

# THE TORONTO PEDESTRIAN COMMITTEE AGENDA MEETING 3

Date of Meeting: Wednesday, September 12, 2007 Enquiry: Betty Pereira

Time: 3:00 p.m. Committee Secretary

Location: Committee Room 3 416-392-0132

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Under the *City of Toronto Act*, 2006, The Toronto Pedestrian Committee must adopt a motion to meet In-camera (privately) and the reason must be given.

Declarations of Interest under the Municipal Conflict of Interest Act.

**Confirmation of Minutes – July 10, 2007** 

**Communications Reports:** 

#### 1. York Street Pedestrian Promenade Plan

A briefing by Al Rezoski, Senior Planner, Downtown Section, City Planning, on the York Street Pedestrian Promenade Plan – (see attachments).

#### 2. South Kingsway – The Queensway Interchange Pedestrian Issues

Communication (August 28, 2007) from Randy Colbert, Toronto Urban Renewal Network, respecting the existing and potential opportunities to improve pedestrian conditions at the intersection of South Kingsway and the Queensway intersection.

#### **3.** Transportation Services – Staff Update

Report (August 28, 2007) from the Manager, Pedestrian Cycling Infrastructure, regarding:

1. Ontario Segway Pilot Project.

- 2. Walk 21 Conference Update.
- 3. Presentation on Draft Toronto Walking Strategy.

#### 4. Nominating Sub-Committee

Brief update by Dylan Reid on the nomination process.

#### **5.** Working Groups

- Urban Design Groups – an update by Rita Brooks

## 6. Road Alterations, Traffic and Parking Regulations – Lansdowne Avenue between College Street and Bloor Street West

Motion by Dylan Reid, Co-Chair, Toronto Pedestrian Committee:

"That the Toronto Pedestrian Committee, through the Committee Secretary, write to the Chair of the Toronto and East York Community Council (TEYCC) expressing the Toronto Pedestrian Committee's thanks to the TEYCC for approving the improvements to Lansdowne Avenue between College Street and Bloor Street West that were proposed in the staff report (March 12, 2007) from the Director, Transportation Services Toronto and East York District, (TE4.80), because these changes to Lansdowne Avenue will greatly improve the walking environment".

#### Summary:

This matter was discussed at the Toronto Pedestrian Committee meeting of July 10, 2007, and it was received for information, but staff was asked for further information about the protocol regarding how the Committee can comment on this issue.

#### 7. Lack of Sidewalk Space for Pedestrian

Communication (August 2, 2007) from Agnes Faraci, respecting the increasing lack of sidewalk space for pedestrian.

#### FOR INFORMATION:

#### **8.** Collision Summary Leaflets

Communications (July 13, 2007 and August 9, 2007) from Dora Marsh, Traffic Data Centre and Safety Bureau, Traffic Management Centre providing an analysis of:

- Fatal Collision Summary Leaflets for the period Jan 1, 2007 to June 30, 2007; and.
- Fatal Collision Summary Leaflets for the period January 1, 2007 to July 31, 2007.

#### 9. Vehicles Driving Illegally on the Martin Goodman Trail and Parking in Parks

Communication (July 25, 2007) from the City Clerk forwarding City Council's decision which was adopted at its meeting on July 16, 17, 18 and 19, 2007.

### 10. Transit Improvement Project - St. Clair Avenue West between Westmount Avenue and McRoberts Avenue

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http://www.toronto.ca/legdocs/mmis/2007/te/decisions/2007-07-16-cc11-dd.pdf

#### 11. Change to Agenda Closing for Toronto Pedestrian Committee

The agenda closing for the November 13, 2007 meeting will be on October 29, 2007. Please note that all agenda closings will be on a Monday from now on.