City staff report on this matter was based on a study that took place after the left turns had been prohibited, when the number of motorists observed making the left turn was reduced; and

WHEREAS TTC staff conducted a further delay study at this location in the afternoon peak period, after the left-turn prohibitions had been rescinded, and found 92 autos per hour making the east to north left-turn in to the LCBO store, resulting in delays to streetcars; and

WHEREAS the City study did not address the fact that seemingly ‘small’ delays at a single location contribute to the cumulative effect of numerous, highly-variable traffic-related delays along the entire length of streetcar routes which, in turn, cause gapping, bunching, overcrowding, and extensive short-turning of streetcars; and

WHEREAS the first step in providing more attractive transit services in Toronto is to take steps at the development approval stage to ensure that service is not permitted to get any worse;

NOW THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED THAT in accordance with §27-49 of Chapter 27 of the City of Toronto Municipal Code, Toronto and East York Community Council Report 5, Clause 55, headed ‘Rescission of Turn Prohibitions – Driveway to 1654 Queen Street East (Beaches – East York, Ward 32)’, be re-opened for further consideration;

AND BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED THAT Toronto City Council re-instate the east-to-north left-turn prohibition at 1654 Queen Street East, and that the necessary bill be introduced to give effect to this prohibition;

AND BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED THAT the General Manager, Transportation Services, be requested to develop and submit to the Works Committee, guidelines to be used by City staff, when undertaking transportation analyses and recommendations, to ensure that the transit system is not negatively affected and, if possible, is enhanced.”

Disposition:

This Motion was withdrawn at City Council on October 26, 27, 28 and 31, 2005.

J(10) Request for Approval of a Planning Study and Enactment of Two Interim Control By-laws for the Castlefield Caledonia Design and Décor District
Moved by Councillor Moscoe, seconded by Councillor Di Giorgio

“**WHEREAS** the City of Toronto will be undertaking an urban design charette for the Castlefield Caledonia Design and Décor District (CCDDD) which will examine how to develop a more cohesive urban design framework for the area; and

WHEREAS the Castlefield Caledonia Design and Décor District is zoned by both the North York Zoning By-law No. 7625 and the City of York By-law No. 1-83, which have differing permissions and regulations for retail stores in employment areas; and

WHEREAS the former City of North York Official Plan and the new City of Toronto Official Plan restrict large retail uses to major streets that form the boundary of employment areas; and

WHEREAS it is appropriate for the City to undertake a thorough review of the uses permitted and the size of uses in the CCDDD in terms of their compatibility, location, streetscape and transportation system impacts;

NOW THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED THAT Council consider the attached report (October 26, 2005) from the Chief Planner and Executive Director, City Planning Division, entitled ‘Proposed Planning Study and Interim Control By-law, Castlefield Caledonia Design and Décor District’, and that the staff recommendations contained in the Recommendations Section of the report be adopted;

AND BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED THAT City staff take the necessary action to give effect thereto, including the introduction of any necessary Bills in Council.”

Disposition:

City Council on October 26, 27, 28 and 31, 2005, adopted this Motion, without amendment.

In adopting Motion J(10), without amendment, Council adopted, without amendment, the following staff recommendations contained in the Recommendations Section of the report (October 26, 2005) from the Chief Planner and Executive Director, City Planning Division:

“It is recommended that:

- (1) Planning staff be directed to undertake a review and study of the zoning regulations and planning policies which apply to the area as shown in Attachment 1 and report back to Community Council within one year; and***
 - (2) pursuant to Section 38 of the Planning Act, City Council enact two Interim Control By-laws, Attachments 2 and 3, each for a one year period.”***
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Council also considered the following:

- Report (October 26, 2005) from the Chief Planner and Executive Director, City Planning Division.

Councillor Mammoliti declared an interest in this Motion, in that his spouse owns property in the area.

J(11) Request to Provincial Government to Extend Tuition Fee Freeze

Moved by Councillor Augimeri, seconded by Councillor Giambrone

“**WHEREAS** Premier Dalton McGuinty has announced that Ontario’s tuition fee freeze would not be extended beyond September 2006; and

WHEREAS tuition fees have been shown to be the most significant barrier to accessing post secondary education; and

WHEREAS increasing tuition fees will adversely affect the most marginalized people of Toronto to the greatest degree; and

WHEREAS recent studies have shown enrollment in post-secondary education by middle-income students has been depressed by increased tuition fees; and

WHEREAS a significant step in making all of Toronto’s communities safer is breaking the cycle of poverty through affordable and accessible post-secondary educational opportunities;

NOW THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED THAT Toronto City Council endorse a fully-funded tuition fee freeze in the Province of Ontario until at least September 2008;

AND BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED THAT Toronto City Council request the Mayor to write a letter to Premier Dalton McGuinty, the Honourable Christopher Bentley (Minister of Training, Colleges and Universities) and Toronto-area Members of Provincial Parliament to request that the Provincial Government maintain a fully-funded tuition fee freeze until at least September 2008.”

Disposition:

Notice of this Motion was given to permit consideration at the next regular meeting of City Council on December 5, 2005.

J(12) Use of Public Roads for Special Events

Moved by Councillor Pitfield, seconded by Councillor Carroll

“WHEREAS the City of Toronto has numerous charity runs, walks, bikeathons and street festivals each year; and

WHEREAS each of the organizations that apply to the City for a permit for such an event are extremely worthwhile; and

WHEREAS each of the organizations use a different route for their event; and

WHEREAS closure of the City’s major roadways is difficult to communicate in advance and results in the need to find slower alternative routes;

NOW THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED THAT Deputy City Manager Fareed Amin be requested to report to the Works Committee on:

- (1) a protocol for the use of public roads by charitable events/athletics that will minimize disruption; and
- (2) a protocol to provide greater public notice;

AND BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED THAT the Event Committee evaluate all requests for the use of public roads.”

Disposition:

City Council on October 26, 27, 28 and 31, 2005, amended this Motion by adding the following Part (3) to the first Operative Paragraph:

“(3) the issue of insurance;”

so that the first Operative Paragraph now reads as follows:

“NOW THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED THAT Deputy City Manager Fareed Amin be requested to report to the Works Committee on:

- (1) a protocol for the use of public roads by charitable events/athletics that will minimize disruption;*
- (2) a protocol to provide greater public notice; and*
- (3) the issue of insurance;”.*

Motion J(12), as amended, was adopted by City Council.

J(13) Queen Street West Heritage Conservation District Study Area (Trinity-Spadina, Ward 20)

Moved by Councillor Chow, seconded by Councillor Rae

“**WHEREAS** City Council on May 17, 18 and 19, 2005, considered Toronto and East York Community Council Report 4, Clause 49, headed ‘Queen Street West Heritage Conservation District Study Area (Trinity-Spadina, Ward 20)’, and, in so doing, amended the staff recommendations in the Recommendations Section of the report (April 15, 2005) from the Director, Policy and Research, City Planning Division and adopted the following recommendations:

‘It is recommended that:

- (1) City Council identify the area shown in Attachment No. 1 of this report as the Queen Street West Heritage Conservation District Study Area; and
- (2) the appropriate City officials be authorized and directed to take the necessary action to give effect thereto.’; and

WHEREAS City Council, at its meeting on June 14, 15 and 16, 2005, again considered the same staff report (April 15, 2005) from the Director, Policy and Research, City Planning Division contained in Toronto and East York Community Council Report 5, Clause 15, and, in so doing, adopted this report without amendment, which recommended that:

- ‘(1) City Council pass a by-law pursuant to Part V of the *Ontario Heritage Act* identifying the area shown in Attachment No. 1 of this report as the Queen Street West Heritage Conservation District Study Area; and
- (2) the appropriate City officials be authorized and directed to take the necessary action to give effect thereto.’; and

WHEREAS the appropriate action for Council to have taken in this matter was that taken at its earlier meeting on May 17, 18 and 19, 2005, and Council should now receive the Clause considered at its later meeting on June 14, 15 and 16, 2005;

NOW THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED THAT, in accordance with Section 27-49 of Chapter 27 of the City of Toronto Municipal Code, Toronto and East York Community Council Report 5, Clause 15, headed ‘Queen Street West Heritage Conservation District Study Area (Trinity-Spadina, Ward 20)’, be re-opened for further consideration;

AND BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED THAT the City Council receive Clause 15 of Toronto and East York Community Council Report 5.”

Disposition:

City Council on October 26, 27, 28 and 31, 2005, re-opened Toronto and East York Community Council Report 5, Clause 15, headed “Queen Street West Heritage Conservation District Study Area (Trinity-Spadina, Ward 20)”, for further consideration, and adopted the balance of this Motion, without amendment.

J(14) Use of the Scarborough Flag by the Scarborough Pipe Band

Moved by Councillor De Baeremaeker, seconded by Councillor Altobello

“**WHEREAS** the Flag of the former City of Scarborough is a unique and identifiable symbol of the proud and rich heritage of the residents of the former City of Scarborough; and

WHEREAS the Flag of the former City of Scarborough, with its depiction of the Scarborough Bluffs and the deep blue water of Lake Ontario, is a well-known and popular local symbol of civic pride for the residents of the former City of Scarborough; and

WHEREAS the Scarborough Pipe Band, a volunteer not-for-profit organization, was established in 1959 in the Borough of Scarborough by residents of the Borough of Scarborough for the purpose of entertaining local residents at parades, festivals and community events and has a long and distinguished connection to the residents and the community of the former City of Scarborough; and

WHEREAS the Scarborough Pipe Band plays an important role in maintaining the standards and traditions of piping and drumming in the community of the former City of Scarborough; and

WHEREAS the Scarborough Pipe Band has played an important role in parades and community events in the former City of Scarborough, the new City of Toronto and throughout the Province of Ontario for 46 years; and

WHEREAS the Scarborough Pipe Band has requested the honour of promoting their unique and historical connection to the former City of Scarborough by incorporating the distinctive representation of the Scarborough Bluffs and Lake Ontario, as depicted on the Flag of the former City of Scarborough, on the crest, uniform and accoutrements of the Scarborough Pipe Band;

NOW THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED THAT the City of Toronto authorize the Scarborough Pipe Band to use the Scarborough Flag as part of the pipe band’s logo, coat of arms and other related promotional materials.”

Disposition:

City Council on October 26, 27, 28 and 31, 2005, adopted this Motion, without amendment.

J(15) UTAG (Uniting Toronto Against Guns: Safer Streets, Stronger Communities) Day of Remembrance and Action on Gun Violence in Toronto – November 13, 2005

Moved by Councillor Stintz, seconded by Deputy Mayor Feldman

“**WHEREAS** there have been 44 murders involving gun violence in the City of Toronto so far this year, compared to 27 gun-related homicides in 2004, and 13-gun related homicides in 1998; and

WHEREAS it is of grave concern to the Members of Council and the citizens of our City that violent crimes using guns is on the rise, and all efforts to eliminate these violent acts should be encouraged and supported by every level of government; and

WHEREAS each level of government has an obligation to explore all possible options to prevent gun violence in our City, and to appropriately punish those convicted of gun-related offences; and

WHEREAS UTAG (Uniting Toronto Against Guns: Safer Streets, Stronger Communities) was formed by organizations and neighbourhood groups, business and political leaders, and prominent Torontonians concerned about the gun violence in Toronto; and

WHEREAS, in response to the increase in crimes involving guns in Toronto, a community rally will take place on November 13, 2005, at Yonge-Dundas Square, from 1:00 p.m. to 3:00 p.m., to address the systemic problems of violence and guns in our City and to demand tougher sentences for gun related crimes;

NOW THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED THAT City Council endorse the UTAG (Uniting Toronto Against Guns: Safer Streets, Stronger Communities) community rally taking place on November 13, 2005, at Yonge-Dundas Square, from 1:00 p.m. to 3:00 p.m., and encourage all Torontonians to attend this community rally to end gun violence in Toronto.”

Disposition:

City Council on October 26, 27, 28 and 31, 2005, adopted this Motion, without amendment.

Council also considered the following:

- Fiscal Impact Statement (October 27, 2005) from the Deputy City Manager and Chief Financial Officer.

J(16) Enforcing Municipal Licensing and Standards Notices – 1884 Davenport Road and 61 Pelham Park Gardens

Moved by Councillor Palacio, seconded by Councillor Nunziata

“**WHEREAS** in November and December 2004, Municipal Licensing and Standards (MLS) issued over 300 Notices of Violation and notices identifying deficiencies in the Building Code to 1884 Davenport Road and 61 Pelham Park Gardens; and

WHEREAS, since that time, according to Municipal Licensing and Standards, only a handful of these Notices have been complied with, as tenants continue to live in completely unacceptable conditions; and

WHEREAS the Landlord has been given one year to comply with these outstanding issues and has failed to do so, to the detriment of the hundreds of residents who live in both buildings; and

WHEREAS the Notices Of Violation issued state that a follow-up inspection by Municipal Licensing and Standards will take place within three weeks to ensure compliance which, to date, has not occurred; and

WHEREAS the tenants and Tenants’ Associations have a unanimous interest in seeing conditions improve and are frustrated by the lack of maintenance and lack of enforcement by City staff;

NOW THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED THAT the Acting Executive Director, Municipal Licensing and Standards be instructed to urgently enforce, to the fullest extent permitted by the by-law and Council policy, all outstanding Notices, Orders and deficiencies identified by MLS at 1884 Davenport Road and 61 Pelham Park Gardens to date.”

Disposition:

City Council on October 26, 27, 28 and 31, 2005, adopted this Motion, without amendment.

J(17) Revised Maps for the Central Waterfront Secondary Plan 701003, Ward 19, Trinity-Spadina and Ward 29, Toronto-Danforth

Moved by Councillor McConnell, seconded by Councillor Fletcher

“**WHEREAS** City Council at its meeting on September 28, 29 and 30, 2005, by its adoption, without amendment, of Planning and Transportation Committee Report 8, Clause 2, headed ‘Proposed Partial Settlements of Appeals to the Central Waterfront Secondary Plan 701003 (Ward 19 - Trinity-Spadina and Ward 29 - Toronto Centre-Rosedale)’, approved amendments to the maps for the Central Waterfront Secondary Plans; and

WHEREAS it has subsequently been found that these maps need certain minor amendments, prior to the Ontario Municipal Board hearing of November 21 2005; and

WHEREAS the Chief Planner and Executive Director, City Planning Division, has submitted a report (October 26, 2005) forwarding revised maps for the Central Waterfront Secondary Plan;

NOW THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED THAT, in accordance with §27-49 of Chapter 27 of the City of Toronto Municipal Code, Planning and Transportation Committee Report 8, Clause 2, headed ‘Proposed Partial Settlements of Appeals to the Central Waterfront Secondary Plan 701003 (Ward 19 - Trinity-Spadina and Ward 29 - Toronto Centre-Rosedale)’, be re-opened for further consideration, only as it pertains to the revised maps for the Central Waterfront Secondary Plan;

AND BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED THAT Council adopt the staff recommendations contained in the Recommendations Section of the attached report (October 26, 2005) from the Chief Planner and Executive Director, City Planning Division.”

Disposition:

City Council on October 26, 27, 28 and 31, 2005, re-opened Planning and Transportation Committee Report 8, Clause 2, headed “Proposed Partial Settlements of Appeals to the Central Waterfront Secondary Plan 701003 (Ward 19 - Trinity-Spadina and Ward 29 - Toronto Centre-Rosedale)”, for further consideration, only as it pertains to the revised maps for the Central Waterfront Secondary Plan, and amended the balance of this Motion by adding the following new Operative Paragraph:

“AND BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED THAT, when reporting on waterfront applications such as 90 Stadium Road (Tip Top Tailors), staff be requested to secure a separation between the water’s edge and the proposed building which is consistent with the principles of the Central Waterfront Secondary Plan.”

Motion J(17), as amended, was adopted by City Council.

In adopting Motion J(17), as amended, Council adopted, without amendment, the following staff recommendations contained in the Recommendations Section of the report (October 26, 2005) from the Chief Planner and Executive Director, City Planning Division:

“It is recommended that:

- (1) Council approve the proposed modifications to the maps substantially as set out in Appendix A; and*
- (2) the City Solicitor be authorized to take the necessary actions at the upcoming Ontario Municipal Board Hearing to give effect to the proposed modifications.”*

J(18) 89 Kingsway Crescent - Conservation Review Board Report issued October 19, 2005, Notice of Intention to Designate under the *Ontario Heritage Act*, and Appeal of Demolition Refusal to the Ontario Municipal Board - Ward 5 (Etobicoke - Lakeshore)

Moved by Councillor Milczyn, seconded by Councillor Lindsay Luby

“WHEREAS City Council on July 30, 2004, gave its Notice of Intention to Designate the house at 89 Kingsway Crescent under the *Ontario Heritage Act*; and

WHEREAS the owners of 89 Kingsway Crescent objected to the proposal to designate, thereby necessitating a hearing before the Conservation Review Board to consider the reasons for designation; and

WHEREAS the Conservation Review Board issued its report on October 19, 2005, recommending against designation of the house at 89 Kingsway Crescent under the *Ontario Heritage Act*; and

WHEREAS the owners appealed to the Ontario Municipal Board (OMB) a matter related to the designation, namely Council’s refusal to permit demolition of the subject building, and a hearing is currently scheduled to commence on November 14, 2005; and

WHEREAS this is a ‘time sensitive’ matter, since instructions must be received from City Council prior to the commencement of the November 14, 2005 OMB Hearing on the demolition appeal; and

WHEREAS it is appropriate to consider the report of the City Solicitor in-camera, as it relates to matters of solicitor-client privilege;

NOW THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED THAT City Council consider the confidential report (October 25, 2005) from the City Solicitor, and that the staff recommendations contained in the Recommendations Section of the report be adopted.”

Disposition:

City Council on October 26, 27, 28 and 31, 2005, adopted this Motion, without amendment.

In adopting Motion J(18), without amendment, Council adopted, without amendment, the staff recommendations contained in the Recommendations Section of the confidential report (October 25, 2005) from the City Solicitor. This report remains confidential in its entirety, in accordance with the provisions of the Municipal Act, 2001, as it contains information pertaining to litigation or potential litigation.

Council also considered the following:

- Confidential report (October 25, 2005) from the City Solicitor [Confidential Communication C.19(a)]. This report remains confidential in its entirety, in accordance with the provisions of the *Municipal Act, 2001*, as it contains information pertaining to litigation or potential litigation.

- Public Attachments to confidential report (October 25, 2005) from the City Solicitor:

Attachment 1 - Etobicoke York Community Council Report 6, Clause 33, headed “Notice of Intention to Designate 89 Kingsway Crescent under the *Ontario Heritage Act* (Ward 5 – Etobicoke-Lakeshore)”, adopted, as amended, by City Council on July 20, 21 and 22, 2004; and

Attachment 2 – Conservation Review Board Report dated September 22, 2005, entitled “The Corporation of the City of Toronto - Intention to Designate the Property Known as 89 Kingsway Crescent (Isaac M. Scott House), Toronto Ontario”.

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- Confidential Fiscal Impact Statement (October 27, 2005) from the Deputy City Manager and Chief Financial Officer.

J(19) Liquor Licence Matters - The Blue Moon Tavern (1374 Queen Street West)
Moved by Councillor Watson, seconded by Councillor Milczyn

“**WHEREAS** local residents, businesses and the Councillor’s office have significant concerns with respect to the criminal activity conducted in and around the Blue Moon Tavern and the negative impact these activities have on local residents; and

WHEREAS members of the public feel unsafe and are intimidated by the patrons and traffic that this establishment attracts and to which it caters; and

WHEREAS there is an escalating and ongoing threat to the safety of pedestrians, patrons, neighbours, inspectors and police officers in the area, because of the ongoing criminal activities and arrests emanating from this location and the surrounding area; and

WHEREAS The Blue Moon Tavern has been the subject of investigation by 14 Division of the Toronto Police Service; and

WHEREAS there is a general understanding that there is a correlation between these occurrences and the sale and service of alcohol in these premises; and

WHEREAS the Alcohol and Gaming Commission of Ontario’s records show that there have been many serious liquor-related infractions, including over-serving and permitting drunkenness and, as a result, suspended this establishment’s licence for 14 days in 2003; and

WHEREAS the Alcohol and Gaming Commission of Ontario (AGCO) has scheduled a hearing with respect to the liquor sales licence of The Blue Moon Tavern for December 5, 2005; and

WHEREAS for all of the reasons noted above, the continuation of the liquor sales licence of The Blue Moon Tavern poses an immediate and ongoing risk to public safety and is not in the public interest, having regard to the needs and wishes of the municipality in which the premises are located;

NOW THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED THAT Council advise the AGCO of the City of Toronto’s opposition to the continuation of this liquor sales licence, in particular the risk to public safety, and that a copy of this Resolution be forwarded to the AGCO;

AND BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED THAT the AGCO be requested to provide the City with an opportunity to participate in any proceedings involving the revocation of the liquor sales licence of the Blue Moon Tavern and that the City Solicitor and necessary staff be authorized to participate in any such proceedings;

AND BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED THAT the Municipal Licensing and Standards Division be directed to undertake the process to revoke The Blue Moon Tavern's business licence on the grounds that the establishment does not operate with honesty and integrity."

Disposition:

City Council on October 26, 27, 28 and 31, 2005, adopted this Motion, without amendment.

J(20) Aid to Earthquake Stricken Areas in Pakistan, India and Afghanistan

Moved by Councillor Walker, seconded by Councillors Thompson and Cho

“WHEREAS at 8:30 a.m. on Saturday, October 8, 2005, a wide-sweeping, 7.6 Richter-scale earthquake struck the northern regions of Pakistan, India and Afghanistan; and

WHEREAS this disaster has directly affected more people than 2004's Tsunami disaster, including the death-toll estimate in excess of 79,000 people and the earthquake's displacement of 3.5 million people; and

WHEREAS 'near-apocalyptic devastation' of the many cities, towns and villages of this region has occurred; and

WHEREAS winter is fast approaching in this region of devastation that receives weather similar to Colorado, USA, and 500,000 people have yet to receive the first-aid responders; and

WHEREAS this is a large-scale disaster that requires immediate, long-term commitment from the international community for relief, rehabilitation and reconstruction that could take 10 to 15 years; and

WHEREAS we know that the earthquake has already caused over 50 times more deaths than Hurricane Katrina, yet so far the amount earmarked for aid and reconstruction in Pakistan, India, and Afghanistan is very small; and

WHEREAS many residents of Toronto have lost multiple family members to this disaster; and

WHEREAS the Policy and Finance Committee requested that City staff report on the feasibility of establishing a 'Disaster Aid Fund', to provide relief from Toronto to domestic or international disaster-stricken Cities or regions;

NOW THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED THAT Toronto City Council hereby stands in recognition of the immensity of the October 8, 2005 earthquake disaster in Pakistan, India and Afghanistan;

AND BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED THAT on behalf of the citizens of Toronto, Toronto City Council approve a contribution of \$1 million towards immediate aid-relief efforts in the affected regions of Pakistan, India and Afghanistan;

AND BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED THAT this donation be distributed through established relief agencies;

AND BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED THAT the appropriate City staff be directed to give effect to the foregoing.”

Disposition:

Notice of this Motion was given to permit consideration at the next regular meeting of City Council on December 5, 2005.

Council also considered the following:

- Fiscal Impact Statement (October 27, 2005) from the Deputy City Manager and Chief Financial Officer.

J(21) Distribution of City of Toronto Tap Water - Toronto Pure

Moved by Councillor Moscoe, seconded by Councillor Carroll

“WHEREAS the City of Toronto’s tap water meets or exceeds any measure of quality standard available; and

WHEREAS in every objective evaluation of commercial bottled water, the City of Toronto’s water (Toronto Pure) exceeds the standard of almost all bottled waters; and

WHEREAS the City and all of its agencies, boards and commissions have an obligation to promote the quality of our water; and

WHEREAS a first step in promoting Toronto water would be to ensure that all City staff stop selling or distributing other than the City’s own product;

NOW THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED THAT, apart from honouring existing contracts, the City of Toronto prohibit the distribution of any water other than Toronto Pure, i.e. City of Toronto tap water, in any City facility or the facilities of its agencies, boards and commissions.”

Disposition:

Notice of this Motion was given to permit consideration at the next regular meeting of City Council on December 5, 2005.

J(22) Funding of New Year's Eve Fireworks Display

Moved by Councillor Shiner, seconded by Councillor Stintz

“WHEREAS City TV holds an annual New Year's Eve event at Toronto City Hall's Nathan Phillips Square; and

WHEREAS City TV funds the musical portion of the evening but does not have sufficient funding to produce a New Year's Eve fireworks display for the event; and

WHEREAS this year, City TV will have national coverage for the event and would like to secure funding to support a fireworks spectacle to mark the occasion;

NOW THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED THAT City Council authorize \$50,000.00 of funding through a reallocation of funds from projected 2005 under-expenditures in the Council Operating Budget, for the 2005 New Year's Eve fireworks display, for the purposes of highlighting the event to be held in Toronto and ensuring that our New Year's Eve fireworks display will be a success nationally;

AND BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED THAT funding for the 2006 New Year's Eve fireworks be referred for consideration during the 2006 Operating Budget discussion, and in the interim, the Executive Director, Tourism, work with City TV, to seek private-sector sponsorship opportunities to fund the fireworks for 2006 and future years, and report back to the Budget Advisory Committee prior to the end of the 2006 budget deliberations.”

Disposition:

City Council on October 26, 27, 28 and 31, 2005, postponed consideration of this Motion to the special meeting of Council on November 24, 2005.

Council also considered the following:

- Fiscal Impact Statement (October 27, 2005) from the Deputy City Manager and Chief Financial Officer.

J(23) Assignment of Molson Indy Agreement

Moved by Deputy Mayor Pantalone, seconded by Mayor Miller

“**WHEREAS** the City of Toronto and The Board of Governors of Exhibition Place, have received a letter (October 12, 2005) from Molson Sports & Entertainment Inc. requesting that City Council and the Board consider a request from Molson Sports & Entertainment Inc. for consent to assign their respective agreements to Champ Car World Series LLP (Champ Car), the sanctioning body and owner of the Champ Car racing series of which the Molson Indy is one event; and

WHEREAS Champ Car has 30 years of experience in undertaking the racing series and acting as the promoter of individual events in various North American locations; and

WHEREAS Champ Car has formed a Canadian entity, known as ‘Grand Prix Association of Toronto’, for the purpose of assuming the Molson agreements and undertaking the annual race in 2006 and 2007, provided that the performance of all obligations under the agreements shall also be supported by an indemnity from Champ Car; and

WHEREAS the General Manager of Transportation Services, in consultation with the City Solicitor and Insurance and Risk Management, is prepared to recommend that the assignment of the agreement (January 1, 2005) between Molson and the City be approved, subject to certain conditions, including the condition that Council’s consent to this assignment shall be contingent upon approval by the Board of Governors of Exhibition Place of the assignment of the Board’s agreement with Molson Sports & Entertainment Inc. and Molson Canada 2005 for the use of Exhibition Place as the site of the race; and

WHEREAS The Board of Governors of Exhibition Place shall, at its meeting of November 3, 2005, consider the proposed assignment of the Board’s agreement with Molson; and

WHEREAS it is essential, for reasons of legal deadline, that this matter be considered, in order to permit Molson to make an informed decision as to whether to renew the agreements for 2006 and allow the parties to finalize their business arrangements and immediately commence the promotion and preparations for the race scheduled for July 7, 8 and 9, 2006;

NOW THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED THAT Council give consideration to the attached report (October 26, 2005) of the General Manager, Transportation Services, and that the staff recommendations contained in the Recommendations Section of the report be adopted.”

Disposition:

City Council on October 26, 27, 28 and 31, 2005, adopted this Motion, without amendment.

In adopting Motion J(23), without amendment, Council adopted, without amendment, the following staff recommendations contained in the Recommendations Section of the report (October 27, 2005) from the General Manager Transportation Services:

“It is recommended that:

- (1) City Council consent to the assignment of the current agreement (January 1, 2005) with Molson Sports & Entertainment Inc. and Molson Canada 2005 (as indemnifier) for the operation of the Molson Indy in 2006 and 2007, subject to the following conditions:***
 - (a) the agreement shall be assumed by Grand Prix Association of Toronto, with Champ Car World Series LLP (‘Champ Car’) as indemnifier of all of Grand Prix’s obligations under the agreements;***
 - (b) the level of insurance to be provided under the agreements shall be set at the Canadian equivalent of \$20 million U.S. (as set out in the attached letter from counsel for Champ Car) for the set up and take down periods before and after the Race Days and \$50 million Canadian on the Race Days in a form satisfactory to the Manager of Insurance and Risk Management as required under the agreement;***
 - (c) Council’s consent to this assignment shall be contingent upon approval by The Board of Governors of Exhibition Place of the assignment of the Board’s agreement with Molson Sports & Entertainment Inc. and Molson Canada 2005 for the use of Exhibition Place as the site of the race; and***
 - (d) Molson Sports & Entertainment Inc., Molson Canada 2005, Grand Prix Association of Toronto and Champ Car World Series LLP shall enter into an assignment agreement on such terms as may be required by the General Manager of Transportation Services, the Manager of Insurance and Risk Management and the City Solicitor; and***

- (2) *City Council direct staff to take all necessary actions to implement the above recommendations.*
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Council also considered the following:

- Report (October 27, 2005) from the General Manager, Transportation Services.

J(24) Morningside Avenue/Markham By-pass Extension

Moved by Councillor Cho, seconded by Councillor De Baeremaeker

“WHEREAS City Council on June 14, 15 and 16, 2005 adopted, without amendment, Works Committee Report 6, Clause 5, headed ‘Morningside Avenue/Markham By-pass Extension – Individual Project Environmental Assessment Study Status Report (Ward 42 – Scarborough Rouge River), and in so doing, requested York Region to conduct additional community consultation on the by-pass extension; and

WHEREAS Scarborough Community Council recently held an evening meeting to consider the results of the additional community consultation and the further transportation analysis which was conducted by the York Region study team arising from City Council’s request; and

WHEREAS as a result of this further information, Council should make new recommendations on the Morningside Avenue/Markham by-pass extension;

NOW THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED THAT, in accordance with §27-49 of Chapter 27 of the City of Toronto Municipal Code, Works Committee Report 6, Clause 5, headed ‘Morningside Avenue/Markham By-pass Extension – Individual Project Environmental Assessment Study Status Report (Ward 42 – Scarborough Rouge River)’, be re-opened for further consideration;

AND BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED THAT City Council delete the Recommendation of the Works Committee contained in the Clause and adopt instead the following new recommendations:

‘It is recommended that City Council:

- (1) advise York Region that it strongly opposes and formally objects to any north/south road in York Region that will increase traffic congestion in the City of Toronto;

- (2) advise York Region that it strongly opposes and formally objects to the extension of Morningside Avenue south of Steeles Avenue East, as developed in the Environmental Assessment Study for transportation improvements in the Markham By-pass Corridor;
- (3) request York Region to do the following:
 - (a) re-evaluate Alignment C north of Steeles Avenue East, and
 - (b) conduct an additional community consultation meeting with City of Toronto residents and the Scarborough Community Council, following completion of this further evaluation of Alignment C, with notice being provided to the residents in consultation with local City of Toronto Ward Councillor; and
- (4) inform York Region that:
 - (a) the City intends to keep Steeles Avenue, east of Markham, at its current width of two traffic lanes in keeping with its rural surroundings; and
 - (b) the City neither intends nor has budgeted any funds to construct the Alignment C south of Steeles Avenue East;

AND BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED THAT Council's position be forwarded to the Province of Ontario, the Regional Municipality of York, the Town of Markham, the Toronto and Region Conservation Authority, the Rouge Park Alliance, the Friends of the Rouge Watershed and the Save the Rouge environmental groups."

Disposition:

Notice of this Motion was given to permit consideration at the next regular meeting of City Council on December 5, 2005.

J(25) Report Request – Rat Control

Moved by Councillor Pitfield, seconded by Councillor Thompson

“WHEREAS taking control of the rat population is not a question of limiting wildlife; and

WHEREAS the City has seen a drastic increase in construction, in and around sewer lines; and

WHEREAS the City of Toronto has seen an unprecedented number of reports of rat sightings; and

WHEREAS rats are responsible for the spread of many diseases, transmitted directly by the contamination of food with their urine or feces or indirectly by other insects; and

WHEREAS rats have an excellent sense of smell to locate food and are drawn towards improperly stored waste; and

WHEREAS rats have adapted to most human environments and live in open fields, city sewers, on roofs, in attics, in basements, in street trees, on top of 30-storey buildings and inside subway tunnels; and

WHEREAS rats can scramble up the outside of a pipe 3 inches in diameter, and climb inside pipes 1½ to 4 inches in diameter, they can swim half-a-mile of open water, tread water for up to three days, swim against a strong current in a sewer line, and dive through a sewer trap and come up inside a toilet; and

WHEREAS a mature female rat can give birth to about 20 young, in one year; and

WHEREAS if a mother rat has become wary of rodenticides or traps, many of her young will learn to avoid them as well, making control difficult in such sites; and

WHEREAS rats are social animals and live in colonies with well-defined territories; and

WHEREAS because rats are wary of anything new that appears in their territory, it makes the use of bait and trapping difficult; and

WHEREAS the City of Toronto adopted a 'Rat Hotline' to act as a report and reference line; and

WHEREAS residents have voiced their concern and desire that the City take action on controlling the rat population; and

WHEREAS the key is to control rat populations, not individual rats; and

WHEREAS individual homeowners cannot be expected to control rat populations in their areas;

NOW THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED THAT the Medical Officer of Health report to the Board of Health on an integrated strategy that includes non-lethal tools, such as careful inspection, upgraded sanitation and rat-proofing structures and, when needed, lethal control with the use of rodenticides with non-toxic control measures.”

Disposition:

City Council on October 26, 27, 28 and 31, 2005, adopted this Motion, without amendment.

J(26) Request for Enforcement of the *Child and Family Services Act*

Moved by Councillor Nunziata, seconded by Councillor Hall

“**WHEREAS** the protection of children is of utmost importance to the Members of Toronto City Council;

NOW THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED THAT the Toronto Police Services Board be requested to direct the Toronto Police Service to enforce Section 79 of the *Child and Family Services Act*.”

Disposition:

Notice of this Motion was given to permit consideration at the next regular meeting of City Council on December 5, 2005.

J(27) Request for Review of Fines for Body Rub Parlours Operating Without a Licence

Moved by Councillor Nunziata, seconded by Councillor Hall

“**WHEREAS** the current fine for a body rub parlour operating without a licence is not an effective deterrent and does not ensure that body rub parlours obtain a licence;

NOW THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED THAT the Acting Executive Director, Municipal Licensing and Standards, be requested to examine and report to the Planning and Transportation Committee on increasing the fine amount for body rub parlours operating without a licence so that the fine will act as a deterrent to this illegal activity; and notice of a proposed amendment to Chapter 545, Licensing, be given, as required by Chapter 162, Notice, Public.”

Disposition:

Notice of this Motion was given to permit consideration at the next regular meeting of City Council on December 5, 2005.

J(28) Juno Beach Memorial and the Juno Beach Centre Association

Moved by Councillor Kelly, seconded by Councillor Ootes

“**WHEREAS** The Honourable Albina Guarnieri, Minister of Veterans Affairs, has declared 2005 the ‘Year of the Veteran’; and

WHEREAS Toronto’s contribution in troops and material to Canada’s Second World War effort was considerable and significant; and

WHEREAS over 50 Canadian schools, including Toronto’s students, have visited the Juno Beach Centre to gain insights into Canada’s participation in World War II ; and

WHEREAS the City of Toronto, as the leading Canadian City, has a responsibility to commemorate Canada’s contribution in one of the pivotal events in the 20th century and recognize its Veterans who defended our freedoms; and

WHEREAS the Juno Beach Centre Association’s previous request obtained the support of the City of Toronto;

NOW THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED THAT the City of Toronto agree to make a further contribution of \$25,000.00, to cover the operational costs of the Juno Beach Centre Association;

AND BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED THAT the Budget Advisory Committee, in consultation with the Deputy City Manager and Chief Financial Officer, be requested to recommend the source of funding for this initiative and report to the next meeting of City Council, through the Policy and Finance Committee, on an identified source of funds.”

Disposition:

Notice of this Motion was given to permit consideration at the next regular meeting of City Council on December 5, 2005.

J(29) Response to Statements by the President of Iran

Moved by Councillor Pitfield, seconded by Deputy Mayor Feldman

“**WHEREAS** recent statements made by the new President of Iran, Mahmoud Ahmadinejad, contained a despicable message of hate; and

WHEREAS the Charter of the United Nations sets exact rules for Members and no Member State has the right to ask for the genocide of another Member State; and

WHEREAS the United Nations' Charter requires respect for each Member State who should live in peace and security; and

WHEREAS Canada will not stand by and allow hatred to grow that also affects residents who live in the City of Toronto; and

WHEREAS the Prime Minister of Canada has expressed outrage on behalf of all Canadians;

NOW THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED THAT Mayor David Miller be requested, on behalf of Toronto City Council and the residents of the City of Toronto, to communicate the support of City Council for the statements made by the Prime Minister of Canada and to request him to take strong action and consider imposing sanctions on Iran.”

Disposition:

This Motion was ruled out of order at City Council on October 26, 27, 28 and 31, 2005.

Condolence Motions:

(1) **Moved by:** Councillor Rae

Seconded by: Mayor Miller

“**WHEREAS** the Mayor and Members of Toronto City Council are deeply saddened to learn of the passing of George Hislop; and

WHEREAS George Hislop has been recognized as Canada's leading gay rights activist; and

WHEREAS George Hislop was a co-founder of the University of Toronto Homophile Association in 1969, and the Community Homophile Association of Toronto in 1971; and

WHEREAS George Hislop and his partner Ronnie Shearer were leading business people in downtown Toronto for many years, operating restaurants, bars, bathhouses and publishing magazines; and

WHEREAS George Hislop was at the forefront of the successful resistance to the notorious 1981 bathhouse raids and was a leader in lobbying Parliament for equal rights, including the inclusion into the Charter of Rights and Freedoms; and

WHEREAS George Hislop was a member of the AIDS Committee of Toronto and served as the first President of the Hassle Free Clinic and served on a board that developed housing for people living with HIV/AIDS; and

WHEREAS George Hislop also served his beloved City of Toronto for over thirty years as a member of the Planning Board, the Planning Advisory Committee and the City's Committee of Adjustment and was the first openly gay candidate for both a seat here at Toronto City Council and a seat in the Legislature at Queen's Park; and

WHEREAS George Hislop spearheaded a class action lawsuit against the federal government for CPP same sex survivor pensions, which resulted in the largest class action trial judgment in Canadian legal history; and

WHEREAS the City of Toronto honoured George Hislop by creating the 'George Hislop Parkette' in the heart of our dynamic lesbian and gay village;

NOW THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED THAT the City Clerk be directed to convey, on behalf of the Mayor and Members of Toronto City Council, our sincere sympathy to George's family, to his caregiver Christopher Hudspeth, his dear friend Peter Bochove and his extended family – the LGBT community in Canada.”

Disposition:

City Council on October 26, 27, 28 and 31, 2005, adopted this Motion unanimously.

(2) **Moved by:** Councillor Walker

Seconded by: Councillor Altobello

“**WHEREAS** Curban Ali died on August 17, 2005, after a courageous battle against cancer; and

WHEREAS Zeena Ali, loving wife of Curban Ali died suddenly on August 25, 2005, seven days after her beloved Curban; and

WHEREAS Curban and Zeena Ali were both born in Trinidad and Tobago, were married in 1958 and raised four beautiful children; and

WHEREAS the whole Ali family immigrated to Canada in 1968, settled in Toronto and became part of the North Toronto Community; and

WHEREAS Curban Ali worked in several professional positions starting with IBM and ending with the Provincial Ministry of Consumer and Commercial Relations at his retirement; and

WHEREAS Zeena Ali remained at home, raised her children and worked 25 years part-time with children of Maurice Cody Public School and volunteered herself and her children to many community events over the years; and

WHEREAS both Curban and Zeena Ali were very proud of their children, grandchildren and one great grandchild – their family was everything to them;

NOW THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED THAT the City Clerk be requested to convey, on behalf of the Mayor and Members of Toronto City Council our sincere sympathy to the members of the Ali family: children Steve, Joan, Clive and Sandra, grandchildren Krystal, Adam and Julian and great grandchild Nicholas.”

Disposition:

City Council on October 26, 27, 28 and 31, 2005, adopted this Motion unanimously.

(3) **Moved by: Deputy Mayor Feldman**

Seconded by: Councillor Thompson

“**WHEREAS** the Members of City Council are deeply saddened to learn of the passing of Mrs. Rosa Parks; and

WHEREAS Rosa Parks gained notoriety when, on December 1, 1955, she refused to give up her bus seat to a white man in segregated Montgomery, Alabama, which led to her arrest and conviction of violating the segregation laws; and

WHEREAS what appeared to be a simple act of defiance was, in fact, a courageous and heroic act by Mrs. Parks that inspired a generation and eventually led to the elimination of racial segregation on American public transit systems; and

WHEREAS her arrest triggered a 381-day boycott of the bus system, organized by a then little known Baptist minister, Reverend Martin Luther King Jr., who later earned the Nobel Peace Prize for his work; and

WHEREAS Rosa Parks and her friend Elaine Eason Steele founded the Rosa and Raymond Parks Institute for Self Development in 1987, to help Detroit’s youth develop leadership and awareness of the importance of civil rights; and

WHEREAS, in 1996, she received the Presidential Medal of Freedom before being awarded the United States' highest civilian honour, the Congressional Gold Medal, in 1999; and

WHEREAS Mrs. Parks was a true leader who made a significant contribution to the protection and preservation of civil rights, human dignity and freedom for all people; and

WHEREAS Rosa Parks proved that one person can make a difference;

NOW THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED THAT the City Clerk be directed to convey, on behalf of the Mayor and Members of Toronto City Council, our sincere sympathy to the Rosa and Raymond Parks Institute for Self Development."

Disposition:

City Council on October 26, 27, 28 and 31, 2005, adopted this Motion unanimously.

(4) **Moved by:** Councillor Grimes

Seconded by: Deputy Mayor Feldman

"**WHEREAS** the Members of City Council are saddened to learn of the passing of Tom Cheek, longtime voice of the Toronto Blue Jays, at his home in Oldsmar Florida on October 9, 2005, after a courageous battle against cancer; and

WHEREAS Tom Cheek represented the spirit of the Toronto Blue Jays since their first game on April 7, 1977, to June 3, 2004, including two consecutive World Series Championships in 1992 and 1993; and

WHEREAS Tom Cheek did not miss a single broadcast in 27½ seasons, a streak encompassing 4,306 regular season games and playoff games; and

WHEREAS Tom Cheek was far more than just an outstanding announcer, he was a great goodwill ambassador for baseball in Toronto and Canada; and

WHEREAS Tom Cheek's popularity with baseball fans was never more evident than during his absence last season, when thousands of fans sent in cards and emails wishing him well; and

WHEREAS a crowd of over 44,000 honoured him on August 29, 2004, when the Toronto Blue Jays added him to their Level of Excellence with the number of 4,306 beside his name, signifying his streak; and

WHEREAS Canada's Sports Hall of Fame has introduced the Tom Cheek Media Leadership Award, intended to recognize, from time-to-time, an individual from the media who, in the opinion of the Board of Governors of CSHOF, has played a vital role in promoting Canadian sports in an extraordinary and enduring way - Tom Cheek was selected as the first recipient of the award, which will forever carry his name; and

WHEREAS Torontonians and baseball fans around the world will sorely miss the voice of summer and of the Toronto Blue Jays;

NOW THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED THAT the City Clerk be requested to convey, on behalf of the Mayor and Members of Toronto City Council, our sincere sympathy to his wife Shirley and their three children and seven grandchildren."

Disposition:

City Council on October 26, 27, 28 and 31, 2005, adopted this Motion unanimously.

(5) **Moved by:** Councillor Pitfield

Seconded by: Councillor Stintz

"**WHEREAS** the Members of City Council are deeply saddened by the 64 murders in the City of Toronto so far this year; and

WHEREAS 44 of those murdered this year are due to gun violence; and

WHEREAS countless other members of our City are victims of violence each year; and

WHEREAS violence in the form of gun violence, domestic violence, youth violence, child abuse and racial violence has touched the lives of too many people in our City; and

WHEREAS participation by all levels of government, community organizations, schools, places of worship and individual citizens is required to bring an end to such violence; and

WHEREAS it is of grave concern to the Members of Council and the citizens of our City that violent crimes using weapons is on the rise and that all efforts to reduce these violent acts should be encouraged and supported;

NOW THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED THAT City Council pause for a moment of silence to remember those who have lost their lives and those whose lives have been forever changed due to senseless acts of violence.”

Disposition:

City Council on October 26, 27, 28 and 31, 2005, adopted this Motion unanimously.

Issued: November 3, 2005